

(b) and (c). In India as also in some other developing countries as Sri Lanka, Pakistan, etc., the expectation of life at birth of females is lower than that of males, due to comparatively adverse mortality conditions for women.

Jhuggi Jhonpuri clearance campaign in Delhi

5962. SHRI RAMAVATAR SHASTRI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Delhi Municipal Corporation have launched a Jhuggi-Jhonpuri clearance campaign in the name of cleanliness and beautification of the city;

(b) if so, whether the Prime Minister and the Home Minister had recently paid a visit to those areas to see the plight of the homeless people who have fallen victims to the said campaign; and

(c) if so, the particulars of the areas affected by the said campaign and the arrangement made for settling those homeless people?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI F. H. MOHSIN): (a) The Municipal Corporation of Delhi has informed that no Jhuggi Jhonpuri were removed under any campaign in the name of cleanliness and beautification. Encroachments from Municipal land were removed on various occasions under the Municipal Corporation Act.

(b) The Prime Minister accompanied by the Home Minister paid a visit to the Kingsway Camp and Timarpur area where some demolitions had taken place because of unauthorised constructions which were creating road blocks.

(c) The Corporation have informed that the encroachments, under the Municipal Corporation Act, were removed from the following sites:

- (1) Mundewalan Road near Motia Khan (Hoshiar Singh Marg).

- (2) Desh Bandhu Gupta Road.
- (3) Teliwara.
- (4) New Delhi Railway Station.
- (5) Kingsway Camp.

As there were temporary encroachments at Desh Bandhu Gupta Road and Teliwara, no rehabilitation of any squatter was undertaken. The squatters removed from Mundewalan Road near Motia Khan (Hoshiar Singh Marg), New Delhi Railway Station and Kingsway Camp have been settled according to the Corporation.

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5963. SHRI YAMUNA PRASAD MANDAL:

SHRI INDRAJIT GUPTA:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Committee to enquire into the affairs of the Burn and Company Limited, Howrah has submitted its report; and

(b) if so, the finding of the Committee?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (SHRI C. SUBRAMANIAM): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Schedule for replacing fuel elements in Atomic Power Plants

5964. SHRI E. V. VIKHE PATIL: Will the Minister of ATOMIC ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether any schedule has been drawn for replacing fuel elements in Atomic Power Plants; if so, the scheduled periodicity thereof;

(b) whether the prescribed schedule was adhered to in each of the Atomic Plants for changing the fuel elements;