

schemes were awaiting completion during the Sixth plan period.

(b) and (c) Since the 7th of the State is yet to be finalised, it is difficult to indicate the time by which the schemes could be completed.

Major Irrigation Projects in Orissa

695. SHRI SOMNATH RATH : Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state :

(a) the name and the number of major irrigation projects under execution in Orissa ;

(b) how many of those were

expected to be completed by the end of the Sixth Plan ;

(c) the estimated cost of each of those projects ; and

(d) the progress made in the completion of those projects ?

THE MINISTER OF IRRIGATION AND POWER (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) : (a) to (d) The details of major irrigation projects under execution in Orissa, their estimated cost and progress made thereon are given in Statement enclosed. Two major projects i.e. Mahanadi Delta and Salandi are expected to be completed during the Sixth Plan period.

Statement

| Sl.No. | Name of Project | Latest Estimated cost (Rs. in lakhs) | Likely Expenditure upto 3/85 (Rs. in lakhs) |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| I. Pre-Sixth Plan Schemes : | | | |
| 1. | Mahanadi Birupa Barrage | 9265.0 | 497.799 |
| 2. | Upper Indravati : | | |
| | (a) Dam | 10035.0 | 2117.91 |
| | (b) Irrigation | 832.68 | 876.15 |
| 3. | Rengali : | | |
| | (a) Dam (Irrigation share) | 3192.0 | 292.53 |
| | (b) Irrigation | 7923.93 | 4358.22 |
| 4. | Mahanadi Delta | 7056.41 | 7056.44 |
| 5. | Salandi | 1637.91 | 1637.91 |
| 6. | Anandpur | 1217.84 | 1150.33 |
| 7. | Upper Kolab : | | |
| | (a) Dam (Irrigation share) | 4194.39 | 2858.79 |
| | (b) Irrigation | 7541.60 | 1635.83 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|---|---|---|---|
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II. *New Schemes of VI Plan :*

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|----|------------------------------------|----------|--------|
| 1. | Somakoi | 8239.52 | 116.49 |
| 2. | Kanupur | 7721.15 | 51.96 |
| 3. | Lower Indra (Indra Dam) | 6493.79 | 63.12 |
| 4. | Ong Stage-II (Chiroli) | 5264.03 | 55.86 |
| 5. | Additional Spillway to Hirakud Dam | 606.00 | 1.00 |
| 6. | Subernarekha | 39149.00 | 350.45 |

Proposal to Restructure Medical Courses to Meet Need for Medical Attention in Rural Areas

696. SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have any proposal to restructure the medical course and make it possible that many can get the benefit of this education so that the need for the medical attention in rural areas could be fully met ;

(b) whether it is a fact that in China the problem of meeting rural needs for medical care has been met through restructuring the course ; and

(c) if so, Government's reaction thereto and when this is going to be done ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) :
(i) The Medical Council of India which has been statutorily charged with the responsibility of maintaining uniform minimum standard of Medical Education in the country has been reviewing and revising the undergraduate curriculum from time to time so as to meet the needs of the country including the needs of people in rural areas. The Government of India had also set up a Medical Education Review

Committee in September, 1981 to review and to make recommendations for effecting necessary changes in the present Medical Education System. In their Report, the Committee has, inter-alia made recommendations relating to additional credit for service in rural areas, training of interns in rural areas, and additional incentives to doctors for service in rural areas. On receipt of the Report of the Review Committee, an Empowered Committee was appointed which submitted its Report to the Government. The report is being further processed.

(b) No such information is available with the Government of India.

(c) Does not arise.

[*Translation*]

Multi-Purpose Irrigation Projects of Uttar Pradesh

697. SHRI HARISH RAWAT : Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state :

(a) the number of multi-purpose irrigation projects of Uttar Pradesh pending with the Union Government for approval and since when each of these projects is pending ;

(b) the number of the projects, out of them, pending due to inter-State disputes; and