

An undated representation has been received in the Ministry on 12th April, 1985.

(b) The revenue authorities have been addressed by the State Chief Engineer to arrange eviction of the encroachments.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) and (e) There are a number of encroachments on the National Highways in Krishna District. The matter is being pursued with the revenue Development by the State Chief Engineer to arrange the eviction of all such encroachments.

Maintenance of National Highway No. 5 between Bhubaneswar and Ichhapur

3486. SHRI SOMNATH RATH : Will the Minister of SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the National Highway No. 5 from Bhubaneswar (Orissa) to Ichhapur (Andhra Pradesh) is not properly maintained;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) the steps proposed to be taken to improve the portion of National Highway during 1985-86; and

(d) the amount proposed to be spent for the proper maintenance of that National Highway during 1985-86 ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT (SHRI Z R ANSARI) : (a) and (b) No, Sir. This Section of the National Highway No. 5 has been maintained in a traffic worthy condition.

(c) and (d) A sum of Rs. 169.00 lakhs is earmarked for improvement works to be sanctioned during 1985-86, besides the allocation for routine maintenance.

Rail Line from Bellampally/Ramagundam Kagaznagar to Mangur

3487. SHRI C. JANGA REDDY : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal with the Railway Board to lay Rail line from Bellampally or Ramagundam or Kagaznagar or Maochenial to Mangur to connect the coal belt/industrial belt via Parkal Mulu, Bhopalpally, Etunagaram in Andhra Pradesh;

(b) if so, what is the stage of implementation of the project; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANSI LAL) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Number of Trains Cancelled on Northeast Frontier Railway

3488. SHRI PIYUS TIRAKY : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of trains has been cancelled on Northeast Frontier Railway after the shifting of Melda Station to Eastern Railway;

(b) if so, the number of trains cancelled and the reasons therefor; and

(c) the details of the existing trains ?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANSI LAL) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) A statement is attached.

Statement

- (i) 77/78 Passenger between Bhagalpur Barharwa and Katihar.
- (ii) 347/348 Passenger between Howrah and Katihar.
- (iii) 59/60 Kamrup Express between Howrah and New Bongaigoan.
- (iv) 57/58 Kanchanjunga Express between Howrah and New Jalpaiguri.