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Government of India
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
(EHS Section)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated: 11-07-2025

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub:-Delegation of authority to the Secretaries of Lok-Sabha/ Rajya Sabha Secretariat for reimbursement of medical claim of sitting MPs.

Attention is drawn to an OM No- 3749/2005/CGHS(P) dated 26.04.2006, whereby powers were delegated to Secretary General of Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha to reimburse the medical claims of sitting MPs irrespective of monetary limits in relaxation of existing CGHS guidelines/provisions and such cases are not to be referred to the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.

However, cases are still being referred to CGHS for clarification / admissibility as per CGHS rates/ permission for unlisted procedure and implants etc. Meanwhile Hon'ble MPs have been raising concerns in the House Committees about the unusual delay in settlements of MRCs of sitting MPs.

In order to streamline the procedure for settlement of MRCs of sitting MPs, contents of OM dated 26.04.2006 are being reiterated that:

"Powers have already been delegated to Secretary General of Lok Sabha/Rajya Sabha to reimburse the medical claim of sitting MPs irrespective of monetary limits in relaxation of existing CGHS guidelines/provisions and **such cases need not to be referred to the MOHFW.**

The same may be exercised for timely settlement of Medical claims of Sitting MPs.

This issues with the approval of competent authority

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Date: 11-07-2025

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UNDER SECRETARY

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To

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No. 3749/2005-Health

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Ministry of Health & Family Welfare

(Department of Health)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated the 26 April 2006.

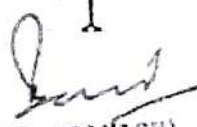
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Subject: Delegation of authority to the Secretaries of Lok Sabha/Rajya Sabha Secretariat for reimbursement of medical claims of sitting MPs.

The undersigned is directed to say that presently Members of Parliament and members of their families are eligible to avail medical facilities under Central Government Health Scheme. The Joint Committee on Salaries and Allowances of Members of Parliament has recommended that Members of Parliament may be reimbursed actual amount of medical expenses irrespective of the scheme applied to them. The Committee also observed that the procedure for reimbursement of medical bills of MPs be simplified and Lok Sabha/Rajya Sabha Secretariats may be made nodal Departments for dealing with the cases of reimbursement of medical expenses of the MPs on the pattern of facilities extended to the Supreme Court Judges.

2. The recommendation of the Committee of Parliament was examined in the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare and the undersigned is directed to convey the decision of the Ministry to delegate the authority to Secretary Generals of Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha to reimburse the medical claims of sitting MPs, irrespective of monetary limits in relaxation of existing CGHS guidelines/provisions and such cases need not be referred to the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.

3. This issues with the approval of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare and Integrated Finance Division vide their Dy.No. C-51 dated 19.4.2006.


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UNDER SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF INDIA.

TO

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2. Director (Admn.)
(Attn: Mr. P.R. Goha Roy).

Rajya Sabha Secretariat,

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