

2. Effort is also being made to assist the development of tribal languages. For instance, the Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore has been working on the tribal, border and other minority languages. The programmes which were and are being undertaken by the Institute during the first and second years of the Seventh Five Year Plan include study of 18 tribal languages; preparation of primers in tribal languages of Manipur, Rajasthan, Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Lakshadweep and Karnataka; training of bilingual teachers in the experimental tribal schools in Rajasthan, Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Karnataka and Nagaland and organisation of workshops on translation of children's literature into tribal languages and on creative writing in tribal languages.

3. The Sahitya Akademi, besides recognising languages for implementation of its literary programmes, has also formulated a scheme for helping the development of languages which have requested for recognition but do not fulfil the criteria laid down for the purpose. The Akademi proposes to help in the publication of grammars, dictionaries and other basic books in languages not recognised by it, for which a Language Development Board has been set up.

**Renovation of Midnapur Railway Station  
on S. E. Railway**

7545. SHRI SATYAGOPAL MISRA : Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that his Ministry has taken up a programme to renovate the Midnapur Railway Station on the South Eastern Railway ;

(b) if so, the details thereof ; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF TRANSPORT (SHRI BANSI LAL) : (a) There is no programme for the renovation of the Midnapur Railway Station building at present.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a).

(c) The existing facilities in the station are considered adequate for the present.

**Opening of Mecheda Railway Station  
Building (South Eastern Railway)**

7546. SHRI SATYAGOPAL MISRA : Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the construction works of the new station building at Mecheda Railway Station (South Eastern Railway) have been completed ;

(b) if so, the reasons for the delay in opening that station building ;

(c) if not, the reasons for the delay in the construction works ; and

(d) the time by which the new station building will be opened ?

THE MINISTER OF TRANSPORT (SHRI BANSI LAL) : (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

**Development of Cuddapah, Rajampet  
and Tirupathi Railway Stations in S.C.  
Railway**

7547. SHRI S. PALAKOND RAYUDU : Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) the schemes proposed in the current year for the development of Cuddapah Rajampet and Tirupathi Railway stations in Andhra Pradesh in South Central Railway ; and

(b) whether the suggestions of local people in this regard have been considered to provide necessary amenities at these stations ?

THE MINISTER OF TRANSPORT (SHRI BANSI LAL) : (a) No schemes have been proposed in the current year for the development of Cuddapah, Rajampet and Tirupathi Railway Stations in Andhra Pradesh on South Central Railway.

(b) There have been suggestions for raising of medium level platform to high level and for extension of foot over bridge at Tirupathi. These have been considered, but could not be taken up in the current year due to paucity of funds.

**Allocation to Andhra Pradesh for Implementation of Special Nutrition Programme**

7548. SHRI S. PALAKONDARAYUDU: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) the amount allocated to Andhra Pradesh for implementation of special nutrition programme during the Sixth Plan ;

(b) the amount to be allocated to Andhra Pradesh in the Seventh Plan for implementation of the programme ; and

(c) the amount allocated to other States and Union Territories, State Territory-wise during the Seventh Plan for this purpose ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS AND WOMEN'S WELFARE (SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA) : (a) The Sixth Plan envisaged an Outlay of Rs. 956 lakhs under State Sector for Special Nutrition Programme in Andhra Pradesh.

(b) and (c) The Seventh Plan outlays for Nutrition (Special Nutrition Programme and Mid-Day Meal Programme and non-minimum needs Programme components) under the State Sector for Andhra Pradesh and other States and Union Territories are shown below :—

*Nutrition Outlay-Seventh Plan (1985-90)*

Sl. States/Union Territories (Rs. in lakhs)  
No. outlays

1	2	3
1.	Andhra Pradesh	5360
2.	Assam	2000
3.	Bihar	3500

1	2	3
4.	Gujarat	59550
5.	Haryana	2794
6.	Himachal Pradesh	282
7.	Jammu and Kashmir	755
8.	Karnataka	11000
9.	Kerala	4000
10.	Madhya Pradesh	3389
11.	Maharashtra	5000
12.	Manipur	220
13.	Meghalaya	500
14.	Nagaland	450
15.	Orissa	1600
16.	Punjab	1650
17.	Rajasthan	1596
18.	Sikkim	270
19.	Tamil Nadu	54000
20.	Tripura	2000
21.	Uttar Pradesh	4470
22.	West Bengal	5000

Total States : 169386

**UNION TERRITORIES**

23.	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	70
24.	Arunachal Pradesh	200
25.	Chandigarh	242
26.	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	42.5
27.	Delhi	2787
28.	Goa, Daman and Diu	120
29.	Lakshadweep	31
30.	Mizoram	150
31.	Pondicherry	265

Total U.Ts 2907.5

Grand Total 1,73,293.5