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**PARLIAMENT QUESTION**

**Sub:** Part-wise inputs i.r.o provisionally admitted Lok Sabha Question Dy No. 15282 for 01.04.2022 on Stem Cell Research – reg.

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(a)	The details of guidelines formulated by the Government to regulate stem cell research and therapy in the country;	NA
(b)	Whether the Government has put in place any mechanism to take care of the violations of the aforesaid guidelines and regulations and if so, the details therefore;	NA
(c)	The funds allocated and utilized for the purpose of Stem Cell Research and Therapy in the country during each of the last three years and the current year along with the achievement made in the field;	NA
(d)	Whether Stem Cell Research Therapy are being carried out in Government Medical Colleges and Hospitals in the country and if so, the details thereof and if not the reasons therefore;	NA
(e)	Whether the facility of molecular diagnostic is available in the Government hospitals in the country and if so, the details of the hospitals where such facility is available?	“Stem cell specific” molecular diagnostics is not carried out in SCTIMST. However, there is an active approach at SCTIMST to develop diagnostic kits to detect infectious diseases such as Covid19 (Commericalized), Tuberculosis and Human Papiloma virus.