sary. This amount is refundable on return from employment.

(e) No, Sir.

Supply of rice instead of wheat to Andhra Pradesh

5601. SHRI A. J. V. B. MAHESWARA RAO: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal with Government to supply rice instead of wheat to the Government of Andhra Pradesh under N.R.E.P/R.L.E.G.P.;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (S. BUTA SINGH): (a) to (c). Equal quantities of wheat and rice are proposed to be supplied to Andhra Pradesh under NREP/ RIEGP during the year 1986-87. Andhra Pradesh has been released the first instalment of foodgrains amounting to 47.780 metric tonnes under each of the programme; comprising 23,890 metric tonnes of rice and 23,890 metric tonnes of wheat, and covering the first two quarters of 1986-87.

National Watershed Development Programme for Rainfed Agriculture

5602. SHRI N. DENNIS : SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL : SHRIMATI MADHUREE SINGH : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the main features of the National Watershed Development Programme for Rainfed Agriculture;

(b) the names of States and Districts selected to be covered under the scheme in this connection; and

(c) whether Ahmednagar district of Maharashtra will be covered under the scheme and if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) The main features of the National Watershed Development Programme for Rainfed Agriculture are (i) Land and moisture management, cropping systems introduction including dryland horticulture, fodder production and farm forestry; (ii) Contingency seed stocking and supply of seedlings and grass seed/slips; (iii) Training; (iv) adaptive research activity; (v) provision of survey equipment and fabrication of new tools; and (vi) preparation of field manuals. etc.

(b) A statement indicating tentatively selected States and Districts is given below.

(c) Yes Sir, included tentatively.

1. No.	Name of State	Name of Districts tentatively selected		
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1.	Andhra Pradesh	1. Anantapur	6. Hyderabad	
		2. Mahboobnagar	7. Karimnagar	
		3. Kurnool	8. Khammam	
		4. Nalgonda	9. Medak	
		5. Adilabad	10. Prakasam	
			11. Warangal	

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2. Assam	12. Nowgong	
3. Bihar	13. Nawada	15. Ranchi
	14. Gopalganj	
4. Gujarat	16. Amreli	22. Ahmedabad
	17. Banaskantha	23. Broach
	18. Bhavnagar	24. Junagarh
	19. Mehsana	25. Kaira
	20. Rajkot	26. Panchamahal
	21. Surindernagar	27. Vadodra
		28. Sabarkantha
5. Haryana	29. Mohindergarh	
6. Himachal I	Pradesh 30. Bilaspur	32. Mandi
	31. Kulu	33. Una
7. Karnataka	34. Bellary	40. Bangalore
	35. Bijapur	41. Bidar
	36. Chitradurga	42. Dharwar
	37. Gulbarga	43. Hasan
	38. Kolar	44. Mysore
	39. Raichur	45. Tumkur
		46. Belgaum
8. Kerala	47. Palghat	
9. Madhya Pr	adesh 48. Bhind	58. Indore
	· 49. Datia	59. Jhabua
	50. Betul	60. Mandsaur
	51. Chatterpur	61. Rajgarh
	52. Dewas	62. Ratlam
	53. Dhar	63. Shajapur
	54. Khargaon	64. Shivpuri
	55. Khandwa	65. Ujjain
	56. Guna	
	57. Gwalior	
D. Maharashtı	a 66. Ahmednagar	73. Akola
	67. Aurangabad	74. Amravati

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		69. Dhule	76. Nanded
		70. Jalgaon	77. Nasik
		71. Sangli	78. Osmanabad
		72. Sholapur	79. Parbhani
			80. Satara
			81. Wardha
			82. Yeotmal
11.	Orissa	83. Koraput	
12.	Punjab	84. Hoshiarpur	
13.	Rajasthan	85. Ajmer	90. Tonk
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		87. Bharatpur	92. Dungarpur
		88. Sawai Madhopur	93. Jhalawar
		89. Sirohi	94. Kota
14.	Tamil Nadu	95. Dharmapuri	
15.	Uttar Pradesh	96. Banda	
		97. Hamirpur	
		98. Jhansi	
16.	West Bengal	99. Bankura	

Sanction for Disaster Preparedness

5603. SHRI BEZAWADA PAPI REDDY: Will the Minister of AGRICUL-TURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether a comprehensive proposal has been received from Andhra Pradesh for sanction of Rs. 16 crores under various items for Disaster Preparedness; and

(b) if so, the decision taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA): (a) The Government of Andhra Pradesh have submitted proposals, for 1985-86, amounting to Rs. 5.42 crores for disaster preparedness schemes to the Union Ministry of Agriculture, as per details given below :

	Item	Amount	(Rs. in Crores)
1.	(a) Wireless	(Police)	0.27
	(b) -do-	(HAM)	0.15
2.	Rescue Boar	0.25	
3.	Cyclone She	4.19	
4.	Bailey Bridg	0.56	
TOTAL			5.42