

## Bill to create super medical authority tabled

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NEW DELHI: The government on Thursday introduced in the Rajya Sabha a Bill to create what is being described as a super medical authority by scrapping all other regulatory bodies. The National Commission for Human Resources for Health Bill, 2011, introduced by Union health minister Ghulam Nabi Azad, proposes to bring all independent bodies such as Medical Council of India (MCI), Dental Council of India (DCI), Pharmacy Council of India and Nursing Council of India under the new authority.

The Bill seeks to consolidate the law in certain disciplines of health sector and promote human resources in that sector and provide for mechanism for the determination, maintenance, coordination and regulation of standards of health education across the country.