

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3366
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.03.2021

CANCER HOSPITAL WITH THE COLLABORATION OF BARC

3366 # Shri Sushil Kumar Modi :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a decision has been taken to build a 200-bed cancer hospital at a cost of Rs.200 crore at Muzaffarpur, Bihar with the collaboration of Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC) and Tata Memorial hospital;
- (b) whether it is a fact that the State Government of Bihar has provided 15 acres land free of cost in the premises of Shri Krishna Medical College for this cancer hospital two years ago; and
- (c) if so, the details of funds allocated in the current year budget and rationale for delay in the construction of cancer hospital, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH):

- (a) Yes, Sir. The Department of Atomic Energy has sanctioned a project costing Rs.198.15 Crore (Rupees One Hundred Ninety Eight crore and Fifteen lakh only) to construct a 100 bedded hospital in Muzaffarpur, Bihar.
- (b) Yes, Sir.
- (c) A sum of Rs. 7 crore (Rupees Seven crore) has been allocated in the BE 2020-21 to start the initial project related activities. Meanwhile, due to COVID pandemic the construction could not be taken up.
