

(c) whether the agenda for the State Housing Ministers' Conference has been finalised?

**The Minister of Works and Housing (Shri Mehr Chand Khanna):** (a) It is being continuously impressed upon the State Governments that they should provide adequate funds in their Annual Plans for Housing Schemes so as to utilise fully the provision made for "Housing" in their Third Five Year Plans.

(b) Yes. Some of the States have made this suggestion.

(c) Not yet. We hope to finalise it soon.

नेशन को भारत की सहायता

- \* 351. { श्री श्रीकार लाल बेरदा :  
 श्री पुद्गल :  
 श्री रामेश्वर टांटिया :  
 श्री त्रिभूति मिश्र :  
 श्री क० ना० तिवारी :  
 श्री नवल प्रभाकर :  
 श्री विद्वध नाथ राय :  
 श्री ब्रजेश्वर प्रसाद :

क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि नेपाल की एक करोड़ रुपये का ऋण देने के बारे में भारत और नेपाल के बीच एक करार हुआ है ; और

(ख) यदि हाँ, तो करार की शर्तें क्या हैं तथा इसका किस रूप में पुनर्भुगतान होगा ?

योजना मंत्री (श्री ब० र० भगत) :  
 (क) जी, हाँ ।

(ख) इस करार के अनुसार भारत सरकार, नेपाल सरकार को नेपाल में कारखानों की स्थापना में सहायता देने के लिये भारतीय रुपये में एक करोड़ रुपये तक की

रकम का ऋण देने के लिये सहमत हो गयी है । यह ऋण 15 वार्षिक किस्तों में वापस किया जायेगा और इसकी व्याज की दर 3 प्रतिशत वार्षिक होगी ।

#### Tour By Indus Commission

- \*352. { **Shri Rameshwar Tantia;**  
**Shri Gokulananda Mohanty;**  
**Shri Rama Chandra Mallick;**  
**Shri Ram Sewak;**  
**Shri P. G. Sen:**

Will the Minister of Irrigation and Power be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the permanent Indus Commission undertook a tour of inspection of the Jhelum, Chenab and Ravi Rivers in Pakistan under the Indus Waters Treaty;

(b) if so, how many works were inspected;

(c) whether any report has been submitted to the Union Government; and

(d) if so, the nature thereof and reaction of Government thereto?

**The Minister of Irrigation and Power (Dr. K. L. Rao):** (a). Yes, Sir, the last tour undertaken was from 16th October to 25th October, 1964.

(b) Seven works and five sites of proposed dams and Hydro-electric plants.

(c) No report as such was submitted by the Commission after its tour of inspection; only a copy of Record of the Tour was submitted.

(d) Does not arise.

#### Ministry of Irrigation and Power:

\*353. **Shri Yashpal Singh:** Will the Minister of Irrigation and Power be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is proposed to bifurcate the present Ministry of Irrigation