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[Translation]

Supply of Adulterated Petrol in Maharashtra

6476. SHRI PANDURANG PUNDLIK FUNDKAR : Will the Minister of PETRO-LEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government are aware that the Petro/diesel retail outlets on National Highway No. 6 in Maharashtra are supplying adulterated petrol to the consumers;

(b) whether the Government have conducted any raids in this regard;

(c) if so, the number of such raids conducted so far and the outcome thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKAR-ANAND) : (a) to (d). The oil Companies conducted 545 inspections during April, 1990 - July, 1991. MS sample failed in two cases. Action was taken as per Marketing Discipline Guidelines.

[English]

Rail Link From Dindigul to Gudalur (Tamil Nadu)

6477. SHRI RAJAGOPAL NAIDU RAMASWAMY : Will the Minister of RAIL-WAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether survey has been conducted twice for a rail route from Dindigul to Gudalur in Tamil Nadu; and

(b) if so, the details thereon and the action taken thereon?

THE MINSTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-LIKARJUN) : (a) No, Sir. Survey for Dindigul-Theni-Gudalur (131 kms.) MG line was conducted only once in 1949. In 1952, the survey for part of section from Theni to Gudalur (46 kms.) was updated.

(b) On the basis of the survey reports, the cost of Dindigul-Gudalur was then estimated at Rs. 1.93 crores. The project was financially unremunerative not be sanctioned.

Complaints Regarding Misbehaviour By AIR Hostesses

6478. SHRISHRAVAN KUMAR PATEL : Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government have received complaints regarding alleged misbehaviour by the air-hostesses;

(b) if so, the number of details thereof during 1991, till date; and

(c) the action taken by the Government on these complaints?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCIN-DIA) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Extension of Rajkot Express from Bhopal to Jabalpur

6479. SHRISHRAVAN KUMAR PATEL : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal to extend Rajkot Express from Bhopal to Jabalpur;