

- (b) The survey has been completed.
 (c) Does not arise.

Drugs and Health Policy

4780. DR. CHINTA MOHAN : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is a proposal to integrate Drug and Health Policy and bring it under the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare ;

(b) whether equitable pricing, distribution and other factors like limitation of formulation are proposed to be covered by the proposed policy ; and

(c) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Question does not arise.

Air India Regional office in Kerala

4781. SHRI K. KUNJAMBU :
 SHRI K. MOHANDAS :

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is a proposal to set up a regional office of the Air India in Kerala ; and

(b) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

World Bank Aid for Drainage Channels and Bypass Roads in Andhra

4782. SHRI C. SAMBU : Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have approached the World Bank for financial assistance for the construction of drainage channels and bypass roads in Andhra Pradesh ; and

(b) if so, the, details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) :
 (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) A provision of Rs. 12.97 crores for drainage and Rs. 36.59 crores for roads has been made in the Andhra Irrigation II project which is receiving World Bank assistance.

Pune-Ahmedabad-Delhi Air Link

4783. SHRI V.N. GADGIL : Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is a demand for an air-link between Pune-Ahmedabad and Delhi ; and

(b) if so, whether there is a proposal to introduce Pune-Ahmedabad-Delhi flights ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER) : (a) and (b) There is no proposal at present to introduce Pune-Ahmedabad-Delhi flight. However, after the Pune airfield becomes available for the B-737 operations, on completion of the runway repairs, Indian Airlines would consider connecting Ahmedabad-Pune, subject to traffic potential and availability of aircraft capacity.

New Pharmaceutical College in Gujarat

4748. SHRIMATI USHA THAKKAR : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether Union Government have received any representation seeking the

permission to start new Pharmaceutical Colleges from any of the University of Gujarat or Government of Gujarat ;

(b) if so, the action taken on these representations ;

(c) whether there is any demand for starting a pharmaceutical college in Kutch; and

(d) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT AND THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI P.V. NARASIMHA RAO) : (a) and (b) Two separate proposals have been received for starting new Pharmacy Colleges in Vallabh Vidyanagar and Rajkot. These are being examined at present.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Question does not arise.

Implementation of Fitment Document in Indian Institutes of Technology

4785. SHRI NARAYAN CHOUBEY : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether the IIT Council rejected the fitment document (regarding pay scales of non-academic employees of IITs) placed before the Council by five IIT Directors in 1985 ;

(b) whether the Director, Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur has started implementing provisions of the fitment document rejected by the council ; and

(c) if so, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT AND MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI P.V. NARASIMHA RAO) : (a) to (c) The Council of IITs in its meeting held in March 1985 approved a modified Personal Promotion Scheme for Junior

Non-Academic Staff of the IITs and advised all the IITs, including Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur, to implement the scheme with a proviso that any further anomalies in terms of pay scales could be resolved at the Institutes' level through the appropriate authorities. While implementing the scheme, the IITs made a few changes in the pay scales in order to remove anomalies and bring uniformity in the ladders of promotion in the various Departments, with the approval of the appropriate authorities as per the provision in the decision of the IIT Council.

Community Health Guides' Scheme

4786. SHRI SATYAGOPAL MISRA : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Government decided to dispense with the scheme of 'Community Health Guide' ;

(b) if so, the details thereof ; and

(c) if not, whether Government propose to make the scheme more effective by providing better remuneration to the Community Health Guides ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Question does not arise.

(c) Health Guides are voluntary workers and an honorarium of Rs. 50 per month is paid to them to meet out of pocket expenses. There is no proposal to enhance the honorarium for Health Guides.

Upgradation of Clerical posts in Railways

4787. DR. CHINTA MOHAN : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :