

Mega City Development Programme

6229. SHRIMATI CHANDRA PRABHA URS : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Karnataka Government has sought a matching contribution of Rs. 20 crores for the implementation of projects under the Mega City Development Programme in Karnataka; and

(b) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI P.K. THUNGON) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The Karnataka Government has proposed the Bangalore Mega City Project at an estimated cost of Rs. 805 crores to be implemented during 8th and 9th Plan periods. Out of the total Central outlay of Rs. 75 crores for Mega City Projects during 1994-95, Rs. 20 crores is proposed for Bangalore Project. However, the actual release will depend on the final shape and requirements of the project that may be taken for implementation during 1994-95.

Modernisation Fund for Small Scale Sector

6230. SHRI SOBHANA DREESWARA RAO VADDE : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Small Industry Modernisation Fund for modernisation and upgradation of Small Scale Sector

has since been set-up; and
(b) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES AND AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES) (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM) : (a) and (b) No Sir, No such fund for modernisation for small scale industry has been set up by Government of India. However, Small Industries Development Bank of India i.e. SIDBI and same other banks like state Bank of India have taken up programmes for modernisation of small industries.

Rajiv Gandhi Drinking Water Mission

6231. DR. SAKSHIJI : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government of Uttar Pradesh has submitted any proposal to the Union Government for providing safe and adequate drinking water in the villages of Uttar Pradesh under the Rajiv Gandhi Drinking Water Mission;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government thereon; and

(c) the time by which these proposals are likely to be approved ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT) (SHRI UTTAMBHAI HARJIBHAI PATEL): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Two Water Supply schemes for Pauri district and 9 schemes for Pithoragarh district were approved at an estimated cost of Rs. 16 lakhs and Rs. 185 lakhs respectively. 5 schemes for