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ACCOMMODATION FOR MADHYA PRADESH STATE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES IN DELHI

814. SHRI RAM AVTAR SHARMA: SHRI G. C. DIXIT: SHRI LAKHAN LAL GUPTA:

Will the Minister of WORKS, HOUS-ING AND SUPPLY be please to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 3359 on the 22nd June, 1967 and state:

- (a) whether any request has since been received by Government from the Government of Madhya Pradesh for the allotment of Central Government accommodation to Class III employees of Madhya Pradesh Government stationed at Delhi; and
 - (b) if so, the decision taken thereon?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF WORKS, HOUSING AND SUPPLY (SHRI IQBAL SINGH): (a) Yes.

(b) The request of the Madhya Pradesh Government has been considered carefully but due to acute shortage of general pool accommodation for eligible Central Government servants it has not been possible to spare general pool residential accommodation for allotment to the employees of Madhya Pradesh Government stationed at Delhi, Incidentally, the Government of Madhya Pradesh has no such reciprocal arrangements either, with the Central Government.

TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT BLOCKS IN MADHYA PRADESH

815. SHRI RAM AVTAR SHARMA: Will the Minister of SOCIAL WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any request has been received from the Madhya Pradesh Government regarding the grant of additional funds for the Tribal Development Blocks in Madhya Pradesh; and
- (b) if so, the decision taken thereon and whether the same has been communicated to the State Government?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRIMATI PHULRENU GUHA): (a) Yes.

(b) The matter is being considered.

FERTILIZER PLANT AT KORBA 816. SHRI RAM AVTAR SHARMA:

SHRI G. C. DIXIT:

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state the present position relating to the establishment of coal-based fertilizer plant at Korba?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS AND OF SOCIAL WEL-FARE (SHRI RAGHU RAMAIAH): A Techno-economic Feasibility Study of a Coal based plant in Madhya Pradesh recently prepared by the Fertilizer Corporation of India is under scrutiny by the Government

INDUSTRIAL WORKSHOP FOR BLINDS AT INDOPE

817. SHRI RAM AVTAR SHARMA: SHRI G. C. DIXIT:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL WEL-FARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any proposal has recently been received from the Madhya Pradesh Government under the scheme of "Assistance to Voluntary Associations for the Physically Handicapped" for the establishment of an industrial Workshop for the blinds at Indore: and
- (b) if so, the decision taken thereon and whether the same has been communicated to the State Government?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRIMATI PHULRENU GUHA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) An interim reply has been given to the State Government. The decision is expected to be communicated shortly.

RESERVATION OF SEATS IN MEDICAL COLLEGES

- 818. SHRI SHIVA CHANDRA JHA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING be pleased to state:
- (a) whether it is a fact that a certain number of seats in the Medical Colleges are reserved by his Ministry;