

(c) whether the Union Government have exact figures of slum dwellers living in each of four metropolitan cities and if not, the reasons thereof.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) No, Sir. 'Urban Development' is a 'State Subject' and Schemes for Slum Improvement and provision of ownership rights to poor persons are formulated and implemented by the State governments, from time to time, in accordance with their needs and priorities.

(b) The Housing and Urban Development Corporation (HUDCO) has a housing scheme for beneficiaries belonging to the Economically Weaker Sections of society (families with a monthly income upto Rs.

1050/-) with a ceiling cost of Rs. 22, 000/- in urban areas. In addition, HUDCO also provides assistance for repairs/additions upto a ceiling cost of Rs.11,000/-

The National Housing Bank is operating Refinance schemes for supplementing assistance by Commercial Banks as well as Regional or State Housing Finance Institutions which are also targetted at dwelling units with an area less than 40 Sq. mtrs.

In Delhi, the Delhi Cooperative Housing Finance Society extends loan facilities to the multi-purpose Cooperative Societies of J.J. dwellers on par with other Group Housing Cooperative Societies.

(c). The exact figures are not available. However estimated figures, as reported to the Central Government, are as under:-

<i>S.No.</i>	<i>Name of Metropolitan city</i>	<i>Identified Slum Population of metro-city (1981)</i>	<i>Estimated slum population in 1990 in the metro-city</i>
<i>(figures in lakhs)</i>			
1.	Greater Bombay	28.314	41.26
2.	Delhi	18.00	32.08
3.	Calcutta	30.28	43.86
4.	Madras	13.63	21.08

Stock of Sugar

149. SHRI MOHAN SINGH: Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) whether the sugar stock of the year 1990-91 is sufficient to meet the domestic demand; and

(b) if so, the stock position of sugar?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD (SHRI TARUN GOGOI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The stock position with the sugar factories as on 30.9.1991 was about 31.67 lakh tonnes (Provisional).

[English]

Committee for public sector Undertakings

150. SHRI PRITHVIRAJ D. CHAVAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state: