

(a) the code, if any laid down by Government for commercial advertising and sponsored programmes on Doordarshan;

(b) whether Government have made any evaluation to know how far the code is comprehensive and does not dilute the role of Doordarshan as a medium of education, information, entertainment and protects the interests of the people if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken by Government to remove the deficiencies if any, in the code for commercial advertising and sponsored programmes on Doordarshan ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI V. N. GADGIL) :

(a) Yes, Sir. A copy of the code laid down by the Government is laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 2565/86]. This applies to advertisements for sponsored programmes as well.

(b) and (c). No, Sir. The occasion for such an evaluation has not arisen.

#### Transfer of Wakf properties to Delhi Wakf Board

5569. SYED SHAHABUDDIN : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that some time back Government had decided to transfer over 100 immovable properties in Delhi which were claimed to be Wakf properties, to the Delhi Wakf Board;

(b) whether it is also a fact that so far not a single property has been handed over to the Board; and

(c) if so, the details of the properties and the reasons for non-implementation of Government decision ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH) : (a) and (b). Yes, Sir.

(c) There is a writ petition against the decision and the matter is sub-judice.

#### Financial assistance to Kerala under National Welfare Fund for Fishermen

5570. SHRI SURESH KURUP : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the amount allotted to Kerala from National Welfare Fund for Fishermen during the Sixth Plan period; and

(b) the actual amount utilised by the State ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) The Scheme on National Welfare Fund for Fishermen Society was started during 1984-85 with a Budget estimate of Rs. 39.50 lakh and no separate amount was allocated to Kerala.

(b) Question does not arise.

#### Residential flats over green belt areas

5571. DR. B. L. SHAILESH : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Delhi Development Authority has been altering the use of land earmarked green in the master plan and zonal development plans for the capital over a number of years;

(b) if so, the areas involved and the number of residential flats built over these green belt areas; and

(c) the reasons for such deviations from the Master and Lay-out Plans ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH) : (a) to c). Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

#### Production of fruits and vegetables

5572. PROF. NARAIN CHAND PARASHAR : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the per acre production of fruits and vegetables in India separately, as on 31 December, 1985 and the break-up thereof, State-wise;

(b) how does the per acre national production compare with the figures for the other countries;

(c) the steps taken or proposed to be taken for increasing fruit production during Seventh Five Year Plan and whether any increase in allocation for research and development has also been made for the Seventh Plan as compared to the allocation in Sixth Plan;

(d) if so, the nature thereof and the comparative figures for both plans; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) The official statistics relating to per acre production for most fruits and vegetables are not available. However, the latest available information on State-wise per hectare production of various fruits and vegetables under forecast basis for the crop year 1984-85 are given in the statement-II given below.

(b) The figures for per hectare production of fruits in India *vis-a-vis* other countries are not available. However, the

figures for per hectare production of some selected vegetable crops in India and some selected countries are given in the attached statement-II below.

(c) to (e). For increasing the production of fruits during the Seventh Five Year Plan, following Central Sector/Centrally Sponsored Schemes are being implemented :

1. Establishment of Elite Progeny Orchards for production of Quality planting material.
2. Package Programme on Banana and Pineapple in U.Ts.
3. Improved Technology for quality apple production.

Besides, the National Horticulture Board proposed to take up the programme of strengthening of selected Government fruit nurseries in 10 States for enhanced supply of planting material.

The outlays for Seventh Five Year Plan has been kept at Rs. 1230.00 lakhs for fruit development programmes against Rs. 234.96 lakhs released as Central share during the Sixth Plan. Similarly, for schemes on research in horticulture including fruits and vegetables, the allocation for Seventh Five Year Plan is Rs. 3195.00 lakhs against the actual expenditure of Rs. 2136.72 lakhs during Sixth Five Year Plan.

#### Statement-I

#### *Productivity of fruits and vegetables in India (1984-85)*

(Kgs/hectare)

	Banana	Potato	Sweet Potato	Tapioca	Onion
1	2	3	4	5	6
Andhra Pradesh	16789	—	5429	4775	7986
Assam	12971	6664	3286	—	—
Bihar	8300	9675	7190	—	8447
Gujarat	26565	32918	—	—	32960

1	2	3	4	5	6
Haryana	—	18613	—	—	—
Himachal Pradesh	—	3246	—	—	—
Jammu & Kashmir	—	—	—	—	—
Karnataka	5823	7103	6480	—	5765
Kerala	6369	—	6588	16978	—
Madhya Pradesh	17715	12797	6051	—	13920
Maharashtra	24139	5348	13429	—	13459
Orissa	9972	8546	7604	—	7905
Punjab	—	19613	—	—	—
Rajasthan	—	—	—	—	3550
Tamil Nadu	30010	8259	9878	30900	8678
Uttar Pradesh	—	17023	8946	—	11593
West Bengal	—	21071	—	—	—
All India	16359	14815	7523	18062	13548

## Statement-II

Yield of selected vegetable crops in selected countries 1983

Yield in Kgs/hectare

Sl. No.	Country	Potatoes	Sweet Potatoes	Cassava (Tapioca)	Onion
1	2	2	3	4	5
1.	India*	13549	7323	17709	10330
2.	Argentina	18617			
3.	Bangladesh	10283			
4.	Brazil	10832	8824	10828	10873
5.	Canada	22452			
6.	China	12493	18246		12982
7.	Colombia	12500			
8.	Egypt	15972			38824
9.	France	26141			
10.	Germany DR	17647			
11.	Germany FR	24482			

1	2	2	3	4	5
12.	Indonesia		7852	9836	
13.	Japan	28030	21309		41379
14.	Netherlands	33130			
15.	Nigerai			8652	
16.	Peru	7573			
17.	Poland	15529			
18.	Romania	21371			
19.	Rawanda		9322		
20.	Spain	15128			
21.	Tanzania			5231	
22.	Thailand			13077	
23.	Turkey	17171			14444
24.	Uganda		4872		
25.	U.K.	29995			
26.	U.S.S.R.	12053			11734
27.	U.S.A.	29465			34865
28.	Vietnam		4450		
29.	Zaire			6999	

\*Official estimates for 1982-83—(Source-F.A.O. Production Year Book 1983)

#### Indian Broadcasting Service

5573. SYED SHAHABUDDIN : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) the progress in the creation of the proposed Indian Broadcasting Service;

(b) the categories of present employees of the AIR with their designations and corresponding scales of pay who are to be included in the proposed service;

(c) the corresponding information for the employees who are to be excluded from the proposed service; and

(d) the reasons for their exclusion ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI V. N. GADGIL) :

(a) to (d). The proposed Group 'A' Service viz. the Indian Broadcasting (Programme) Service will, when constituted, have the grades and the scales as found in any other Group 'A' Central Service i.e. beginning from the junior time scale of Rs. 700-1300 and going upto the scale Rs. 3000 fixed.

The service will come into effect from the date on which the rules, therefor, are notified in the Gazette; presently, after approval by the Department of Personnel, the rules are under scrutiny in consultation with Union Public Service Commission.

The persons holding regular posts in such typical scales as referred to above in the programme planning and production cadres of All India Radio and Doordarshan are proposed to be encadred therein.

Since the intention is to create a new service to encadre the programme personnel