

First Five Year Plan Expenditure

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Will the Minister of Planning be pleased to lay a statement showing the reasons for the shortfall in the First Five Year Plan expenditure in respect of each State?

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Labour and Employment and Planning (Shri L. N. Mishra): Attention is invited to Chapter II of the Review of the First Five Year Plan Performance in different sectors in the States as well as at the Centre has been assessed in this Review and reasons for shortfalls have been given as far as possible. Shortfalls in actual expenditure as compared to provisions made in a five-year plan may arise on account of a variety of reasons, such as delay in the training of personnel, non-availability of personnel, non-availability of equipment, inadequacy of financial resources, time taken to complete negotiations changes in details of programmes etc. In relation to specific shortfalls in expenditure, specific reasons can be furnished.

श्री रघुनथ सिंह क्या मैं जान सकता हूँ कि उत्तर प्रदेश के चीफ मिनिस्टर साहब ने एक बयान दिया है जिसको मंत्री महोदय ने स्टेट्समैन में देखा होगा, कि रुपया न मिलने के कारण उत्तर प्रदेश में योजना का काम ठीक तरह से नहीं हो सका, यह ठीक है ?

श्री ल० ना० मिश्र मैं ने उस बयान को ग्राज देखा है, लेकिन वह तो प्रथम पंच-वर्षीय योजना के बारे में है ।

Shri Shree Narayan Das. A number of reasons have been enumerated by the hon Parliamentary Secretary. What steps have been taken to see that in future, in the Second Plan, these things do not stand in the way?

Shri L. N. Mishra: Some concrete measures have been taken to guard against these things I may state some of them. The planning machinery has been better organised in the different States and better co-ordination between the departments of finance and development has been achieved to expedite sanction of schemes as quickly as possible. The procedure of obtaining Central assistance by the States has been rationalised. Prompt steps are taken for investigation, etc of the major irrigation projects. Some other measures are under contemplation.

Shri Heda. What is the State that has done best and what is the State that has done worst in showing results so far as the expenditure on the First Plan is concerned?

Shri L. N. Mishra: The States of Bihar and PEPSU are reported to have done very well. It is difficult for me to say the States that have not done well.

श्री कृषावधन राय उत्तर प्रदेश के मुख्य मंत्री की जो बात कही गई क्या मैं उसके बारे में जान सकता हूँ कि उनका बयान इस वित्तीय वर्ष के बारे में है और उन्होंने कहा है कि जितना रुपया खर्च करना है उतना उनके पास नहीं है ?

श्री ल० ना० मिश्र यह तो उन्होंने प्रथम पंच वर्षीय योजना के बारे में कहा था, लेकिन जहाँ तक १९५७-५८ का सवाल है, केन्द्रीय सरकार में जो देने का वायदा किया है वह देगी ।

श्री राधे लाल व्यास क्या मैं जान सकता हूँ कि भविष्य में काम में रूकावट न हो और योजना पूरी हो, इसके लिये कोई ऐसा प्रबन्ध किया गया है कि यह देखा जाये कि क्या रास्ते ब्रह्मियार किये गये हैं और प्रति वर्ष खर्च पूरा होता है या नहीं और अगर नहीं पूरा होता है तो उसके क्या कारण हैं । क्या इस सब की रिम्बू करने के लिये

और जो कारण रूकानटें डालते हैं उनको दूर करने के लिये कोई व्यवस्था की गई है ?

श्री ल० ना० मिश्र : माननीय सदस्य को ज्ञात होगा कि पंच वर्षीय योजना के भीतर एक वार्षिक योजना भी बनायी जाती है जिसके द्वारा हर साल के काम की जाच की जाती है और देखा जाता है कि कहा तक प्रगति हो सकी है ।

श्री बिभूति मिश्र : मैं जानना चाहता हूँ कि प्रथम पंचवर्षीय योजना में किस स्टेट में प्रबल दर्जे का काम हुआ है, किस स्टेट में दूसरे दर्जे का, किसमें तीसरे दर्जे का, किस में चौथे दर्जे का और किस स्टेट में सब से ज्यादा साराब काम हुआ है ?

श्री ल० ना० मिश्र : अभी मैं ने देखा साहब के सवाल का जबाब दिया है उसको माननीय सदस्य ने सुना होगा ।

श्री बिभूति मिश्र : उस उत्तर में तो केवल यही बतलाया गया है कि पेप्सू और बिहार में प्रच्छा काम हुआ है । लेकिन कहा पर साराब काम हुआ है यह तो नहीं बतलाया गया है ।

श्री ल० ना० मिश्र : जो पिछली पंचवर्षीय योजना की रिपोर्ट निकली है उसमें माननीय सदस्य पार्योगे कि दो तीन स्टेटो में काम प्रच्छा नहीं है और एक दो स्टेटो में काम प्रच्छा है ।

Retrenched Personnel

*892. Pandit D. N. Tiwary: Will the Minister of Labour and Employment be pleased to state.

(a) whether alternative appointments to all the retrenched personnel of Ordnance Factories under the Ministry of Defence and for those retrenched from the river valley projects have been found, and

(b) if not the number still to be employed?

The Deputy Minister of Labour (Shri Abid Ali): (a) No

(b) Out of 5,356 persons retrenched from the various Ordnance Factories under the Ministry of Defence and 2,808 retrenched from the Damodar Valley Corporation, there still remain 275 and 187 persons respectively who are in need of employment assistance.

Pandit D. N. Tiwary: May I know whether it is a fact that many of the persons who were offered alternative employment have refused and whether there is any political bias behind it?

Shri Abid Ali: That has not come to our notice. Some have refused but for other reasons.

Pandit D. N. Tiwary: May I know whether the remaining persons who have not been given alternative employment are likely to get any Government job?

Shri Abid Ali: Efforts are being made to find alternative employment.

Shri B. S. Murthy: Of the people who have been given employment, how many have been given employment under the Government? How many have been shown employed in private firms?

Shri Abid Ali: Some got employment in non-Governmental institutions also but their number is very small.

Shri T. B. Vittal Rao: When these people are given alternative employment in Government service, are their previous services taken into account?

Shri Abid Ali: I want notice.

Dr. K. B. Menon: May I know—if my question is not outside the scope of the present question—whether the Minister is aware that this question is much more widespread in other departments also and whether he is sympathetically considering the placing of these displaced persons to whom assurances have been given?

Shri Abid Ali: I did not quite catch the question.