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HOUSE OF THE PEOPLE

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The House met at a Quarter Past Eight of the Clock.

[MR. SPEAKER in the Chair]

ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

PRIMARY EDUCATION

*266. **Shri M. L. Dwivedi:** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to place on the Table of the House a copy of the recommendations of the Central Advisory Board of Education in connection with the changing over of primary education to basic education and state:

(a) the steps being taken to implement the recommendations;

(b) by what time the scheme is likely to take shape; and

(c) the approximate amount of expenditure which may be needed in this connection?

The Minister of Communications (Shri Jagjivan Ram): A copy of the recommendations made by the Central Advisory Board of Education at its Nineteenth meeting held in March 1952 is placed on the Table of the House. [See Appendix II, annexure No. 7 (ii).]

Copies of the Board's Report on Post War Educational Development in India 1944 are also available in the library of the House.

(a) to (c). A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix II, annexure No. 7 (ii).]

श्री एम० एल० द्विवेदी : क्या माननीय मंत्री महोदय यह बतलाने की कृपा करेंगे कि ऐसे कौन कौन से राज्य भारत

वर्ष में हैं जिन में कि बेसिक ऐजुकेशन के सिलसिले में काम किया जा रहा है ।

[**Shri M. L. Dwivedi:** Would the hon. Minister kindly state the names of States of India in which work is in progress in regard to basic education?]

श्री जगजीवन राम : पार्ट सी कतिपय स्टेट्स को छोड़कर प्रायः सभी राज्यों में ।

[**Shri Jagjivan Ram:** All of them excepting a few Part 'C' States.]

श्री एम० एल० द्विवेदी : क्या कोई ऐसी पार्ट सी स्टेट भी है, मसलन् दिल्ली, जहां कि बेसिक ऐजुकेशन के सिलसिले में काम किया जा रहा है ।

[**Shri M. L. Dwivedi:** Is there any Part 'C' State, for example, Delhi in which some work is being done in regard to basic education?]

श्री जगजीवन राम : हां, यहां कुछ काम हो रहा है ।

[**Shri Jagjivan Ram:** Yes, some work is being done here.]

श्री एम० एल० द्विवेदी : बेसिक ऐजुकेशन के कितने स्कूल होंगे ?

[**Shri M. L. Dwivedi:** What is the number of schools imparting basic education?]

श्री जगजीवन राम : यह तो नोटिस देने पर बतलाया जा सकता है ।

[**Shri Jagjivan Ram:** That would require notice.]

पंडित सी० ऐन० मालवीय : सी स्टेट्स को इस स्कीम से छोड़ देने का क्या कारण है।

[Pandit C. N. Malviya: What is the reason for leaving out Part 'C' States from the operation of this scheme?]

श्री जगजीवन राम : प्रायः सभी राज्यों ने बुनियादी तालीम के उसूलों को स्वीकार कर लिया है। जैसे जैसे उनकी आर्थिक परिस्थिति अनुकूल होती जाती है वे इसको अपने राज्यों में चलाने की चेष्टा करते हैं।

[Shri Jagjivan Ram: Almost all States have accepted the principles of basic education. They try to put it into operation according as their economic condition improves.]

श्री एम० एल० द्विवेदी : क्या सैंकंडरी ऐजुकेशन को और प्राइमरी ऐजुकेशन को बेसिक ऐजुकेशन में बदलने के लिये इस वर्ष सरकार ने कोई रकम मुकर्रर की है ?

[Shri M. L. Dwivedi: Have the Government set apart any amount this year for replacing secondary and primary education with basic education?]

श्री जगजीवन राम : जी हां, कुछ रकम मुकर्रर की है। अगला एक सवाल आयेगा जिस में इस का जवाब विस्तार से दिया जायगा।

[Shri Jagjivan Ram: Yes Sir, some money has been set apart. Another question is coming before the House, in answer to which details in this connection would be given.]

पंडित सी० ऐन० मालवीय : क्या माननीय मंत्री महोदय यह बतलाने की कृपा करेंगे कि सी० राज्यों में से अभी तक किन किन राज्यों में ऐसा करने की चेष्टा की जा रही है।

[Pandit C. N. Malviya: Would the hon. Minister kindly state as to which of the Part 'C' States are trying to proceed on these lines?]

श्री जगजीवन राम : यह तो सूचना मिलने पर बतलाया जा सकता है।

[Shri Jagjivan Ram: That would require notice.]

सेठ गोविन्द दास : भिन्न भिन्न राज्यों को क्या इस सम्बन्ध में कोई सहायता केन्द्रीय सरकार से मिल रही है।

[Seth Govind Das: Are the different States receiving any help from the Centre?]

श्री जगजीवन राम : हां सहायता देने की बात तो है।

[Shri Jagjivan Ram: Yes, this is under consideration.]

श्री जांगड़े : क्या माननीय मंत्री महोदय बतलायेंगे कि माध्यमिक शालाओं में बुनियादी शिक्षा देने का सरकार विचार कर रही है ?

[Shri Jangde: Would the hon. Minister kindly state whether the Government are considering the question of imparting basic education in middle schools?]

श्री जगजीवन राम : यह तो बोर्ड की सिफारिश को आप पढ़ेंगे तो आपको साफ़ मालूम हो जायगा।

[Shri Jagjivan Ram: That can be known by perusing the recommendations of the Board.]

RIVER VALLEY PROJECTS

*267. Shri Hukam Singh: Will the Minister of Natural Resources and Scientific Research be pleased to state:

(a) whether any Indian engineers were sent abroad during the year 1951-52 for advanced training in subjects relating to river valley projects under the Commonwealth UNESCO and Point Four Technical Assistance programmes: and

(b) whether any experts from other countries have arrived in India to assist in the execution of the various projects in India?

The Minister of Planning and River Valley Schemes (Shri Nanda): (a) Yes, Sir. Eleven Engineers were sent abroad during 1951-52 for training.

(b) Yes, Sir. Ten experts have arrived in 1951-52.

Shri Hukam Singh: To what countries have these Engineers been sent, Sir?