

(b) It is not considered desirable to divert the train

[*Translation*]

Rural Electrification in Bihar

5118. SHRI YUVRAJ: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the rural electrification scheme has not been implemented in various villages of Katihar district of Bihar.

(b) whether transmission lines have not been laid so far despite the completion of Sonali Power Sub-station in Katihar district under rural electrification scheme; and

(c) if so, the time by which rural areas of Katihar district are proposed to be electrified and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY AND MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ARIF MOHAMMAD KHAN): (a) Out of 1232 inhabited villages in the Katihar district of Bihar, 728 villages have been electrified upto January, 1990

(b) As reported by the State Electricity Board, Sonali 33/11 KV sub-station along with the supporting 33 KV lines is likely to be commissioned by May/June, 1990

(c) All the remaining unelectrified villages of Katihar district are likely to be electrified in the Eighth five Year Plan subject to the availability of necessary funds and other inputs.

[*English*]

Profit/loss of Hindustan Newsprint Ltd., Kottayam

5119. PROF. K. V. THOMAS: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the profit/loss incurred by the Hindustan Newsprint Ltd. Kottayam during the last three years; and

(b) the reasons for losses, if any?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI AJIT SINGH): (a) and (b). The net profit/loss of Hindustan Newsprint Limited, Kottayam during the last three years are:-

<i>Year</i>	<i>Net profit/loss (in Lakh Rs.)</i>
1987 - 88	- 175
1988 - 89	+ 200
1989 - 90 (Provisional and subject to audit)	+ 2200

In 1987- 88, Hindustan Newsprint Ltd. incurred net loss on account of then uneconomic price of newsprint insufficient to cover the increase in the cost of various inputs.

Supply of Petroleum Gas through Pipeline in Bombay and Delhi

5120 PROF. RAM GANESH KAPSE. Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received a proposal for supply of LPG through pipelines to the consumers in Bombay and Delhi cities;

(b) if so, the action taken by Government in this regard, and

(c) when this scheme is likely to be implemented?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) to (c). It is not feasible to

supply LPG through pipelines Gas Authority of India Ltd have carried out a techno-economic feasibility study for supply of natural gas by pipeline in Bombay, has have submitted a proposal to the Union Government for approval The proposal is under consideration The feasibility of supplying natural gas in Delhi is also being studied

[*Translation*]

Trains from Barauni to Bagha

5121 SHRI HUKMDEO NARAYAN YADAV Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state

(a) whether there is no direct train between Barauni Junction and Bagha causing inconvenience to local people

(b) if so, whether Government propose to introduce a new train from Barauni Junction to Bagha, and

(c) if so, when?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES): (a) Yes, Sir There is no direct train However suitable connections exists at Samastipur and Narkatiaganj

(b) No, Sir

(c) Does not arise

[*English*]

Installation of ILS at Dimapur

5122 SHRI SHIKIHO SEMA Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether any expert technical committee is propose to be sent to Dimapur for exploring the feasibility of installation of ILS as Dimapur Airport,

(b) if so, the programme worked out in this regard,

(c) if not, when the possibilities of installation of ILS at Dimapur are likely to be explored,

(d) whether any funds are proposed to be provided for installation of ILS at Dimapur during the Eighth Plan, and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY AND MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ARIF MOHAMMAD KHAN): (a) Yes, Sir

(b) Installation of Instrument Landing System at Dimapur will be finalised after receipt of preliminary survey report

(c) Does not arise

(d) Yes, Sir

(e) Does not arise

Power Production from Different Sources

5123 SHRI HARPAL SINGH PANWAR
SHRI Y S RAJA SEKHAR REDDY
SHRI SATYANARAYAN JATIYA

Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state

(a) the quantum of power being generated at present under various sectors like Hydrel, Thermal and Atomic Power,

(b) the installed capacity of power generation under various categories, separately,