

**New FCI Godowns**

5350. SHRIRAMESH CHENNITHALA:  
Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Food Corporation of India propose to construct more godowns in the country;

(b) if so, the states and places chosen for construction work; and

(c) the norms observed for selection of

places?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI NATHU RAM MIRDHA) (a) and (b). Construction of storage capacity of 2.03 lakh tonnes is expected to be completed by F.C.I. during 1990-91, The details are given in the attached statement.

(c) Food Corporation of India constructs storage capacity at certain nodal points. The selection of nodal points is made keeping in view the Corporation's needs for procurement/storage/distribution and operational considerations.

**STATEMENT**

*Centrewise/Regionwise details of anticipated targets for capacity realisation during 1990-91 by FCI*

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of Centre/Region</i>	<i>Capacity ( '000 tonnes)</i>
<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>
ANDHRA PRADESH		
1	Guddivada	30.00
DELHI		
1	Ghevra	5.00
RAJASTHAN		
1	Baran	2.50
2	Barmer	5.00
3	Chandera	5.00
4	Hanumangarh	5.00
5	Keshorapatnam	6.67

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1	2	3
6	Srivijayanagar	3.74
Total		27.91

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## UTTAR PRADESH

1	Bullandshahar	0.84
2	Kosikalan	4.83
3	Mathura	2.24
4	Muradabad	5.00
5	Partapur	19.58
6	Varanasi	1.82
7	Roza	10.00
8	Pithoragarh	2.50
Total		46.81

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## ARUNACHAL PRADESH

1.	Passighat	2.50
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## MIZORAM

1	Lawngtalai	3.34
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## NAGALAND

1	Mon	2.22
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## JAMMU &amp; KASHMIR

1	Leh	2.50
2	Kargil	2.50
3	Kathua-II	5.00
4	Poonch	2.50

1	2	3
5	Rajouri	2.50
Total		15.00
WEST BENGAL		
1	Dhankuni	5.00
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR		
1	Port Blair	5.00
MAHARASHTRA		
1	Wardha	30.00
HIMACHAL PRADESH		
1	Noorpur	5.00
KERALA		
1	Karunagapally	10.00
2	Thikkodi	5.00
3	Mavelikara	5.00
Total		20.00
SIKKIM		
1	Rangpoo	1.67
TRIPURA		
1	Kumarghat	4.45
Grand Total		203.90

[English]

**Prohibition of Alcohol**

5351. SHRI S. T. PATIL: Will the Minis-

ter of WELFARE be pleased to state whether the Union Government propose to bring forward a central legislation to stop the production and use of beverage and introduce total prohibition in the country as a welfare