

BIHAR HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

9, Bailey Road, Patna

File No. BHRC/Comp. 4665/2014

(Suo Motu Cognizance)

Subject: High Court judge made to buy thermometer, gifts 50 to IGIMS

24.11.2014

In its issue of 24th November, 2014 the Hindustan Times has reported that hospital has not even the basic equipments like thermometers, stethoscopes and blood pressure measuring machines in one of the prestigious hospitals of Patna, namely, Indira Gandhi Institute of Medical Sciences (IGIMS). If the facts given in the news item titled "High Court judge made to buy thermometer, gifts 50 to IGIMS" are true then it is of a serious concern because the state is bound to provide basic health care to its citizens. An institution of the magnitude which is spread over 135 acres of land is expected to have a thermometer, a stethoscope etc.

Director-in-Chief, Health Services will report as to whether the hospital has minimum basic infrastructure and if not what are the reasons.

Put up on 19.12.2014.

Copy of the newspaper cutting be sent to him.

(Justice Bilal Nazki)
Chairperson