

(c) and (d). In Jaipur city two ICDS projects are operational. In the project areas, a survey was conducted and children in the 0-3 age group who are moderately and severely malnourished and those belonging to the poverty line have been enrolled. In the 3-6 age group all children coming for pre-school education are enrolled and given supplementary nutrition. Pregnant and nurs-

ing mothers at risk and belonging to specified vulnerable sections are also enrolled for supplementary nutrition.

As per the latest report for the month of February the number of beneficiaries receiving supplementary nutrition in the two project areas of Jaipur district are as below:

	<i>Women</i>	<i>Children</i>	<i>Total</i>
Jaipur-I	865	5140	6005
Jaipur-II	1041	6367	7408

[English]

National Colloquium on Child Challenges and new Horizons

1104. SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA:
Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether a national colloquium of creative thinkers on the child in the 1990; "challenges and new horizons" was organised by the UNICEF in New Delhi in the third week of January 1990;

(b) if so, the main observations and suggestions made therein and Government's reaction thereto; and

(c) the estimated number of child labourers in the country?

MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. M.G.K. MENON): (a) Yes, Sir. The colloquium was organised by UNICEF in New Delhi from 16 to 18 January 1990.

(b) The participants supported national initiatives for child development and advocated fulfilment of the rights of children. The Government welcomes and encourages such initiatives to support the rights of the Child.

(c) According to 1981 Census Figures, the number of child workers upto the age of 14 years is 13,640,872 (excluding the State of Assam where Census could not be conducted in 1981).

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