

jects for Trivandrum and Palghat Division during 1990-91 is as under :

| Sl. No.                          | Plan Head                                    | Palghat Division | Trivandrum Division |
|----------------------------------|--|------------------|---------------------|
| (Figures in thousands of Rupees) |  |                  |                     |
| 1.                               | New Lines . . . . .                          | —                | 26,72,11            |
| 2.                               | Doublings . . . . .                          | —                | 8,46,55             |
| 3.                               | Gauge Conversion . . . . .                   | —                | 26                  |
| 4.                               | Traffic facilities . . . . .                 | 2,67,75          | 4,81,20             |
| 5.                               | Computerisation . . . . .                    | 3,84             | 23,36               |
| 6.                               | Track renewal . . . . .                      | 34,30,44         | 4,94,92             |
| 7.                               | Bridges . . . . .                            | 3,23,59          | 36,49               |
| 8.                               | Signalling and Tele. Communication . . . . . | 1,11,98          | 39,25               |
| 9.                               | Other Electrical work . . . . .              | 12,31            | 6,46                |
| 10.                              | Workshop including Production Unit . . . . . | 86,01            | 25,75               |
| 11.                              | Staff Quarters . . . . .                     | 91,54            | 52,16               |
| 12.                              | Amenities for staff . . . . .                | 48,41            | 11,31               |
| 13.                              | Passenger amenities . . . . .                | 66,22            | 98,90               |
| 14.                              | Other specified work . . . . .               | 30,98            | 90,40               |
| TOTAL:— . . . . .                |  | 44,76,07         | 48,79,12            |

#### OIL EXPLORATION AT COCHIN HIGH

988. SHRI RAMESH CHENNITHALA : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government have dropped the Cochin-High Petroleum exploring project ; and

(b) if not, the details of the projects work ?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) : (a) and (b) : ONGC's exploration in the offshore Kerala-Konkan basin is continuing with the acquisition of 5121 LKM of seismic data in March-May, 1991.

#### SUPPLY OF COAL TO PARTIES BY CIL AND SALE OF SCRAP BY CCL

989. SHRI S. B. SINGH : Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state :

(a) the quantity and the manner in which the scrap has been sold by the Central Coalfields Limited ;

(b) whether the Government propose to review the present method of supply of coal to various industries through stockyards appointed by the Coal India Ltd. in order to give direct supply to the parties ; and

(c) if so, the details of the decision taken thereon ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI S. B. NYAMAGOUDA) : (a) As per the information given by the Central Coalfields