

5. Goa Shipyard Ltd., Goa:

GSL has following diversification plans in addition to its Shipbuilding, Shiprepairing and General Engineering Business:—

- (a) Manufacture of Stern Gear
- (b) Manufacture of Fin Stabiliser
- (c) High Tech. Value Areas—For example, heavy fabrication for petro-chemical and refinery projects.

[Translation]

Medicines through CGHS under VIP Quota

1747. SHRI BHEEM SINGH PATEL: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the budgetary provision made by the Government for medicines through CGHS every year under VIP quota;
- (b) whether any special assistance is being provided to the State Governments also for medicines under VIP quota;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether there is any provision to provide medicines through VIP quota at district level; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) to (c) No separate budgetary provision is made for VIPs.

- (d) No, Sir.
- (e) Does not arise.

[English]

Mining in Bihar

1748. SHRI SIMON MARANDI: Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state:

- (a) The details of mineral-based industries set up in Bihar during Eighth Five Year Plan; and
- (b) The mineral based industries proposed to be set up during the current financial year with their locations thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF MINES (SHRI BALRAM SINGH YADAV): (a) and (b). The information is being collected and will be laid on Table on the House.

[English]

Surgery for Brain Tumour in AIIMS

1749. SHRI CHETAN P.S. CHAUHAN: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether radiation surgery for brain tumour is likely to be made available in A.I.I.M.S.;
- (b) if so, by when the facility is likely to be made available; and
- (c) the estimated treatment cost per patient?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Efforts are on to allocate requisite funds to procure Gamma Knife for the project.

(c) The estimated cost per patient will be Rs. 2 lac.
[Translation]

Direct Telegraphs Service in U.P.

1750. SHRI HARI KEWAL PRASAD: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) the places in Uttar Pradesh where direct telegraph service is available;
- (b) the names of the places where this service is likely to be made available in the near future; and
- (c) the steps being taken to improve telegraph service in Uttar Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SŪKH RAM): (a) There are 119 stations in Uttar Pradesh where direct telegraph facility through small/large computer based systems is available. The names of stations are given in Statement.

(b) At 32 more stations the said facility is a likely to be made available in near future. The names of the stations are given in Statement.

(c) The following steps have been taken to improve the telegraph facility in Uttar Pradesh :

- (1) At Lucknow, one SFMS-128 lines system and at Dehradun, Agra and Allahabad, three SFMS-32 lines systems have been commissioned.
- (2) One SFMS-32 Lines system is under installation at Kanpur.
- (3) During 8th Five Year Plan, one SFMS-32 Lines system will be installed at Varanasi. In order to replace the slow speed morse instruments, there is a plan to install 57 EKECs and 550 EKBs out of which 20 EKACs and 229 EKBs have been received which are likely to be installed in near future.

Statement-I

Names of Places in U.P. where Direct Telegraph Facilities are available on SFMS Network

Sl. No.	Name
1.	Agra
2.	Agra Belanganj
3.	Agra Jauharibajar
4.	Ag-Foundry Nagar
5.	Agra-Sanjaya Place
6.	Aligarh City
7.	Aligarh M.U.
8.	Aligarh
9.	Allahabad (2)

Sl. No.	Name
10.	Allahabad Chowk
11.	Allahabad Kuchery
12.	Allahabad Naini
13.	Almora
14.	Anpara
15.	Ayodhya
16.	Azamgarh
17.	Bahraich
18.	Ballia
19.	Bamrauli
20.	Banda
21.	Barabanki
22.	Bareilly
23.	Bareilly City
24.	Basti
25.	Beejpur
26.	Bhel Ranipur HV
27.	Bijnore
28.	Budaun
29.	Bulandshahar
30.	Bhadoni
31.	Deoria
32.	Dehradun (3)
33.	Dehradun Gahri
34.	Dehradun Raipur
35.	DN Niranjanpur
36.	DN Prem Nagar
37.	DN Vikas Nagar
38.	Etah
39.	Etawah
40.	Faizabad
41.	Fatehpur
42.	Ferozabad
43.	Farrukhabad
44.	Ghaziabad
45.	Gazipur
46.	Gonda
47.	Gopeshwar
48.	Gorakhpur (2)
49.	Haldwani
50.	Hamirpur
51.	Handia
52.	Hapurmandi
53.	Hardwar
54.	Hathras
55.	Jaunpur
56.	Jhansi
57.	Kanpur (5)
58.	Kanpur Anwarganj
59.	Kanpur Cantt.
60.	Kanpur EMP XGE
61.	Kanpur Nayaganj
62.	Kasganj
63.	Lakhimpur Kheri
64.	Lalitpur
65.	Lucknow
66.	Lucknow Alambagh
67.	Lucknow Chowk
68.	Lucknow Dilkusha
69.	Lucknow Kapoorethal
70.	Lucknow Mahanagar
71.	Lucknow Mohanlalaganj
72.	LW Ismailganj
73.	LW Rajaji Puram
74.	Maharajganj
75.	Mainpuri

