

[*Translation*]

World Bank Assistance to Punjab

3603. SHRI MOHAN SINGH (FERO-ZEPUR): Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the total amount of assistance provided by the World Bank and other financial institutions for the Various schemes of Punjab during each of the last three years;

(b) the total amount spent on these schemes so far;

(c) whether some such schemes are still lying incomplete;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the steps being taken by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI RAMESHWAR THAKUR): (a) and (b). A list of projects approved for the State of Punjab for assistance from the World Bank and other multi-lateral financial institutions in the years 1989-90, 1990-91 and 1991-92 and the cumulative debts until 30.6.92 is at statement -I.

(c) to (e). The pace of utilisation of assistance is dependent on the implementation time profile of the project, which is normally 5 to 7 years.

STATEMENT - I

Sl. No.	Project	Loan amount (in US \$ Million)	Disbursed upto 30.6.92 (in US \$ Million)
1	2	3	4

State-Specific Project

1. Punjab Irrigation - II 145.3 21.3

National/Multi-State Projects

(with a component for Punjab; figures relate to the project as a whole)

2. Northin Region Transmission 485.0 29.1

3. Integrated Watersted Development (Hills) 75.0 5.5

4. Population - VII 82.0 11.6

5. Technician Education - II 307.1 17.1

6. National Highway - III 306.0 0.0

7. Child Survival and Safe Motherhood 214.5 29.4

8. Aids Control Project 84.0 0.0

9. Vocational Training 210.0 44.4

10. Technician Education-II 307.1 17.1