

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) to (c). No proposals have been received from the State Government of Gujarat to provide financial assistance for promotion of tourism in the State during 1994-95 and subsequent years during the Eighth Five Year Plan period.

[*Translation*]

Semi-Government Employees

5434. SHRI BARE LAL JATAV:
SHRI MOHAN SINGH
(FEROZEPUR):

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to State:

(a) whether the Government are contemplating to grant pension and gratuity to all the semi-Government employees;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which a decision is likely to be taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M.V. CHANDRASHEKHARA MURTHY): (a) to (c). There is no general proposal under consideration to grant pension and gratuity to all the Semi-Government Employees.

Historical Monuments

5435. SHRI AVTAR SINGH BHADANA: Will the Minister of CIVIL

AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have decided to close down the historical monuments of tourist importance to the public on some days in a week;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether this information has been included in the tourist literature of the country in the interest of the tourists; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) So far as the historical monuments of national importance are concerned no such decision has been taken by the Central Government.

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

[*English*]

Inspection of Exported Items

5436. DR. LAXMI NARAYAN PANDEYA:
SHRI BRIJBHUSHAN SHARAN SINGH:
SHRI SATYA DEO SINGH:
PROF. PREM DHUMAL:

Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have decided to free several items from the