

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

Central Investment in Kerala

4057. PROF. P.J. KURIEN:
SHRI S. KRISHNA KUMAR:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government of Kerala has sent some proposals recently seeking Central investment in the industrial sector in the State;

(b) if so, the details of the proposals; and

(c) the reaction of the Union Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI BHAGEY GOBARDHAN): (a) to (c). Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Central Investment in Public Sector

4058. SHRI NATHU SINGH: Will the

PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the percentage of amount invested by the Union Government in Public Sector Units in different States;

(b) whether any guidelines/criteria was followed in this regard; if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether Government are considering to invest more amount in Public Units of Rajasthan; if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI BHAGEY GOBARDHAN): (a) The State-wise details of investment in terms of gross block in the Central public sector enterprises as on 31st March, 1989 are available at page 22 of Volume-I of Public Enterprises Survey 1988-89 placed on the Table of the House on 15.3.1990.

(b) Investments in Central public sector enterprises are made on techno-economic considerations keeping in view also the need for balanced regional development.

(c) The Eighth Plan proposals are still under consideration. The major schemes proposed are as under:—

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of PSE/Project</i>	<i>Total Outlay</i>
1	2	3
1.	Hindustan Zinc Ltd. Rampura, Agucha and Chanderiya for mines and smelter	Rs.600 crores
2.	Hindustan Copper Ltd. Pollution Control measures at Khetri, Rajasthan	Rs. 20 crores

Apart from the above two projects, Pyrites, Phosphates & Chemicals Ltd., have been given first stage clearance to study the

tecno-economic feasibility for setting up an SSP Union in Rajasthan.