

कृषि विद्यालय में राज्य स्तरी की अणुना-सांख्यिकी पी० शिन्डे) : (क) शिक्षा आयोग ने सिफारिश की है कि प्रत्येक राज्य में कम से कम एक कृषि विश्वविद्यालय की स्थापना होनी चाहिए। इस सिफारिश के अनुसरण में, देश में 17 कृषि विश्वविद्यालय पहले ही स्थापित कर दिये गये हैं। वे उत्तर प्रदेश, पंजाब, उड़ीसा, आन्ध्र प्रदेश, मैसूर, मध्य प्रदेश, पश्चिम बंगाल, महाराष्ट्र (2), असम, हरियाणा, बिहार, केरल, तामिलनाडु, गुजरात, राजस्थान और हिमाचल प्रदेश (कृषि क्षेत्र) में कार्य कर रहे हैं।

(ख) बिहार में राजेन्द्र कृषि विश्वविद्यालय की जोकि उपरोक्त उल्लिखित 17 कृषि विश्वविद्यालय में एक है, स्थापना संसद के अधिनियम, (राजेन्द्र कृषि विश्वविद्यालय अधिनियम, 1970) के अन्तर्गत पटना मुख्यालय सहित 3-12-70 को की गई थी।

#### Ground Water Availability in Andhra Pradesh

6087. SHRI K. RAMAKRISHNA REDDY : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether district-wise ground water availability in Andhra Pradesh has been estimated by the Central Ground Water Board; and

(b) if so, the district-wise information thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (PROF. SHER SINGH) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Question does not arise. However the exploration carried out by the Central Ground Water Board during the years 1958-59 and 1968-71 covers an area of 7876 Sq. Kms. by test drilling in the districts of East Godavari, West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur and Nellore. An area of 3055 Sq. Kms. was found to be ground water worthy.

*Demanded for opening of more D.M.S. MILK Booths in Sectors III and IV of R.K. Puram, New Delhi*

6088. SHRI K. RAMAKRISHNA REDDY : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether there has been any demand from the Residents Welfare Associations in Sectors III and IV, R.K. Puram, New Delhi to increase the opening of more D.M.S. depots; and

(b) if so, action taken and the time by which the opening of depots will be completed ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ANNASAHAB P. SHINDE) : (a) A request was received by Delhi Milk Scheme for opening an additional milk booth, from the Residents Welfare Association of Sector III, R.K. Puram. No such request has been received by the Scheme from the Residents Association of Sector IV, R.K. Puram.

(b) A site for an additional Milk Booth has been selected by Delhi Milk Scheme at the corner of the Lawn between Qr. No. 919 & 769, Sector III, R.K. Puram. Various formalities are being completed. It will take some time before the booth is erected and it starts functioning.

Agricultural Research Scheme executed with U. S. Aid

6089. SHRI NARENDRA SINGH : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether some schemes of agriculture research and allied subject were being run by the American Aid;

(b) if so, the names of the schemes; and

(c) the impact on these schemes after the stoppage of the American Aid and the steps taken or proposed to be taken for the continuation of these schemes ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ANNASAHAB P. SHINDE) : (a) Yes Sir.