

(b) As import and export of gold are banned in India, there is no direct relationship between foreign and Indian price trends.

(c) Does not arise.

Contraceptives Factory

*263. { Shri D. N. Tiwary:
Shri Bhagwat Jha Azad:
Shri Yashpal Singh:
Shri Ramachandra Ulaka:
Shri Dhuleshwar Meena:
Shri Chandak:

Will the Minister of Health be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 278 on the 21st November, 1964 and state:

(a) whether a decision has since been taken on the proposal to set up a factory in the Public Sector for manufacturing contraceptives;

(b) if so, the place of its location; and

(c) when it is likely to be set up?

The Minister of Health (Dr. Sushila Nayar): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The factory for rubber contraceptives will be set up in the State of Kerala.

(c) In the last year of the current Plan.

U.S. Loan to Industrial Finance Corporation

*264. { Shri Sham Lal Saraf:
Maharajkumar Vijaya
Ananda:
Shri Vishwa Nath Pandey:

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

(a) whether the U.S. Government have extended a loan of ten million dollars to the Industrial Finance Corporation to enable it to make foreign exchange available to the Indian industrialists;

(b) if so, the specific purpose supposed to be served with this loan and

whether funds available under it will be advanced to the industries on selective basis; and

(c) if so, the broad outlines thereof?

The Minister of Planning (Shri B. R. Bhagat): (a) The United States Agency for International Development has authorized a loan of \$10.0 million to the Industrial Finance Corporation but the loan agreement is yet to be signed.

(b) and (c). The loan will be utilised by I.F.C. for making sub-loans to categories of industries in the private sector that will be agreed upon mutually between the I.F.C. and U.S. Agency for International Development.

Mineral Based Industry

*265. { Shri R. S. Pandey:
Shri H. V. Koujalgi:
Shri Rameshwar Tantia:
Shri Kapur Singh:
Shri P. K. Deo:
Shri Narasimha Reddy:

Will the Minister of Planning be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a pre-investment techno-economic depth Survey sponsored by the Planning Commission has started with the mineral and forest based industries in the States of Mysore and Madhya Pradesh;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the services of a team of experts from United Nations have also been obtained for the purpose; and

(c) if so, how far the survey has progressed so far and whether it is likely to cover the remaining States in the country?

The Minister of Planning (Shri B. R. Bhagat): (a) and (b). Yes.

(c) The leader of the team has arrived in India and he is having pre-

liminary discussions with the State Government. At present the Survey will cover the States of Mysore and Madhya Pradesh only.

प्रति व्यक्ति व्यय पर अधिकतम सीमा

{ डा० राम मनोहर लोहिया :
* 266. { श्री रामसेवक यादव :
{ श्री किशन पटनायक :

क्या योजना मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या चौथी योजना के दौरान में विकास कार्यों के लिए धन जुटाने के उद्देश्य से प्रति व्यक्ति व्यय पर अधिकतम सीमा लगाने का कोई प्रस्ताव विचाराधीन है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसकी मुख्य बातें क्या हैं ; और

(ग) यदि नहीं, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं ?

योजना मंत्री (श्री ब० रा० भगत) :

(क) चौथी योजना के लिए साधन जुटाने के उद्देश्य से सापेक्षतया अनावश्यक खर्च पर रोक लगाने के लिए विभिन्न सम्भावनाएं विचाराधीन हैं। इस प्रक्रिया में जिन सम्भावित उपायों पर विचार किया जायेगा उनमें प्रति व्यक्ति-व्यय पर अधिकतम सीमा लगाने की उपयुक्तता तथा व्यवहार्यता भी होगी।

(ख) और (ग). प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

Willingdon Hospital

*267. { Shri Bishwanath Roy:
{ Shrimati Savitri Nigam:

Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state:

(a) whether in view of the increasing number of patients and the beds in the Nursing Home, special ward

and the general ward of Willingdon Hospital, New Delhi, any proposal is under consideration for constructing new rooms and wards in the hospital during the Fourth Plan period;

(b) whether to provide more accommodation to the medical and nursing staff, construction of more family quarters is under consideration of the Government; and

(c) whether the medical and nursing staff is not sufficient in view of the number of patients?

The Minister of Health (Dr. Sushila Nayar): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Staff requirements are constantly kept in view depending on the bed strength etc. Proposals for creation of more posts for the Willingdon Hospital are under consideration.

Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation

*268. { Shri Indrajit Gupta:
{ Shri Daji:
{ Shri Mohammad Elias:

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

(a) whether Government have received any proposal from the West Bengal Government about taking over the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation after the expiry of present licence in 1970; and

(b) the policy of Government about taking over the undertaking?

The Minister of Irrigation and Power (Dr. K. L. Rao): (a) A proposal in this connection was received by the Government of India from the Government of West Bengal in January, 1963.

(b) The Government of India are of the view that the State Government should follow the general policy of not acquiring undertakings like