S. No.	Name
76.	Mathura
77.	Mau
78.	Meerut
79.	Meerut City
80.	Mirza Pur
81.	Modinagar
82.	Moradabad
83.	Muzaffar Nagar
84.	Mathura Refinery
85.	Nainital
86.	New Tehri
87.	Noida
88.	Obra
89.	Orai
90.	Padrauna
91.	Pauri Garhwal
92.	Pithoragarh
93.	Pratapgarh
94.	Raebareli
95.	Pilibhit
96.	Rampur
97.	Renukoot
98.	Rishikesh
99.	Robertsganj
100.	Roorkee
101.	Saharanpur
102.	Shanjahanpur
103.	Shakti Nagar
104.	Siddharthnagar
105.	Sitapur
106.	Srinagar GWL
107.	Sultanpur
108.	Sahibabad
109.	Shikohabad
110.	Tundla
111.	Unnao
112.	Uttarkashi
113.	Varanasi BHU
114.	Varanasi City
115.	Varanasi Kananchha
116.	Varanasi (2)
117.	Kanpur Kidwainagar
118.	Lucknow Aminabad
119.	Hardoi

Statement-II

Names of Places in U.P. where Direct Telegraph Facilities are likely to be made available in near future

Sl. No.	Name
1.	Agra-Tajmahal
2.	Agra Cantt.
3.	Agra Chhibitola
4.	Akbarpur
5.	Amethi
6.	Amroha
7.	Baraut

Sl. No.	Name
8.	Chandausi
9.	Deoband
10.	Fatehgarh
11.	Fatehpur Sikri
12.	Gosaiganj
13.	Gyanpur
14.	IIT Kanpur
15.	Khurja
16.	Kashipur
17.	Koldwar
18.	Kumarganj
19.	Lalganj
20.	Mahoba
21.	Merrut Partapur
22.	Moghal Sarai
23.	Mohan Nagar
24.	Mussoorie
25.	Najibabad
26.	Old Tehri
27.	ONGC
28.	Pahadia Mandi
29.	Rudrapur
30.	Shamli
31.	Vindhyachal
32.	Kanpur Armapur

[English]

Pak's Nuclear Programme

1751. SHRI SUDHIR SAWANT: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether an influential US Congressman had warned Clinton Administration recently that the nuclear armed Pakistan would pose a grave threat not only to India but to the US as well; and

(b) if so, the reaction of the Government and the steps proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI SALMAN KHURSHID): (a) Yes, Sir. Republican Congressman Bill McCollum in a statement featured in the Congressional Record dated September 12, 1994, drew attention to the report entitled "Pakistan's Nuclear Brinkmanship" of the Task Force on terrorism and Unconventional Warfare, of the House Republican Research Committee, dated August 24, 1994, which states that "Fully aware that no single country could confront the US on its own, Islamabad stressed the growing significance of nuclear and military cooperation with other radical states as of crucial importance." The report concludes that "Benazir Bhutto, for reasons geopolitical and domestic, is personally leading Pakistan into becoming a key and active component in a

major global axis at confronting the US..... (and) raised the profile of its confrontation with the US and India."

(b) Government have consistently held the view for long that Pakistan is pursuing a weapons-oriented nuclear programme. It has been pointed out that Pakistan's nuclear weapons programme had evolved surreptitiously from its infancy. Government have called on the international community to act concretely to ensure that Pakistan behaves as a responsible member in the comity of nations, and that Pakistan should be forthwith compelled to abandon its nuclear weapons programme.

New Drug Policy

1752. SHRI N. DENNIS:
DR. GUNVANI RAMBHAU SARODE:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the new Drug Policy of the Government is aimed at improving Siddha and Ayurveda system of medicine;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken to promote these systems?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. C. SILVERA: (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) It is proposed to establish a new department of ISM & Homoeopathy to give a strong thrust to the Indian System of Medicine.

Purchase of Equipments for Food Laboratories

1753. SHRI SHANTARAM POTDUKHE: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have launched any centrally sponsored scheme for providing funds to the State Governments for purchase of equipments for strengthening their Food Laboratories;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the names of the States where this scheme is implemented; and

(d) the amount allocated to each Government during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d). The details of funds provided to various States/UTs during the last 3 years for purchase of equipment for strengthening their Food Laboratories are at *Statement*.