

whether it is due to the fact that the wages are not paid or the wages that are given to the workers in these road works are at starvation level?

**Shri Datar:** I cannot accept the implications of this question.

## WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

### RESEARCH SCHEMES

**\*2621. Shri Krishnacharya Joshi:** Will the Minister of Natural Resources and Scientific Research be pleased to state the main research schemes undertaken by the various universities and research institutes during 1955 on the basis of the grants-in-aid given by Council of Scientific and Industrial Research?

**The Minister of Natural Resources (Shri K. D. Malaviya):** A statement showing the research schemes undertaken by the universities and research institutes during 1955-56 on the basis of grants-in-aid given by the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix XV, annexure No. 35.]

### भूतत्ववीय सर्वेक्षण विभाग

**\*२६२२. श्री के० सी० सोषिया :** क्या प्राकृतिक संसाधन और वैज्ञानिक गवेषणा मंत्री निम्न आशय का एक विवरण सभा पटल पर रखने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) भूतत्ववीय विभाग में १९५४-५५ की तुलना में १९५५-५६ में कितने अतिरिक्त पदाधिकारियों की नियुक्ति की गई तथा उनके वेतन की दर क्या है; और

(ख) कर्मचारियों की संख्या बढ़ जाने के परिणाम स्वरूप विभिन्न राज्यों में क्या अतिरिक्त कार्यक्रम कार्यान्वित किये जा रहे हैं ?

**प्राकृतिक संसाधन मंत्री (श्री के० डी० मालवीय) :** (क) तथा (ख) आवश्यक जानकारीयों से युक्त एक विवरण पत्र सभा पटल पर प्रस्तुत किया जाता है [देखिये परिशिष्ट १५, अनुबन्ध सं० ३६] ।

## HOME MINISTRY

**\*2623. { Thakur Jugal Kishore Sinha :  
Shri Asthana :**

Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state the number of temporary posts in the Home Ministry which have since been converted into permanent ones after the instructions issued by the Finance Ministry?

**The Minister in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Datar):** No temporary post in the Ministry of Home Affairs has been converted into a permanent one after the issue of the instructions by the Ministry of Finance in the matter but proposals in this regard have been sent to that Ministry.

### TECHNICAL EDUCATION IN TRAVANCORE-COCHIN

**\*2635. Shri Punnoose:** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government of Travancore-Cochin State have appointed an Enquiry Committee to report on the progress of Technical Education in the State ;

(b) if so, whether a copy of the report will be laid on the Table ; and

(c) if the report has not been received when Government expect to receive it ?

**The Deputy Minister of Education (Dr. M. M. Das) :** (a) to (c). The required information is being collected and will be placed on the Table of the House when received.

### TOURISM

**\*2641-A. Dr. J. N. Parekh :** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state whether there is any scheme to build youth hostels or similar institutions for development of tourism within the country ?

**The Deputy Minister of Education (Dr. M. M. Das) :** Yes Sir.