

के परिचालन के परिणामस्वरूप पर्यावरण में उत्पन्न होने वाली रेडियो-धर्मिता का मापन बम्बई, तारापुर, राणाप्रताप सागर (कोटा) कलपक्कम, हैदराबाद, जादूगोडा तथा मुम्बाल्वे स्थित मानिटोरिंग योजगशालायें करती हैं।

वायु मंडल में फैली रेडियो-धर्मिता की कुल मात्रा का स्तर अब तक 0.1-0.5 dpm क्यूबिक मीटर वायु के बीच पाई गई है। रेडियोसक्रियता का यह स्तर उस स्तर से अधिक नहीं है जो कि प्राकृतिक कारणों से उत्पन्न हो सकता है। पर्यावरण में पाई गई रेडियोसक्रियता की मात्रा भी उस सीमा के भीतर ही है जो कि विकिरण बचाव संबंधी अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय आयोग द्वारा जन-साधारण के लिए समय-समय पर सुरक्षित घोषित की गई है।

(ग) अब तक किये गये मापनों से यह पता चला है कि रेडियोसक्रियता के स्तर मान्य सीमाओं के अन्तर्गत रहे हैं तथा मानव जाति के लिए हानिप्रद नहीं है। अतः इस संबंध में निरोधक उपाय अपनाने का प्रश्न ही नहीं उठता है।

#### Allocation of Time by Doordarshan and AIR to Opposition Parties

549. SHRI R. V. SWAMINATHAN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Doordarshan and All India Radio are being misused by the present Government and the Opposition views are not being properly given due share in the news bulletins; and

(b) if so, the time given in the news bulletins in regard to the opposition parties views?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI L. K. ADVANI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

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#### Rural Electrification in Tamil Nadu

550. SHRI R. V. SWAMINATHAN: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Rural Electrification Corporation disbursed to State Electricity Corporations Rs. 88.2 crores during 1976-77;

(b) if so, the total amount given to Tamil Nadu State Electricity Corporation;

(c) the amount utilised by them;

(d) whether in the State large areas are still without electrification; and

(e) the time by which rural electrification in the State is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI P. RAMACHANDRAN): (a) During 1976-77, the Rural Electrification Corporation disbursed to the various State Electricity Boards, Rural Electric Cooperative Societies and State Governments loan instalments amounting to Rs. 88.19 crores in respect of rural electrification projects sanctioned by the Corporation.

(b) Out of Rs. 88.19 crores disbursed during 1976-77, Rs. 2.43 crores were disbursed to Tamil Nadu Electricity Board.

(c) The Rural Electrification Corporation had from its very inception upto 31st March, 1977 disbursed total loans amounting to Rs. 15.84 crores for rural electrification projects in Tamil Nadu. The State Electricity Board has intimated that approximately Rs. 12 crores were spent upto 31st March, 1977.

(d) There are 15,735 villages in Tamil Nadu. 15,516 villages had been electrified upto 31st March, 1977. 219 villages still remain to be electrified.

(e) The State Electricity Board has intimated that subject to the availability of the required funds they propose to complete electrification of all the villages in the State by the end of the Fifth Plan.