STATEMENT III

Statement of Loans Recovered by Regional Rural Banks as at end June of last three Years

			(Amount R	s. in lakhs)
S. No	Name of the . State	1991-92 Amount		
1.	Haryana	3472.03	3673.12	713.03
2.	Himachal Pradesh	443.64	555.42	553.62
3.	Jammu and Kashmir	326.36	117.29	342.84
4.	Punjab	1938.50	3018.18	2902.73
5.	Rajasthan	2862.33	3042.93	4365.75
6.	Arunachai Pradesh	13.50	35.60	26.28
7.	Assam	860.32	853.84	1059.30
8.	Manipur	32.25	41.44	48.24
9.	Meghalaya	121.12	130.86	107.29
10	. Mizoram	97.08	192.69	197.26
11	. Nagaland	2.76	5.09	1.79
12	. Tripura	356.05	137.08	438.34
13. Bihar		3078.46	2381.42	4607.81
14	. Orissa	4879.03	5741.81	6115.07
15	. West Bengal	3732.59	4360.19	5985.80
16	. Madhya Pradesh	4155.46	4696.83	5238.92
17	. Uttar Pradesh	18135.38	19205.71	22939.00
18	. Gujarat	2249.31	3470.21	3987.88
19	. Maharashtra	2173.78	2612.68	4974.59
20	. Andhra Pradesh	13797.51	19226.66	25171.62
21	. Karnataka	13217.67	14014.28	23128.39
22	. Kerala	17097.40	20803.26	24353.60
23	. Tamil Nadu	5614.87	4031.02	5704.87
_	All India	98657.40	112348.51	146964.02
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[English]

Textiles Trade Show

3029. DR. (SHRIMATI) K.S. SOUNDARAM: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any proposal to arrange textile trade show of India to provide textile market related information and to give a real boost to the textile industry and also to help the industry to become more competitive for the world market; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The India Trade Promotion Organisation is organising a composite textile exhibition. "Tex-Styles India '96," from February 11-14, 1996 at Bombay with the active support of the Ministry of Textiles and various Export Promotion Councils and apex bodies related to textiles. This is a comprehensive exhibition on textiles which will cover yarns, fabrics and made-ups of cotton, silk, jute, wool, rayon and synthetic fibres. The purpose of this exhibition is to project the wide range of India's textiles before international buyers as well as to provide an exposition of our fabric base to our manufacturers of garments for production of high quality garments.

Concessions to Big and Small Exporters

3030. SHRI SOBHANADREESWARA RAO VADDE: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the industrialists from Andhra Pradesh have requested the Government to extend the concessions which are now available to the big-exporters to the medium and small level exporters also including total exemption on import duty;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
 - (c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

TH2 MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M.V. CHANDRASHEKHARA MURTHY): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c). Question does not arise.

Trade with Sri Lanka

3031. SHRI C. SREENIVAASAN: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether India-Srilankan economities both of the bilateral level and in the wider context of SAARC are improving as per the desired level;
 - (b) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government have imposed nontariff barriers on the import of spices and rubber from Sri Lanka; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to improve economic ties with Sri Lanka in regard to both import and export of specific items of goods?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) and (b). India-Sri Lanka economic ties, both at bilateral level and in the context of SAARC, are progressing well. They are expected to receive further impetus with the recent operationalisation of the SAARC Preferential Trading Arrangement.