MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Yes, Sir.

- (b) There is no proposal, at present, for construction of a bridge across river Saryu, due to severe constraint of funds and heavy commitments already in hand.
 - (c) and (d). Ayodhya is already linked by rail with rest of the country.

States suffering from malaria epidemic and amount spent on NMEP

4324. SHRI MOHAN BHAI PATEL: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the total amount spent on the National Malaria Eradication Programme during

the last three years, year-wise particularly in those States which suffer most;

- (b) the reasons for inability to control this disease;
- (c) whether it is a fact that some-time this disease spreads rapidly; and
- (d), if so, what special measures are being taken to eradicate malaria or to check its spreading?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA: (a) National Malaria Eradication Programme is a Category II Centrally Sponsored Scheme on a 50:50 sharing basis. The expenditure incurred by the Central Government during the last three years is as under:

Year	Expenditure Central Share (Rs. in lakhs)	Remarks
1982-83	5511.14	50% Central Share
1983-84	6883.33	50% Central share and 100% cost of malathion.
1984-85	8800.00	do

State-wise break-up of Central share of expenditure is given in the enclosed statement.

- (b) and (c). With the implementation of Modified Plan of Operation with effect from 1977, the incidence of malaria as a whole has been declining over the years. However, inadequate surveillance activities patchy and partial spray coverage, flood and natural calamities and non-provision of matching share by the State Government effective implementation of the Programme do affect adversely the programme to control the disease in the uniform manner.
- (d) The following specific steps are being taken to control the incidence of malaria under the Modified Plan of Operations:
 - (1) Every village is visited fortnightly by

a surveillance worker to detect fever cases, collect blood smears and to give presumptive treatment.

- (2) The laboratories in the Primary Health Centres provide prompt examination of blood smears of fever cases and institution of medical treatment of positive cases.
- (3) Drug Distribution Centres and Fever Treatment Depots are functioning in the villages so that the drug could be made available, with no less of time, to the fever cases.
- (4) Insecticidal spray operations are undertaken in all the rural areas which have incidence of two or more cases per thousand population per year.
 - (5) Besides, in order to control the spread

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of the P. falciparum infection, which causes

affected areas of the country with the assiscerebral malaria, the P. falciparum Contain- tance from the World Health Organisation/ ment Programme is being implemented in the Swedish International Development Agency.

Statement

State-wise Expenditure incurred on N.M.E.P. Centrally Sponsored Category-11 Scheme on 50: 50 Sharing Basis for 1982-83, 1983-84 and 1984-85, 50% Central Share, (Rural and Urban)

(Rs. in lakhs)

SI. No	. Name of the State/UTs	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85
1.	Andhra Pradesh	176.18	118.42	196.92
2.	Assam	295.35	211.49	230.16
3.	Bihar	251.31	81.86	107.00
4.	Gujarat	503.18	780.59	1167.35
5.	Haryana	275.30	652.80	765.75
6.	Himachal Pradesh	77.57	121.91	112.68
7.	Jammu & Kashmir	23.85	23.07	56.06
8.	Karnataka	420.25	239.74	619.63
9.	Kerala	0.23	-	0.01
10.	Madhya Pradesh	484.02	941.23	802.68
11.	Maharashtra	888.25	1130.58	2134.11
12.	Manipur	12.35	29.98	39.05
13.	Meghalaya	2.98	38.61	51.15
14.	Nagaland	12.94	27.66	17.05
15.	Orissa	383.20	248.49	279.60
16.	Punjab ·	215.88	301.87	408.93
17.	Rajasthan	546.06	375.80	509.17
18.	Sikkim	0.02	30.34	10.20
19.	Tamil Nadu	19.03	150.89	131.38
20.	Tripura	27.64	52.22	107.23
21.	Uttar Pradesh	583.65	878.26	563.32
22.	West Bengal	53.58	168.30	141.17
	TOTAL	5252,82	6604.11	8450.60

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UTs with Legislature									
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	71.70	55.84	81.49					
2.	Goa Daman & Diu	1.57	11.66	4.98					
3.	Mizoram	35.51	38.49	51.95					
4.	Pondicherry	1.75	0.71	1.63					
	TOTAL	110.03	106.70	140.05					
UTs	without Legislature								
1.	A & N Islands	16.43	21.47	29.61					
2.	Chandigarh	8.80	9.18	22,83					
3.	Dadra & N. Haveli	8.39	19.18	8.27					
4.	Delhi	21.36	60.04	97.22					
5.	Lakshadweep	0.50	0.37	0.80					
	TOTAL.	75.48	110,24	159.33					
	Establishment/Research/Publ	licity 72.31	62.28	50.02					
-	G. TOTAL	5511.14	6883.33	8800.00					

Amount Released and Utilised by Karnataka Govt. under Social Welfare Scheme

4325. SHR1 G. DEVARAYA NAIK: Will the Minister of SOCIAL AND WOMEN'S WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) what is the amount released to Karnataka Government in 1984-85 under Social Welfare Schemes; and
- (b) the amount utilised by the Government?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL AND WOMEN'S WELFARE (SHRIMATI M. CHANDRASEKHAR): (a) Rs. 2,72,84,443.

(b) The figures have not so far been

furnished by Karnataka Government and are being collected.

World Bank Assistance for Kerala's Hydro Electric Projects

4326. SHRI K. MOHANDAS: Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the World Bank has agreed to give an assistance of Rs. 500 crores for a major hydro-electric project in Kerala; and
 - (b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER (SHRI ARUN NEHRU): (a) and (b). The Lower Periyar Hydroelectric Project $(3 \times 60 \text{ MW})$ in Kerala has been appraised by the World Bank for