

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY,
UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(AYUSH)**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2405
TO BE ANSWERED ON 8TH AUGUST, 2017**

COUNTERING FALSE PROPAGANDA AGAINST HOMOEOPATHY

2405. SHRI DILIP KUMAR TIRKEY:

Will the Minister of **AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY** be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is aware of the fact that several media reports debunk homoeopathy as unreliable and unscientific method of treatment and create a wrong public perception about its efficacy; and

(b) if so, the measures taken by Government to counter the false propaganda against homoeopathy?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA,
YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)**

(a) & (b): Yes, the Ministry of AYUSH is aware of the fact.

Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy (CCRH) is an autonomous body and apex research Body under Ministry of AYUSH. CCRH has an institutional mechanism wherein a committee consisting of Chairman of the different Committees including Scientific Advisory Committee, Sub-committee on clinical research and Basic & Fundamental research has been set up to address such issues.

Homoeopathy is officially recognized system under the Ministry of AYUSH. For regulation of education and practice in Homoeopathy, a statutory body namely, Central Council of Homeopathy (CCH) was constituted under the provisions of Homoeopathy Central Council Act, 1973. Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy (CCRH), and National Institute of Homoeopathy (NIH) are apex bodies under Ministry of AYUSH in the field of research and education respectively.

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