planting activities in Orissa during the last three years is given below:—

Year		Utilisation	Physical progress (in lakhs hectares)
	(Rs. in crores)		
1988-89	•	• 26.67	1.38
1989-90	•	· 27.19	0.84
1990-91	. •	• 25.46	0.68

## Litigation Cell of Directorate of Estates

4462. SHRI UTTAMRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of URBAN DE-VELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that some eviction cases which were withdrawn by the Directorate of Estates on the advice of their litigation cell were reopened after sometime during the last three years; and
- (b) if so the details and reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DE-VELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNA-CHALAM): (a) No, eviction cases are withdrawn on advice of the Litigation Cell.

(b) Does not arise.

[Translation]

## **Funds to Check Tuberculosis**

4463. SHRI GIRDHARI LAL BHARGAVA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WEL-FARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government allocate funds to each state Government to check Tuberculosis;
- (b) if so, the details of the assistance provided to Rajasthan Government during the last three years;

- (c) whether the assistance allocated to Rajasthan Government is sufficient to eradicate disease:
- (d) if not, whether Union Government propose to give more assistance to Rajasthan Government; and
  - (e) if so, how much?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI-MATI D. K. THARA DEVI SID-DHARTHA): (a) and (b) Under the National T.B. Control Programme, there is no provision for cash assistance to States. However as per the pattern of assistance, anti T.B. Drugs/ material and equipments are being provided to the T.B. Centres run by the States. Cost of anti T.B. Drugs/ material and equipments provided to State of Rajasthan during the last three years are as under:--

Year			Actual Expr. (Rs. in lakhs)	
1988-89 .			,	52.34
1989-90 .				51.65
1990-91 .				42.01

(c) to (e) Assistance provided in the form of anti T.B. Drugs/materials and equipments is as per the requirement of the District T.B. Centres in the State of Rajasthan for control of the disease.

## Social Forestry Programme in Rajasthan

4464. SHRI GIRDHARI LAL BHARGAVA: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether social forestry programme was started in scarcity districts during the Sixth Plan for providing basic and financial needs of society;