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PARLIAMENT QUESTION

Sub: LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION Dy. No. S8144 regarding 'Alzheimer's Disease' – for reply on 19.03.2025.

- (a) *The details of Government funding allocated in during the last three years for research on Alzheimer's disease and other neurodegenerative disorders;*
- (b) *If so, the details thereof;*
- (c) *Whether additional finding or grants are being considered to promote innovative research in this field, such as the work done by the Bose Institute;*
- (d) *If so, the details thereof,*
- (e) *The initiatives undertaken to translate such research into affordable and accessible treatments for the public?*

Answer

Point-wise inputs submitted by Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Trivandrum (SCTIMST)

(a) and (b) - ICMR, DBT and DST- under SERB & CSRI have over the years considerably supported projects in the area of Alzheimer's disease. The details of the same are best provided by the respective funding agencies. Rehabilitative measures to improve quality of life have also emerged. Targeted disease modifying treatments which slow down progression but do not completely cure the disease are approved for use in Western countries and pharma industry is looking at bringing it into India as well.

(c) (d) & (e) - The details not available with SCTIMST.

