any such aerodrome as international airport is taken ordinarily on the basis of location, quantum of international traffic, availability of convenient international connections, etc.

At present four airports viz., Delhi, Bombay, Calcutta and Madras, have been declared international airports.

[Translation]

Dysentery Deaths

3464. SHRI KALI PRASAD PANDEY: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the cases of deaths State-wise during the last one year due to bacillary dysentery; and

(b) the steps taken by Government to control this disease?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MIN-ISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) The requisite information is given in the statement below.

(b) The Central and State Governments are taking adequate steps for the control of diarroheal diseases. The Government of India also launched ORT Programme for the management of acute diarroheal diseases in the country which is being expanded in a phased manner during 7th Plan to reduce the morbidity and mortality due to acute diarroheal diseases. Specific treatments are available in the Primary Health Centres, Dispensaries and Hospitals depending on the causative Organisms. There is no shortage of drugs reported from any-where. Emphasis has been laid for the supply of pure drinking water in the problem villages by the end of the 7th Plan period. Construction of sanitary privies is being encouraged in the rural areas by community participation. Health education efforts are being augmented. All outbreaks are being investigated by the State Health Authorities and unsafe drinking water supplied are being chlorinated.

STATEMENT

States/U.Ts.	Cases	Deaths	Period upto
1	2	3	+
Andhra Pradesh	585588	32	November
Assam	412486	100	November
Bihar	13801	17	August
Gujarat	111666	42	October
Haryana	251851	94	October
Himachal Pradesh	273604	14	July
Jammu & Kashmir	362718	14	December
Karnataka	293335	22	July
Kerala	668851	60	November
Madhya Pradesh	706517	213	October
Maharashtra	989989	164	November
Manipur	3312	-	June
Meghalaya	22723	23	September
Nagaland	5546	1	July
Orissa	584763	123	June
Punjab	428935	16	November
Rajasthan	100467	103	December
Sikkim	12465	5	October

Reported cases and Deaths due to Dysentery during 1987

Written Answers

1	2	3	4
Tamil Nadu	349/2	23	July
Tripura	22350	6	October
Uttar Pradesh	273835	266	December
West Bengal	+	· +	
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	+	+	
Arunachal Pradesh	· 86443	16	November
Chandigarh	21898	•	September
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	17013	-	November
Delhi	190029	60	December
Goa	4076	-	August
Lakshadweep	5513	2	October
Mizoram	13401	9	December
Pondicherry	55661	18	December
INDIA TOTAL	6551808	1441	

-- = Nil

+ = Not available

1. Data is provisional and not comparable due to ill defined coverage.

Source: CBHI

[English]

Impact of Boom Town Effect on Mining Project

3465. SHRI HANNAN MOLLAH: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have made any survey to assess the impact of the boom-town effect, offshoot of mining projects in the country, on the local population resulting in income disparities between local population and migrated trained manpower in that area; and

(b) if so, the outcome of the survey?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MIN-ISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI): (a) and (b). No, Sir. No specific survey has been conducted to assess the boom-town effect due to mining operations. It is, however, generally observed that mining projects are located in tar flung rural areas where the income level is low and, therefore, the influx of outsiders creates economic and social disparities.

Development of Railway Stations in Kerala

3466. SHRI K. MOHANDAS: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the names of railway stations proposed to be developed in Kerala in 1988; and

(b) the details of the works to be done on these stations?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MIN-ISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) 8 Stations viz., Quilon, Alwaye, Trichur, Iravipuram, Punalur, Kottarakara, Payyanur and Palghat, in Kerala are proposed to be developed in 1988.

(b) The details of the works to be done at these stations are as follows: