

this regard. However, Indian Olympic Association is representing for inclusion of Kabaddi with OCA.

[English]

**Wages of Handling Workers in Depots of FCI**

2104. SHRI MRUTYUNJAYA NAYAK: Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) whether the handling workers in some Depots of F.C.I. not paid the same wages as are paid to the departmental employees (workers), where contract system has been abolished;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the remedial measures proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD (SHRI TARUN GOGOI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) In depots where the contract labour system has been abolished under the Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act, 1970, the workers do not automatically become entitled to the same wages as are payable to the departmental workers of FCI

(c) In some of the depots in which contract labour system was abolished, FCI has entered into an agreement with the labour unions for introducing departmental system. In respect of other depots, the matter stands referred to the Ministry of Labour for further consideration.

**Development of Railways in Kerala**

2105. SHRI P.C. THOMAS: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the income of Southern Railway during the past three years, division-wise;

(b) the investment made for the development works of railways in the Southern zone; and

(c) the details of railway projects to be taken up during 1992-93 and 1993-94 in zonal railway covering Kerala?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALIKARJUN): (a) The account of income (Traffic Receipts) is not maintained division-wise. However, the figures for Southern Railway as a whole are given below:

(Amount in crores of Rs.)

1988-89	632.71
1989-90	710.24
1990-91	822.58

(b) (Amount in crores of Rs.)

1988-89	118.04
1989-90	134.39
1990-91	148.39

(c) No major project has been approved for 1992-93. Projects to be taken up in 1993-94 have not yet been finalised

**Indira Gandhi Medical Institute, Patna**

2106. SHRI RAM LAKHAN SINGH YADAV: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state

(a) whether the Government propose to take over the Indira Gandhi Medical Institute in Patna;