

In addition, it has sought the approval of financial institutions for the disposal of its Fibre Division, the sale of which would help it in improving liquidity position and early refunds.

(d) Committee on Petitions, Lok Sabha has gone into the details of acceptance of advance money for Scooters by M/s LML Ltd. As recommended by the Committee, Government has issued revised Guidelines for acceptance and deployment of advance deposit received by the Automobile Manufacturers.

#### **Investment in Central Public Undertakings**

4. SHRI SYED SHAHABUDDIN: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the total cumulative investment in Central Public Undertakings in terms of current rupees, year-wise;

(b) the total cumulative investment in terms rupees adjusted to its value as on 31 March, 1989; and

(c) the total profit/loss during 1988-89?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) The total cumulative investment in terms of gross block in Central Public Sector Undertakings as on 31.3.1988 upto which period only the information is available was Rs. 82150.16 crores. Year-wise figures for the earlier period are given in the Public Enterprises Survey of the respective years placed before the Parliament.

(b) and (c). The figures for the year 1988-89 are under finalisation and will be known only after the Audited Accounts are available.

#### **Restoration of Vayudoot Service between Bombay—Ratnagiri, Maharashtra**

5. PROF. MADHU DANDAVATE: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Vayudoot air service, from Bombay to Ratnagiri in the backward Konkan region of Maharashtra was discontinued long ago;

(b) whether there is a persistent demand for the resumption of this service on this route;

(c) if so, when this service is likely to be resorted; and

(d) whether subsidy will be given to Vayudoot on this route to make the service financially viable?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI SHIVRAJ V. PATIL): (a) The service has been temporarily suspended with effect from 15th June, 1989 due to the onset of monsoons.

(b) and (c). Vayudoot will restore regular operations to Ratnagiri after the monsoon.

(d) There is no such proposal at present.

#### **Indian Broadcasting (Programme) Service**

6. SHRI ANIL BASU: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether a decision had been taken that the Indian Broadcasting (Programme) Service would comprise of Programme Executives, Extension Officers, Farm Radio