1 2	3	4	5
23. Tirpura	2	3	5
24. Uttar Pradesh	NA	NA	-
25. West Bengal	NA	NA	-
Total (States)	475	2078	2553
UNION TERRITORIES			
26. A&N Islands	1	0	1
27. Chandigarh	2	1	3
28. D&N Haveli	NA	NA	-
29. Daman & Diu	NA	NA	-
30. Delhi	54	146	200
31. Lakshadweep	0	0	0
32. Pondicherry	1	2	3
Total (UTS)	58	149	207
Total (All-India)	533 '	2227	2760

Source : 'Crime in India' Data : 1. Figures Are Provisional.

Written Answers

2. NA Stands for Not Available.

[English]

Re-Oriented Policies in Social Sector

1809. SHRI M.V.V.S. MURTHY: SHRI SULTAN SALAHUDDIN OWAISI:

Will the Minister of PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have re-oriented policies in social sector;
- (b) if so, whether the main thrust is likely to be on health education and family welfare programmes;
- (c) whether according to the study of Human Resource Development, as far as life expectancy, literacy, school enrolment and medical care are concerned. India is lagging behing East Asisan countries like Chains;
- (d) whether any concrete programme of social welfare during the current year has been submitted; and
 - (e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI BALRAM SINGH YADAVA): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. The Eighth Plan recognises "human development" as the core of all development effort. The priority sectors of the Plan, that contribute towards realisation of this goal, are Health, Education, Iteracy and basic needs, including drinking water, housing and welfare programmes for the weaker sections.

- (c) Yes, Sir.
- (d) and (e). Two sets of programmes were commenced on August 15, 1995 :
 - (i) Nutritional Support to Primary Education (NSPE) popularly known as the Mid day Meal Scheme.

Written Answers

(ii) National Social Assistance Programmes (NSAP).

Infiltration into Southern States

1810. SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMCHANDRAN: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

- (a) whether the southern coastal border of the country has been in any way affected by the recent internal disturbances in Sri Lanka;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps being taken to prevent uncontrolled infiltration from across the sea into the Southern States?

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SYED SIBTEY RAZI): (a) and (b). No inward movement of Sri Lankan Tamils following recent internal disturbances in Sri Lanka has come to the notice.

(c) Considering that Tami¹ Nadu has a long coastline, elaborate arrangements have been made for preventing possible infiltration. State Government has intensified security arrangements along the coastline by setting up armed check posts as well as mobile patrols. Apart From these measures, the Palk Bay is kept under Continuous Surveillance by Navy and Coast Guard.

Command Area Development Board

1811. SHRI D. VENKATESWARA RAO: SHRI PARAS RAM BHARDWAJ:

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state :

- (a) whether the Union Government have received any response regarding formation of Command Area Development Board and Farmers' Associations from the State Governments;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the names of such States; and
- (c) the time by which the funds are likely to be allotted for the development of command area under the Command Area Development Programme through the Command Area Development Boards and Farmers' Associations?