

KRISHNA KUMAR): (a) A meeting of the Chief Executives of the States Cooperative Marketing Federations and Oilseeds Growers Federation was convened by National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India Limited (NAFED), the nodal agency for undertaking price support operations in selected oilseeds and pulses.

(b) to (d). The meeting reviewed the crop prospects of Kharif oilseeds and pulses. The operational and financial arrangements for procurement of oilseeds and pulses in case the need arises for price support operations were finalised to ensure that prices of oilseeds and pulses of specified fair average quality (FAQ) variety do not fall below the support prices and prevent distress sale by farmers.

[English]

#### **Overbridge on Ganjam Railway Station**

6009. SHRI GOPINATH GAJAPATHI: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have a proposal to construct an overbridge on Ganjam railway station in Orissa;

(b) if so, the reasons for not constructing it so far; and

(c) the steps taken to expedite the construction of that overbridge?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C.K. JAFFER SHARIEF): (a) No, Sir.

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

#### **Committees for Accidents**

6010. SHRI N.J. RATHVA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have set up some Committees to inquire into the causes of Railway accidents in May, 1992;

(b) if so, whether these Committees have submitted their reports;

(c) if so, the suggestions made therein and the reaction of the Government thereto;

(d) if not, the time by which the reports are likely to be submitted; and

(e) the reasons for delay in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C.K. JAFFER SHARIEF): (a) No, Sir. The last Railway Accidents Enquiry Committee, under the chairmanship of Justice S.M. Sikri, was set up in 1978 to review and examine the whole gamut of train accidents and safe running of trains and also to suggest measures for prevention of accidents.

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

#### **Consumer Protection**

6011. SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL: Will the Minister of CIVIL SUPPLIES CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken by the Union Government for strengthening and