

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT**

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4092  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.04.2022**

**SETTING UP OF ESI HOSPITAL AT UNA**

**4092. # MS. INDU BALA GOSWAMI:**

**Will the Minister of Labour and Employment be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether Government proposes to set up ESI hospital in Una district of the State of Himachal Pradesh;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether modern lab facilities would be provided to the patients for getting lab tests done in this hospital; and**
- (d) by when the construction work would start for this hospital and the amount of funds to be spent on the same?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
(SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)**

**(a) & (b):** There are approximately 30,000 Insured Persons (IPs) at Una, Himachal Pradesh and as per norms of the Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC), it qualifies for a 30 bedded ESI hospital. ESIC has requested the State Government of Himachal Pradesh to forward its proposal as well as consent to run the hospital.

**(c):** As per ESIC norms for a 30 bedded hospital, the facility of lab testing for patients is provided through outsourced diagnostic service providers.

**(d):** Estimate for expenditure is prepared after allotment of the work to the construction agency.

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