

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER (SHRI ARUN NEHRU) : (a) to (e) The Approach Document to the Seventh Five Year Plan envisages greater emphasis on hydro projects.

The Central Sector Power Plan proposals for 1985-86 envisaging provisions for ongoing and certain new hydro projects, have been considered in the Planning Commission. Within the available resources, priority is being accorded to the implementation of approved and on-projects to ensure their timely completion.

(f) Yes, Sir.

Scheme Requiring Fresh Doctors to Serve in Primary Health Centres

3595. SHRI N.V. RATNAM : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are contemplating a scheme requiring fresh degree holders in Medicine to serve for certain time in Primary Health Centres before posting them in Government general hospitals ; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and when it is to be implemented ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise:

Opening of New Railway Station at Balasamudram

3596. SHRI K. RAMACHANDRA REDDY : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are considering to open a new Railway Station at 'Balasamudram' between Tanakallu and Mulacalacheruvu Railway Stations in Kadin Taluk of Anantapur district in Andhra Pradesh ;

(b) if so, the time by which it is likely to be opened ;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) There has been no such demand.

Rail Line between Cuddapar and Rayadurg

3597. SHRI K. RAMACHANDRA REDDY : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are considering the proposal for undertaking a survey for laying a new rail line between Cuddapar and Rayadurg via Kadin, Hindpur, Madakasira, and Kalyandurg ; and

(b) if so, how long will it take to complete the survey work of the said rail line ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Chukha Project

3598. SHRI PRIYA RAJAN DAS MUNSI : Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state :

(a) whether West Bengal Government have made any proposal to take power from the Chukha Project; and

(b) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER (SHRI ARUN NEHRU) : (a) and (b) Allocation of about 29 % of power from Chukha Hydel Project has, inter alia, been made to West Bengal in consultation with the State Government.

Fleet Strength and Turnover of Shipping Corporation of India

3599. SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DAS MUNSI : Will the Minister of SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT be pleased to state :