

(c). While formulating its recommendations on Price Policy the CACP keeps in view the movements in terms of trade between agricultural sector and non-agricultural sector. The CACP takes into account not only a comprehensive over-view of the entire structure of the economy of a particular crop but also a number of important factors like cost of production, changes in input prices, trends in market prices, input/output price parity, demand and supply, inter-crop price parity, effect on industrial cost structure, effect on general price level, effect on cost of living, international market price situation, parity between prices paid and prices received.

[*Translation*]

Allotment of out of turn Government Accommodation

1738. SHRI RAM SAGAR: Will the

Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) The number of Central Government employees who have been allotted out of turn type II Government accommodation in Delhi during the period from 1st August, 1991 to 31st August, 1992; and

(b) the date of priority regarding type II accommodation upto which employees have been covered as on 31st August, 1992.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) 726.

(b) (i) General Pool	16.5.1963
(ii) S.C. Pool	13.1.1965
(iii) S.T. Pool	1.12.1973
(iv) Ladies Pool (Single)	28.11.1973
(v) Ladies Pool (Married)	1.8.1980

European Countries Assistance to Agriculture Projects

1739. SHRI SURENDRA PAL PATHAK: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the European countries have provided financial or technical assistance for agricultural projects in country during 1991-92 and 1992-93; and

(b) if so, the details of such projects and the financial and other assistance provided

for these projects?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) and (b). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

[*English*]

Crop Insurance Scheme

1740. SHRI HARISH NARAYAN PRABHU JANTYE: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the crops covered under Crop Insurance Scheme in Goa;

(b) the number of farmers in Goa covered under the scheme during last three years; and

(c) the premium collected and paid to these farmers in Goa during the above period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE

Year	No. of farmers	Premium	Claims Paid
		Rs.	Rs.
1989-90	1138	13,000	Nil
1990-91	1141	13,000	Nil
1991-92	1242	16,000	3,127

Drought conditions in Andhra Pradesh

1741. DR. R. MALLU: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware of the severe drought conditions in some parts of Andhra Pradesh;

(b) the steps taken by the Government to overcome this situation on a long term basis; and

(c) whether the Government would intensify agricultural R&D efforts and to develop drought resistant varieties of seeds and also to go in for non-traditional crops?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) Government of Andhra Pradesh has reported that due to inadequate rains during the cur-

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) The crops covered under the Comprehensive Crop Insurance Scheme (CCIS) in Goa are paddy, Ragi, Pulses and Groundnut.

(b) and (c). The number of farmers, premium collected and claims paid during the last three years in Goa under Comprehensive Crop Insurance Scheme (CCIS) are as follows:-

rent year, adverse seasonal conditions exist in the distinct of Krishna, Cuddapah, Nizamabad, Mahabubnagar, Nalgonda and Rangareddy of the State.

(b) The long-term measures taken by the State Govt. include.

(i) Drought prevent in measures like water shed development programme in dryland areas which basically aims at moisture conservation and prevention of degradation of natural resources.

(ii) Providing minor irrigation sources like percolation tanks, check dams and optimum utilisatin by providing sprinkler irrigation sets etc.

(iii) Dryland horticulture and farm forestry.

(iv) Soil conservation works for prevent in