

(II) *Army*

Sl. States/UTs No.	No. of Times Assistance Provided	
	1990	1991
1 Jammu & Kashmir	150	6
2 Uttar Pradesh	47	2
3 Haryana	12	3
4 Punjab	3	70
5 Bihar	5	..
6 Assam	2	..
7 Meghalaya	2	..
8 Gujarat	3	..
9 Himachal Pradesh	20	..
10 Chandigarh	1	..
11 Rajasthan	26	3
12 Andhra Pradesh	2	1
13 Tripura . . . . .	..	1
14 West Bengal . . . . .	..	2
15 Tamil Nadu . . . . .	..	4
16 Delhi . . . . .	..	1
17 Dadra & Nagar Haveli . . . . .	..	1

In addition to the above, the Army had carried out 'Op. Bajrang' in Assam and still continues to provide assistance for antimilitant terrorist drive in Jammu & Kashmir and Punjab.

Embankment Scheme for Linking Narainpur to Kursela in Bihar

2174. SHRI RAM SHARAN YADAV: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the embankment scheme for linking Narainpur to Kur-

sela in Bihar has since been cleared by the Union Government;

(b) if so, the details of Central assistance provided or proposed to be provided therefor; and

(c) if not, the time by which it is likely to be cleared?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) The scheme costing Rs. 13.12 crores was received from State Government in December, 1984. Reply to the comments for further clarification sent in August, 1985 has not been received from the State Government.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

[English]

Import and Export of Dairy Products

2175. SHRI LOKANATH CHOUHDURY: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether attention of the Government has been drawn to the news-item captioned 'Milk powder may have to be imported' appearing in 'Times of India' dated July 13, 1991:

(b) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto;

(c) whether dairy products are being exported to various countries also; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI K. C. LENKA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) A proposal for Commercial import of skimmed milk powder has been received from the National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) on 6-8-1991.

(c) and (d) The export of milk powder was taken up earlier as the

production during 1989-90 was very good. Such exports were linked to the import of palmolein for use in the Market Intervention Operation for edible oil being implemented by NDDB. Other dairy products like ghee and butter are being exported when conditions permit.

(a) the details of irrigation projects of Himachal Pradesh completed during the Seventh Five Year Plan; and

(b) the details of irrigation projects of the State proposed to be included in the Eighth Five Year Plan?

Irrigation Projects in Himachal Pradesh

2176. SHRI K. D. SULTANPURI: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) The following approved medium projects were on-going during the Seventh Plan;

<i>Name</i>	<i>Cost (Rs. crores)</i>		<i>Maximum Area to be benefitted (ha.)</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	<i>approved</i>	<i>revised</i>		
(i) Balh Valley Project	3.02	8.27 (to be got approved)	2410	Likely to be completed in 1991-92. A potential of 1950 ha. created so far of which 1750 ha. was in the Seventh Plan.
(ii) Bhabour Sahib Phase II	4.26	9.00 (to be got approved)	2640	Work started in 1988-89 and an expenditure of Rs. 0.68 crores incurred in Seventh Plan. Completion likely to extend beyond Eighth Plan.

Besides the above, a potential of 9600 ha. was created in the Seventh Plan in the minor irrigation sector through tubewells, river diversion schemes and lift irrigation schemes.

(b) The following new unapproved projects have been recommended for inclusion in the Eighth Plan.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Cost (Rs. crores)</i>	<i>Area benefitted (ha.)</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
(i) Shahnahar irrigation project	49.30	26,536	An area of 1560 ha. is planned to be created in the Eighth Plan through these projects.
(ii) Anandpur Hydrel project	15.00		Tentative costs. Detailed project report yet to be submitted by H. P. Government for techno-economic appraisal.
(iii) Peina Singh Project	25.00		