PARI IAMENTARY **AFFAIRS** AND OF MINISTER STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS AND DEPARTMENT OF **OCEAN** DEVELOPMENT (SHRI **EDURADO** FALEIRO): (a) to (c). Government have decided to provide a compensation of Rs. 150.88 crores to Rashtriya Chemicals & Fertilizers Ltd. (RCF) for the loss arising from payment of enhanced interest and principal amount on Kuwaiti Dinar loan on account of exchange rate fluctuations.

(d) and (e). RCF has already repaid the Kuwaiti Dinar loan alongwith interest on 16.12.1993.

Sickness of Small Scale Industries

- 3045. SHRI UDAYSINGRAO GAIKWAD: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:
- (a) the total number of Small Scale Industrial Units registered with the Government as on February 28, 1994; State/Union territory-wise;
- (b) the number of Small Scale Industrial Units out of them declared sick, State/Union territory-wise;
- (c) the number of units lying closed at present, State/Union territory-wise;
- (d) the reasons for their sickness; and
- (e) the remedial steps proposed to overcome their sickness?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES AND AGRO RURAL

- (SHRI M INDUSTRIES) ARUNACHALAM): (a) According to the information furnished by various State/UT Directorate of Industries, There were 16 37 812 small scale units registered up 31.12.1992 (latest available). the Statement showing cumulative number of small scale industrial units falling under the purview of Small Industrial Development Organisation and registered with respective State/UT is given below.
- (b) State/UT-wise distribution of sick small scale industrial units as at the end of 31st March, 1992 as per the Reserve Bank of India is given in *Statement-II*.
- (c) any specific study to find out State/Union Territory wise number of units lying closed at present has not been under-taken. However, based on the results of the 2nd all India census of SSI units conducted by DC(SSI) during 1989-91, State/UT-wise position with regard to number of units found closed at the end to 31st March, 1988 is given in *Statement-III*.
- (d) The main reasons for the sickness of small scale industrial units as revealed by the findings of the lst All India Diagnostic Survey of SSI units conducted during 1982-83, were: Lack of finance, Marketing problems, Non availability of raw materials, shortage of power & other sources of energy, labour trouble, Faulty/obsolete technology, high rate of taxes, Transport bottlenecks, personal factors and other reasons.
- (e) Measures for the rehabilitation of viable sick units are being taken on regular basis through State Level Inter-Institutional Committee and State Level Rehabilitation Committee. Banks are also helping to rehabilitate viable sick units on regular basis.

STATEMENT-I

Cumulative number of SIDO Units Registered on Permanent basis with State/UT Directorates as on 31.12.1992

SI. No.	State/UT	No of SIDO Units Registered as on 31-12-1992
1.	Andhra Pradesh	107312
2.	Assam	14354
3.	Bihar	83782
4.	Gujarat	94879
5.	Haryana	79953
6.	Himachal Pradesh	12165
7.	Jammu & Kashmir	22653
8.	Karnataka	88513
9.	Kerala	86595
10.	Madhya Pradesh	184245 (E)
11.	Maharashtra	68003
12.	Manipur	4310 (E)
13.	Meghalaya	1617 (E)
14.	Nagaland	642
15.	Orissa	16505 (E)
16.	Punjab	134337
17.	Rajasthan	64437
18.	Tamil Nadu	133807
19.	Tripura	5665
20.	Uttar Pradesh	247907
21.	Sikkim	224
22.	Arunachal Pradesh	571
23.	West Bengal	142508 (E)
24.	Mizoram	2638
25.	Goa	5381
26.	Andaman & Nicobar	852

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SI No			No of SIDO Units Registered as on 31-12-1992
27.	Chandigarh		2844
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli		306
29.	Delhi		26606
30.	Lakshadweep		184
31.	Pondicherry		3517
32.	Daman & Diu		440 (E)
	Total		1637812

E = Estimated.

STATEMENT-II

State/UT-Wise Distribution of Sick Small Scale Industrial Units as at the end of March, 1992

SI. No.	State/UT	Total Sick Units*
1.	Assam	5317
2.	Meghalaya	68
3.	Mizoram	1
4.	Bihar	7823
5.	Arunachal Pradesh	50
6.	West Bengal	32022
7.	Nagaland	2039
8.	Manipur	2277
9.	Orissa	8415
10.	Sikkim	75
11.	Tripura	670
12.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	22
13.	Uttar Pradesh	94150
14.	Delhi	4705

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SI.			Total Sick Units*
15.	Punjab		5485
16.	Haryana		3467
17.	Chandigarh		342
18.	Jammu & Kashmir		769
19.	Himachal Pradesh		1481
20.	Rajasthan		14420
21.	Gujarat		6581
22.	Maharashtra		20153
23.	Daman & Diu		. 41
24.	Goa		1066
25.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli		5
26.	Madhya Pradesh		22333
27.	Andhra Pradesh		29586
28.	Karnataka		17316
29.	Lakshadweep		
30.	Tamil Nadu		9797
31.	Kerala		14883
32.	Pondicherry		216
	Total		245575
* The	se Includes Non SIDO Units /	Also	
Sourc	e:- Reserve Bank of India Re	port.	•
		STATEMENT-III	
SI. No.	State/UT		No of Units Found Closed/Non-Traceable*

15177

3320

17018

21623

Andhra Pradesh

Assam

Bihar

Gujarat

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SI. No.	State/UT		No of Units Found Closed/Non-Traceable*
5.	Haryana		22319
6.	Himachal Pradesh		3378
7 .	Jammu & Kashmir	_	4700
8.	Karnataka	• •	17132
9.	Kerala		11830
10.	Madhya Pradesh		44436
11.	Maharashtra		13894
12.	Manipur		361
13.	Meghalaya		153
14.	Nagaland		83
15.	Orissa		5315
16.	Punjab	•	39954
17.	Rajasthan		19433
18.	Tamil Nadu		25143
19.	Tripura		603
20.	Uttar Pradesh		41150
21.	West Bengal	-	44411
22.	Sikkim		36
23.	Andaman & Nicobar		106
24.	Arunachal Pradesh		42
25.	Chandigarh		640
26.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli		33
2 7.	Delhi		7425
28.	Goa		1000
29.	Mizoram		306
30.	Pondicherry		830
31.	Daman & Diu		46
	Total		361897

Note: Union Territory of Lakshadweep had no registered unit as no 31-3-1988.

^{*} These units have been closed down during a span of 15 years i.e. form 1.1.1973 to 31.3.1988.