

(c) Post-retirement Complimentary Passes are granted to the eligible Railway Staff in accordance with their status and service put in at the time of retirement.

**Amount for Operation Blackboard**

1954. SHRI RAJENDRA KUMAR SHARMA:  
SHRI SYED SHAHABUDDIN:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state;

(a) the amount allocated under Operation Blackboard during each of the last three years; State-wise;

(b) the amount annually released, year-wise and State-wise;

(c) the amount actually spent, year-wise and State-wise;

(d) the number of school buildings actually constructed under the scheme, year-wise and State-wise;

(e) the number of primary schools in the country which are yet to meet the minimum standard envisaged in the Operation Blackboard as on April 1, 1991 State-wise;

(f) the amount allotted for 1991-92, State-wise;

(g) whether the Government propose to review the scheme; and

(h) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

**THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH):** (a) to (c). The information of year-wise grants sanctioned and released to State/Union Territories and utilised by them, are given in the Statement-I.

(d) Progress with regard to construction of buildings is monitored phase wise. Phase I, II, III and IV, by and large correspond to 1987-88, 1988-89, 1989-90 and 1990-91. Details are given in statement-II.

(e) The information is given in statement-II.

(f) State-wise allocations are made when proposals are received from the State Govts. and sanctioned. An amount of Rs. 100 Crores has been made available for the scheme during 1991-92.

(g) and (h) The latest review of the scheme was carried out in a meeting of State Education Secretaries and Directors of Primary Education on 9-10th August, 1991. The implementation of the scheme, the steps to improve implementation and the strategy for the VIIIth Plan were discussed.

## **STATEMENT-I**

### **Allocation/Release and Utilisation of Funds (Rs. in Lakhs)**

State/UT.	1987-88			1988-89			1989-90			1990-91		
	Rel.	Ult.	Rel.	Ult.								
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9				
Madhya Pradesh	1194.10	834.26	1981.26	856.91	—	—	—	—	1344.78	652.47		
Maharashtra	545.03	545.03	—	—	788.33	773.61	612.61	612.22				
Manipur	30.03	35.04	98.78	77.82	—	—	—	—	47.88	46.64		
Meghalaya	78.37	76.27	—	—	—	—	—	—	100.49	100.49		
Mizoram	11.80	11.80	22.88	22.88	8.74	8.74	8.87	8.87				
Nagaland	25.66	25.66	24.67	—	42.88	3.44	8.85	8.85				
Orissa	753.00	753.00	1105.45	1105.45	864.25	599.15	1818.32	1818.32				
Punjab	394.11	334.11	384.25	384.25	115.63	115.63	219.29	219.29				
Rajasthan	1175.55	1175.55	1123.68	1120.91	1568.63	1568.63	3456.83	3456.83				
Sikkim	41.57	41.57	9.06	9.06	—	—	—	—	15.36	15.36		
Tamil Nadu	480.86	480.80	856.92	837.49	1213.02	740.77	510.24	510.24				
Tripura	42.12	42.12	—	—	49.59	49.59	7.70	7.70				
Uttar Pradesh	1759.43	1527.45	1893.44	1893.44	2757.88	1369.85	860.94	860.94				

State/UT.	1987-88			1988-89			1989-90			1990-91		
	Rel.	Ult.	Rel.	Ult.	Rel.	Ult.	Rel.	Ult.	Rel.	Ult.	Rel.	Ult.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9				
West Bengal	—	—	384.34	366.90	—	—	—	349.46	—	—	—	—
A & N Island	—	—	—	—	8.27	8.26	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chandigarh	—	—	—	—	1.17	1.17	—	—	—	—	—	—
D & N Haveli	1.99	1.93	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.14	4.14	—	—
Daman & Diu	—	—	1.19	1.19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Delhi	31.39	—	—	—	32.39	30.26	53.59	—	27.27	—	—	—
Lakshadweep	0.48	0.47	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pondicherry	—	—	27.20	25.07	20.32	20.32	10.72	10.72	—	—	—	—

**STATEMENT-II**

### **School Building Construction (No. of Rooms)**





