Training to Cured Leprosy Patients under TRYSEM

490. SHRIMATI JAYANTI PATNAIK: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of training being given to the cured leprosy patients in the State of Orissa under the Training of Rural Youth of Self Employment:
- (b) the prescribed age limit of crude leprosy patients for undergoing such training:
- (c) whether Orissa Government had requested Union Government for making relaxation in the prescribed age limit; and
- (d) if so, the reaction of Union Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOP-MENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICUL-TURE (SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY): (a) Under TRYSEM (Training of Rural Youth for Self-employment), training is provided for acquiring technical skills in the broad fields of agriculture and allied activities, industry, service and business activities.

Cured leprosy patients belonging to the target group of families having annual incomes below Rs. 4,800, can receive training in the above fields

- (b) The age limit prescribed for cured leprosy patients for under going training under TRYSEM is now 18-45 years.
 - (c) Yes, Sir.
- (d) It has been decided to increase upper age limit for cured leprosy patients under TRYSEM from 35 years to 45 years.

Funds for Rural Water Supply and Sanitation

- 491. SHRIMATI JAYANTI PATNAIK: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:
- (a) the estimated requirement of funds for rural water supply and rural sanitation programmes during the Seventh Plan period:
- (b) the total allocation made to different States and the amount actually spent under these programmes so far:
- (c) the fund proposed to be earmarked for those programmes during the Eighth Plan: and
- (d) the strategy drawn up for implementation of these programmes during the Eighth Plan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOP-MENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICUL-TURE (SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY): (a) Under Rural Water Supply Programme, the total allocation under the Centrally Sponsored Acceleration Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP) is Rs. 1282.32 crores and total outlay under the State Sector Minimum Needs Programme (MNP) is Rs. 2253.25 crores during the Seventh Plan period.

Under Rural Sanitation Programme total allocation under Central Rural Sanitation Programme (CRSP) is Rs. 4.00 crores.

(b) The total allocation made to different States/UTs and the amount actually spent under these Programmes so far are as under: 203

(Rs. in crores)

| Programme 1 | | Amount Allocated including provision in 1989-90 | Amount spent (Report- ted upto 30.6.89) |
|-------------|---|---|--|
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| | a) ARWSP/Mini Missions/ Sub-Missions etc. | 1832.19 | 1388.59 |
| | b) MNP | 2535.70 | 1936.98 |
| В. | Rural Sanitation | | |
| | a) CRSP | 28.74* | 9.52 |
| | b) MNP | 33.36 | 8.68 |

^{*}Releases in 1986-89 and allocation for 1989-90.

(c) and (d). The policy for rural water supply and rural sanitation in the Eighth Plan and the outlays thereof have not yet been finalised.

Construction of Houses under Indira Awas Yojna in Bihar

492. DR. CHANDRA SHEKHAR VERMA: SHRI KRISHNA PRATAP SINGH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the construction of houses under 'Indira Awas Yojna' has not been done according to target decided for Bihar State;
 - (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the amount allocated to Bihar State for the construction of houses under this

scheme for the year 1988-89 and 1989-90 respectively and how many built houses have been allotted to the poor till date?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOP-MENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICUL-TURE (SHRIJANARDHA POOJARY): (a) to (c). For the year 1988-89, and amount of Rs. 1750 lakhs in cash was allocated to Bihar for construction of houses under the Indira Awas Yojana (IAY). With the resources made available to the State during the year (including the value of foodgrains), 19327 Nos. of houses could ce constructed under this Scheme. On the basis of the information received from the State Government so far. 14230 Nos. of houses are reported to have been constructed and allotted to the target group during 1988-89 (upto February, 1989) under IAY.

Indira Awas Yojana is being continued as a component of Jawahar Rozgar Yojana