

down by the Prime Ministers of the two countries in the Long-term Economic Programme signed in March, 1979.

Housing Loans by Commercial and Cooperative Banks during the Seventh Plan

6052. SHRI B. V. DESAI : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Reserve Bank of India has directed commercial and co-operative banks to extend housing loans during the Seventh Plan on schematic and individual basis in order to meet the country's shortage of 24.7 million houses;

(b) if so, whether the commercial banks have been issued any directive and guidelines in this regard;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) how many banks have decided to provide the loans under this Scheme ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE

MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY) : (a) to (d). Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House to the extent possible.

Increase in Export of Electronic Goods

6053. SHRI VIJAY N. PATIL : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the export of electronic goods has increased over the last five years;

(b) if so, year-wise figures thereof and the names of major hardware and software items that are exported; and

(c) the export outlays planned for the present financial year ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. A. SANGMA) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Export of electronic goods during last five years has been as under :

Year	Electronic goods (in crores Rs.)	Software	Total
1980-81	26.78	7.28	34.06
1981-82	33.32	10.42	43.74
1982-83 (Prov.)	95.00	15.00	110.00
1983-84	120.00	20.00	140.00
1984 (9 months) (April-December) (Prov.)	105.00	16.00	121.00