

mines in Eastern Region especially in Eastern Coalfields Limited and Bharat Coking Coal Limited.

(c) and (d) : The Committee is likely to submit its report shortly.

#### Control Over Government Expenditure

614. SHRI SANAT KUMAR MANDAL : Will the MINISTER OF FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether any action plan has been drawn up by his Ministry to monitor and control Government expenditure both at the Central and State levels in Plan as well as non-Plan areas; and

(b) if so, the broad outlines thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Expenditure of the Central Government both Plan and non-Plan would be monitored at regular intervals so as to take corrective measures whenever necessary. In so far as States are concerned the Centre is closely watching the over-draft position.

#### National Textile Corporation in Gujarat

615. SHRI R. P. GAEKWAD : Will the Minister of SUPPLY AND TEXTILES be pleased to state :

(a) the number of names of textile mills in Gujarat managed by the National Textile Corporation Limited;

(b) the amount of working capital investment made by Government/banks in each of them;

(c) the net profit/loss made as on 31st March, 1985; and

(d) steps proposed to improve the working of those mills which incur continued losses ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY AND TEXTILES (SHRI CHANDRA SHEKHAR SINGH) : (a) There are at present 11 nationalised textile mills under the management of National Textile Corporation (Gujarat). The names of the mills under NTC are given in the statement-I below.

(b) Statement --II showing the amount of working capital investment made by Government/Banks in each of the textile mill is given below.

(c) Statement—III showing the net profit/loss made by each unit under NTC (Gujarat) for the year 1984-85 is given below.

(d) Some of the important steps taken/are being taken to improve the performance of the mills under NTC (Gujarat) are as under :—

- (i) Arrangements for timely procurement of cotton from different available channels.
- (ii) Working capital has been replenished to make up for cash losses.
- (iii) To overcome the power shortage, self generating capacity has been provided.
- (iv) Cost control methods have been introduced for reduction in cost at all levels.
- (v) Management of the subsidiaries is being strengthened for better management of available resources.
- (vi) Workers participation scheme in the management of the mills is being encouraged.
- (vii) Efforts are being made for reducing the non-operational administration expenses,