THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (PROF. P. J. KURIEN): (a) and (b) 69 Letters of Intent were issued during the period 1st January, 1990 to 1st April, 1991, for setting up of industries in Madhya Pradesh.

Details, such as name and address of the Undertaking, location, item(s) of manufacture and capacity in respect of all Letters of Intent are published regularly by the Indian Investment Centre in their "Monthly Newsletter". Copies of this publication are being sent to the Parliament Library regularly.

## Beneficiaries of Food Distribution

1992. SHRI VIJAY NAVAL PATIL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have plans to reduce the number of beneficiaries of food distribution through the Public Distribution System; if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the criteria fixed for providing benefits through Public Distribution System; and
- (c) whether the Government propose to safeguard the interest of Government servants, middle and low income groups due to reduction of beneficiaries in the Public Distribution System; if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED): (a) No, Sir.

- (b) The Public Distribution System is universal in nature. Central Government makes allotments to State Governments/UT Administrations, keeping in view factors like availability of stocks, demand of States/UTs market availability, inter-se requirements of States/UTs etc.
  - (c) Does not arise.

## Construction of Roads under JRY

1993. SHRI RAMESH CHENNI-THALA: Will the PRIME MINIS-TER be pleased to state:

- (a) the total kilometers of roads constructed under Jawahar Rozgar Yojana during the last year;
- (b) the total number of mandays created; and
- (c) the total amount allotted and spent, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DE-VELOPMENT (SHRI G. VENKAT SWAMY): (a) On the basis of reports received from the States and Union Territories so far, about 92150 kilometers of road were constructed under Jawahar Rozgar Yojana (JRY) during the year 1990-91.

- (b) About 8750 lakh mandays were generated under JRY during 1990-91.
- (c) Financial allocation for the year 1990-91, inclusive of matching share of States was Rs. 2627.80 crores. Reports furnished by the States and Union Territories indicate that the expenditure during the year was Rs. 2571.76 crores. State-wise details are given in the Statement.

## STATEMENT

## Construction of Roads under JRY

State-wise allocation of resources and amount spent under JRY during the year 1990-91

(Rs. in lakhs) Amount Amount State/U.T. SI. allocated Spent No. 3 4 1 2 18032.89 19166.20 Andhra Pradesh. 1. 208.77 330.67 Arunachal Pradesh 5648.57 5114.59 Assam