

**Subject:- Calling Attention Notice tabled by Shri Sham Lal Bhagat,
Hon'ble MLC.**

“I call the attention of the government towards a matter of urgent public importance namely, the situation that has arisen due to non-availability of M.B.B.S doctors at P.H.C Assar and Accidental Hospital at Khellani in District Doda.”

Reply:

One MBBS doctor is posted and is working in PHC Assar who is providing health care in PHC Assar. The doctor is also looking after the work of Block Medical Officer, Assar.

There is no sanctioned post of doctor in Accidental Hospital, Khellani. However, one MBBS Medical officer is deployed for duties by internal arrangement for patient care.

Khellani is an accident prone area and it was decided to have an Accidental Hospital there, so that immediate treatment facilities could be provided to the patients. The building for Accidental Hospital has been constructed at an estimated cost of Rs. 399.60 lacs and stands completed. The construction of mortuary is also in progress.

A proposal for creation of 112 posts of Specialists/ Doctors/ Paramedical/ other staff was received from the Directorate of Health Services, Jammu for approval. However, the proposal was examined and the proposal was found on higher side and therefore, Director Health Services, Jammu was requested to project bare minimum requirement in a phased manner.


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