Education Officers in Railways

419. **Pandit D. N. Tiwary:** Will the Minister of **Railways** be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some posts of Education Officers have been created and sanctioned by the Railway Board;

(b) if so, what will be the precise duty and emoluments of these officers; and

(c) the necessity of creating these new posts?

The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan): (a) Yes.

(b) These officers will draw pay in the scale of Rs. 600—1,150. The duties of the Education Officers would be to generally supervise the arrangements in the Railway schools, to ensure the proper functioning of the schools in accordance with the policies of State Governments and to advise the General Managers on matters concerning schooling facilities for Railwaymen's children.

(c) At present the mangement of Railway Educational Schools is vested in local officers at places where the Schools are situated as an honorary charge in addition to their regular railway duties. The direction of the schools has been rendered difficult in view of the various changes that are continuously being introduced in the educational systems of the various State Governments and the advances that are being made in enlarging the facilities for education upto the Secondary Schools. It was felt that an internal agency or machinery, with a properly equipped Educational Organisation at the Headquarters of the Railway Administrations which is fully conversant with the developments in the field of education, was desirable for directing the running of the Railway schools on proper lines.

मध्य-प्रदेश में कृषि और पशु-चिकित्सा कालेज

४२०. **श्री ल० चं० सोधिया** : क्या खाद्य और कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) भूतपूर्व मध्य-प्रदेश सरकार को राज्य के कृषि और पशु-चिकित्सा कालेजों में सुविधाओं की वृद्धि करने के लिये १९५५-५६ में क्या कोई अनुदान दिया गया था ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो कृषि और पशु-चिकित्सा कालेजों को कितनी-कितनी राशियां दी गई ;

(ग) क्या पुनर्गठित मध्य-प्रदेश राज्य को इस वर्ष कोई ऐसा अनुदान दिया जा रहा है ; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो प्रत्येक प्रकार के कालेजों को अनुदान की कितनी कितनी राशि दी जा रही है ?

खाद्य तथा कृषि मंत्री (श्री अ० प्र० जैन) : (क) जी नहीं ।

(ख) प्रश्न नहीं होता ।

(ग) और (घ) भारत सरकार ने पुनर्गठित मध्य प्रदेश राज्य को मऊ में एक नयी पशु चिकित्सा कालेज के स्थापन के लिये तथा ग्वालियर के वर्तमान कृषि कालेज में शिक्षण की सुविधायें बढ़ाने के लिये वित्तीय सहायता देना मान लिया है । वित्तीय सहायता के विषय में मानी हुई शैली के अनुसार, भारत सरकार कुल अनावर्तक व्यय का ७५ प्रतिशत हिस्सा अनुदान के रूप में और २५ प्रतिशत हिस्सा ऋण के रूप में देगी बशर्ते कि दी जाने वाली उच्चतम राशि (ceiling) नयी पशु चिकित्सा कालेज के लिये ३० लाख रुपये और वर्तमान कृषि कालेज के बढ़ाने के लिये ८ लाख रुपये होगी ।

N.E.S. and Community Projects

421. **Shri K. C. Sodhia:** Will the Minister of **Community Development** be pleased to state what were the original recommendations of the Community Project Administration in regard to the method to be adopted by State Governments to assess the results achieved so far of all activities undertaken in National Extension and Community Projects?

The Minister of Community Development (Shri S. K. Dey): These are contained in Chapters VI and VII of the Draft Manual on Administrative Intelligence issued by the Community Projects Administration, copies of which are available in the Lok Sabha library.