

[*Translation*]**Faizabad Bye-pass on National Highway No. 28**

3622. SHRI MITRASEN YADAV: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the construction work of the Faizabad Bye-pass on National Highway No. 28 is lying incomplete;

(b) if so, the reasons for not completing the construction work of this road in time;

(c) whether Government propose to provide additional funds in view of the slow pace of the construction work resulting in traffic congestion and day to day road accidents; and

(d) if so, the time by which the work is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI K.P. UNNIKRISHNAN): (a) to (c). Construction of Faizabad Bypass has been taken up in phases. Earthwork and culverts (Phase-I) are in an advanced stage of completion. For the remaining work of

road pavement and 3 Road Over bridges (Phase-II), there is a provision of Rs. 500.00 lakhs in the Annual Programme 1990-91.

(d) It is too early to indicate time by which the bypass is likely to be completed as the work of Phase-II are yet to be sanctioned.

[*English*]**Cost of Production of Sugarcane**

3623. SHRI ANANTRAO DESHMUKH: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state the cost of production of sugarcane in various States, State-wise during 1989-90 and 1990-91?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI NITISH KUMAR): Estimates of cost of production of agricultural crops are generated after processing the data received from field agencies located in various States. The process takes about two years. However, the latest data available on the cost of production of sugarcane in various States is given in the attached Statement.

**STATEMENT***Cost of Production of Sugarcane Per Quintal in Different States**(Rs. per Qtl.)*

Sl. No.	State	Latest Year	Cost of Production
1	2	3	4
1.	Andhra Pradesh	1987-88	23.24
2.	Bihar	1983-84	13.25
3.	Haryana	1986-87	12.12