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Oxygen shortage: PAC chief hits out at govt

BENGALURU, DHNS: Public Accounts Committee chairperson and senior Congress leader H K Patil on Wednesday lambasted the BJP government on the shortage of oxygen during the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic.

"Even as problems concern-

ing ambulances, beds and staff shortage are yet to be resolved, there's now a problem with oxygen," Patil told reporters. Patil said the government gave the oxygen supply contract to Gujarat's Mehta company. "But the company is yet to supply oxygen. There are 24,500 pa-

tients who need oxygen in the state. Of them, 1,000 cannot do without it. But, the government has just 12,000 oxygen beds. Despite four months of lockdown, the government has made no preparation." He said people were suffering because of the government's mismanagement.