

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

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COMPENSATION FOR FAILURE OF TUBECTOMY AND VASECTOMY OPERATIONS

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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of failed tubectomy and vasectomy operations reported during the last three years and the current year, Statewise;
- (b) whether any compensation has been given to such people by the State Governments; and
- (c) if not, whether the Union Government will direct the State Governments to give compensation to the affected persons to ensure effective and accelerated implementation of this national programme?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABIAZAD)

(a) Number of failed tubectomy and vasectomy operations reported during the last three years and the current year, State -wise is, at annexure.

(b)&(c) The union government has introduced Family Planning Insurance Scheme (FPIS) w.e.f 29th November 2005 to give compensation to such people.

For the period from 29.11.2005 to 31.12.2007, the scheme was being run through Oriental Insurance Company, Thereafter is being run through ICICI Lombard from 01.01.2008 to 31.12.2008 and further up-to 31.12.2009. The payment of the compensation for failure is made by the Insurer directly to the beneficiaries.