

(b) if so, the action taken by Government thereon and the reasons for delay in giving clearance;

(c) whether it is also a fact that Hemavathy, Harangi, Ghataprabha (stage III) and Karanja projects were also sent for technical clearance and they are still pending; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

**THE MINISTER OF IRRIGATION AND POWER (DR. K. L. RAO) :** (a) and (b). A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-2140/67.]

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) Inter-State aspects of Hemavathy and Harangi projects between the Governments of Mysore and Madras are still to be finalised. Projects reports of Ghataprabha Stage III and Karanja, have been received and are under examination.

#### KOYNA HYDRO-ELECTIC PROJECT

5335. **SHRI M. N. NAGHNOOR :** Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government of Maharashtra are already going ahead with stage III of the Koyna Hydro-electric Project;

(b) whether this has been approved by Government;

(c) whether it is also a fact that the Koyna Reservoir has a total storage of about 100 TMC ft. and the diversion to the West as approved by Government is only 67.5 TMC ft.; and

(d) if so, how it is being ensured that only the agreed and not excess quantity of water is being diverted to the West?

**THE MINISTER OF IRRIGATION AND POWER (DR. K. L. RAO) :** (a) and (b). Yes, Sir.

(c) The storage capacity of Koyna Reservoir is 98 TMCFT. The diversion to the West as approved by the Government of India is 67.5 TMCFT per annum.

(d) The State Government has been requested to ensure that the utilisation of water in the Koyna Project Stages I & II does not exceed the approved limit.

#### PER CAPITA INCOME

5336. **SHRI VIRENDRAKUMAR SHAH :** Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) the per capita income in the country in each of the years since 1960-61 at 1960-61 prices and at the latest 1966-67 prices respectively;

(b) the net and gross increase in the per capita national income during the period between 1960-61 and 1966-67; and

(c) the average annual increase in per capita income during the above period and how it compares with average annual increase in the per capita national income during 1950-51 to 1959-60?

**THE DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI MORARJI DESAI) :** (a) and (b). Estimates of per capita income as available in the Central Statistical Organisation's publication "Estimates of National Product (Revised Series)" for the years 1960-61 to 1966-67 at both current and 1960-61 prices are as follows :

Year	Par Capita Income (Rs)			
	Current prices	Percentage increase	1960-61 Prices	Percentage increase/decrease
1960-61	310.0	—	310.0	—
1961-62	322.3	4.0	316.0	1.9
1962-63	332.9	3.3	314.2	(-)0.6
1963-64	376.1	13.0	323.4	2.9
1964-65(P)	427.1	13.6	339.2	4.9
1965-66(P)	430.1	0.7	315.3	(-)7.1
1966-67(Q)	481.5	12.0	313.1	(-)0.7

(P) Preliminary estimate.

(Q) Quick estimate.

(c) The average annual increase in per capita income, in real terms, works out to 0.2 per cent between 1960-61 to 1966-67 as compared to an