

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4825  
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REQUEST FOR GRANT- IN- AID  
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**Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government of Karnataka has requested for grant-in-aid from Japan International Co-operative Agency for the project, improvement of Mother Child Health Programme for Bangalore Medical College and attached teaching hospitals;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether this request is pending for the last five years; and
- (d) if so, by when the Union Government is likely to clear the said request?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE( SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) to (d) Yes, Sir. The proposal seeking financial assistance of Rs. 60.00 crore from Japan International Cooperation Agency for improvement of 'Mother and Child Health Programme' for Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore and attached teaching hospitals was posed to the Government of Japan in May, 2001 for necessary funding. However, Government of Japan has not adopted the project for funding support.

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