

Bhubaneswar during the Sixth Five Year Plan ; and

(b) the provision made for this project in the Seventh plan ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJESH PILOT) : (a) An amount of Rs. 3.00 lakhs was allocated and spent during (1984-85) on four-laying of National Highway No. 5 from Cuttack to Bhubaneswar.

(b) The Seventh Plan proposals are yet to be finalised.

Proposals for Road Overbridges

6084. SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DAS MUNSI : Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) whether few proposals for road over-bridges at Sodepur, Belgharia, Jadavpur and Liluah of Eastern Railway and Mourigram, Ramrajatala of South Eastern Railway are under consideration ;

(b) if so, names of the projects where West Bengal Government has already decided to participate on their part ; and

(c) the time by which the works will be completed ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA) : (a) & (b) Construction of Road Over Bridges at Sodepur, Belgharia and Jadavpur have already been sanctioned with West Bengal Governments acceptance to bear their share of cost. For providing Road over bridge at Liluah, Mourigram and Ramrajatala, West Bengal Government has not yet sponsored firm proposals with acceptance to bear their share of cost.

(c) The completion of sanctioned works of road over bridges depends on the availability of funds and completion of the road approaches by the State Public Works Department.

Construction of Airport at Tuticorin

6085. SHRI KADAMBUR JANARTHANAN : Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government propose to construct an airport at Tuticorin in Tirunelveli ;

(b) if so, whether the work will start this year ; and

(c) if not, when it will be started ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER) : (a) to (c) There is a proposal to construct an airport at Tuticorin, but since the Seventh Five Year Plan outlay of the Civil Aviation Sector has been pruned down to Rs. 730.21 crores, as against the recommended outlay of Rs. 2764.07 crores, all the plan proposals have to be revised and their inter-se priority redetermined. It is, therefore, not possible to indicate when Tuticorin project will be taken up.

[Translation]

Income Limit for Award of Post-Matric Scholarship

6086. SHRI DILEEP SINGH BHURIA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether Union Government have received any proposal from the Madhya Pradesh Government regarding raising of the present income limit for the purpose of awarding post-matric scholarships ; and

(b) if so, the action taken thereon ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT AND HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P.V. NARASIMHA RAO) ; (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The proposal is under consideration.

[English]

Propagation of Hindi

6087. SHRI C. JANGA REDDY : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :