[English]

Completion of work of Pathiramanal. Kerala

3156. SHRIK, MURALEEDHARAN: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOUR-ISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Union Government have received any proposal from the Government of Kerala for the development of Pathiramanal:
- (b) if so, whether the approval has since been accorded: and
- (c) the funds have since been allocated for the work of tourist resort?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRIMADHAVRAO SCIN-DIA): (a) to (c). Yes, Sir. On the request of Government of Kerala, the Central Department of Tourism have agreed to extend financial assistance for construction of an Island Resort at Pathiramanal during 1991-92. The complete project proposal along with detailed estimates is awaited from the State Government.

Broadcast of Regional Bulletin

3157. DR. KRUPASINDHU BHOI: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROAD-CASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have any proposal to increase the number of regional bulletins broadcast from Delhi, in comparison to the increased number of Hindi and English news bulletins; and
 - (b) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS): (a) No. Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Extension of Air Service to Shillong

3159 SHRIPETERG MARRANIANG Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to extend the Indian Airlines service to Shillong: and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which it is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCIN-DIA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Setting up of Aluminium Plants in **Eighth Plan**

3160. KUMARI PUSHPA DEVI SINGH: Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have any proposal to set up new Aluminium plants particularly mini-aluminium plants during Eighth Five Year Plan;
- (b) if so, the States where these plants are proposed to be set up:
- (c) whether any aluminium plant is proposed to be set up in Madhya Pradesh; and
- (d) if so, the location of those plants and the capacity therefore?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF MINES (SHRI BALRAM SINGH YADAV): (a) and (b). No, Sir. How ever, National Aluminium Company (in the