

(c) the reasons for not acknowledging the receipt within fifteen days and not sending the final reply within three months?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI KALP NATH RAI): (a) to (c). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

[English]

T.V. Relay Centres in Orissa

643. SHRI SANAT CHANDRA PATTANAYAK: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to set up T.V. relay centres at Titlagarh, Kantabhaji and Patnagarh areas in Orissa during 1992-93; and

(b) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARIGIRJAVYAS): (a) and (b). No, Sir. Due to resource constraints, there are no plans to set up TV relay centres at these places during 1992-93.

Night Landing Facilities at Calicut Airport

644. SHRI E. AHAMED: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposed to provide night landing facilities at Calicut airport;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA) (a) and (b). Night landing facilities already exist at Calicut airport.

(c) Does not arise.

Grounding of A-320 Airbus

645. SHRI JEEWAN SHARMA:
SHRI MOHAN SINGH
(DEORIA)
SHRI M.V.
CHANDRASEKHARA
MURTHY:
SHRI V. SREENVIASA
PRASAD:
SHRI GURUDAS KAMAT:
SHRI ANNA JOSHI:

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of A-320 Airbus had to be grounded recently;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and the number thereof;

(c) the extent to which flight schedules had been disrupted along-with the estimated loss suffered as a result thereof;

(d) whether any inquiry has been ordered into it;

(e) if so, the outcome thereof;

(f) by when these grounded aircrafts are likely to be put into service again; and

(g) the preventive steps taken/proposed to be taken in this regard?

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

(b) to (g). Do not arise.

[*Translation*]

Telephone Facilities in Hospitals of Uttar Pradesh

646. SHRI DEVI BUX SINGH:
SHRI BALRAJ PASSI:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government hospitals in Uttar Pradesh, particularly in Nainital and Unnao districts, have been provided with telephone facilities;

(b) if not, the names of hospital where telephones have not been provided so far; and

(c) the time by which these hospitals are likely to be provided with telephone facilities?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) All the Government Hospitals in the State of Uttar Pradesh at District level including Nainital and Unnao Districts) have been provided with Telephone facility.

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

Loan by Power Finance Corporation to UPSEB

647. SHRI CHINMAYANAND SWAMY:
Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether inadequate loan was sanctioned by the Power Finance Corporation to U.P. State Electricity Board during 1991-92 for power transmission work against their requirements;

(b) the reasons for the difference between the requirements and the funds actually sanctioned; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to ensure the availability of required funds to U.P. State Electricity Board by the Power Finance Corporation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI KALP NATH RAI): (a) to (c). Due to non-compliance with certain conditionalities of the lending policy by U.P.S.E.B, P.F.C. could disburse amounts sanctioned in the previous years only to U.P.S.E.B. and not fresh loans. U.P.S.E.B. has been requested to formulate its Operational and Financial Action Plan, take steps to achieve minimum statutory 3% return, repay the outstanding dues etc., so that fresh loans could be sanctioned.

[*English*]

Telugu Ganga Project

648. SHRI ANBARASU ERA: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the present position of the Telugu Ganga project; and

(b) the time by which it is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) Telugu Ganga Project, though techno-economically appraised by the