

Shri V. T. Patil:
 Shri J. S. Patil:
 Shri Kisan Veer:
 Shri Tulshidas Jadhav:
 Shri D. N. Tiwary:
 Shri Yashpal Singh:
 Shri Bishancharnder Seth:
 Shri Yallamanda Reddy:
 Shri Warlor:

Will the Minister of Irrigation and Power be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have finally considered the Gulhati Commission report on the distribution of waters of Krishna and Godavari rivers; and

(b) if so, when the report is likely to be implemented?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Irrigation and Power (Shri Alagesan): (a) The report is still under consideration of the Government.

(b) Does not arise.

Shri A. K. Gopalan: May I know whether any recommendations or opinions from the concerned States had been received? If so, what are they?

Shri Alagesan: They have not yet been received. We have sent copies of the report to the concerned States. We have not had their reaction so far. We would have that soon.

Shri Narendra Singh Mahida: On a point of order, Sir. An hon. Deputy Minister is knitting in the House. Is it allowed?

Shri Frank Anthony: There is a sub-committee going on.

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Education (Shrimati Soundaram Ramachandran): If it is prohibited, I will not do so.

Mr. Speaker: It must be something in connection with the work of the House and not any other thing. Question Hour is over.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Upper Sileru Project

*49. { Shri Kolla Venkaiah:
 Shri Y. D. Singh:
 Shri P. Venkatasubbaiah:
 Shri P. K. Deo:

Will the Minister of Irrigation and Power be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 661 on the 28th August, 1962 and state:

(a) whether the Chief Ministers of Andhra Pradesh and Orrisa have arrived at an agreement on Upper Sileru Project at their meeting held in September, 1962; and

(b) if so, the details of the agreement?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Irrigation and Power (Shri Alagesan): (a) Yes; Sir.

(b) A copy of the agreement is laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-487/62].

Hindustan Shipyard

*50. { Shri Morarka:
 Shri K. C. Pant:

Will the Minister of Transport and Communications be pleased to state:

(a) the foreign exchange content in each ship built in Hindustan Shipyard at present; and

(b) the future programme for reducing this imported content?

The Minister of Shipping in the Ministry of Transport and Communications (Shri Raj Bahadur): (a) and (b). The requisite information is being collected and will be placed on the Table of the Sabha in due course.