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(b) if so, the action taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-LIKARJUN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Due to accommodation available in trains being limited and full utilisation of the quotas at the existing quota holding stations, it is not feasible to allot additional quotas at this station at present.

Facilities at Kim Station of Gujarat

3463. SHRI CHANDUBHAI DESHMUKH: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal for expansion of Kim station in Gujarat and to increase catering facility there; and

(b) if so, the details of the steps taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-LIKARJUN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Rural health Services in Rajasthan

3464. SHRI KUNJEE LAL: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WEL-FARE be pleased to state:

(a) the schemes being implemented under rural health services in Rajasthan, district-wise; and

(b) the district-wise targets fixed for these schemes in the State during the last three years, year-wise and the extent to which these targets have been achieved? THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D. K. THARADEV SIDDHARTHA): (a) and (b). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

[English]

Workshop at Samastipur

3465. SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Samastipur Railway Workshop, is proposed to be closed down by the Government;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) whether the staff rendered surplus as a result thereof is proposed to be absorbed in other sectors of Railways?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-LIKARJUN): (a) and (b). No, Sir. The workload of the M.G. Railway Workshop at Samastipur is likely to be reduced due to reduction in activities on account of conversion of M.G. to B.G.

(c) Surplus staff, if any, will be absorbed in other sectors of the Railways.

[Translation]

Employment on compassionate Ground in Jhansi and Bhopai Division

3466. SHRI RAJENDRA AGNIHOTRI: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

 (a) the number of applications pending in Jhansi and Bhopal divisions for providing jobs on compassionate grounds;