

### **Action Taken Report**

The Commission received a petition from the villagers of Khanpur village, P.S. Murarai, Dist. Birbhum wherein allegations were made against one Mujibar Rahman who was practicing as a quack in the village. It was further alleged that the said quack medical practitioner Mujibar Rahman was also collecting medicines which has expired through agents from different sources including government hospitals. The Commission admitted the matter and directed District Magistrate, Birbhum to conduct an enquiry and submit report.

A report was submitted by the Birbhum District Administration admitting that the quack doctor Mujibar Rahman had been practicing in Khanpur without having any valid degree. The District administration further requested the CMOH, Birbhum to take necessary action to stop such illegal practice. CMOH, Birbhum issued a warning letter to Mujibar Rahman to stop the illegal practice with immediate effect and an FIR was lodged against him. Health camps with medical officers and medical supervisor were organized for awareness and sensitization of the people regarding the menace of quack practice. The Commission considering the reports examined ADM, General and CMOH, Birbhum. Finally the Commission recommended as follows:-

- i) Principal Secretary, Health Department should make an all out effort for filling up of the vacancies in the posts of Medical Officers in the district of Birbhum.
- ii) The Commission also recommends similar action to fill up all vacancies in the posts of doctors and para

medical staff in the State should be initiated by the Health Departments on an emergent basis so that adequate medical aid and care can be made available to the suffering public without any difficulty.

By a letter dated 11.05.2015 the Commission has been informed that 79 numbers of DGMO, 7 numbers of BMOH and 17 numbers of specialists in all 103 medical officers have been newly recruited and appointed in the district of Birbhum.

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