

**Cut to Orissa under minimum needs Programme**

4628. SHRI SRIKANTA JENA: Will the Minister of PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether under the minimum needs programme, a cut has been imposed on Central assistance to Orissa as a consequence of their poor performance in the programmes;

(b) if so, the extent of cut imposed during the last three years; and

(c) the names of the programmes on which such a cut has been imposed; and

(d) the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI H.R. BHARDWAJ): (a) No cut has been imposed on Central Assistance to Orissa under the Minimum Needs Programme as a consequence of their poor performance in the programmes.

(b) to (d). Do not arise.

[English]

**Model Villages in States**

4629. SHRI HARIKEWAL PRASAD:  
SHRI ARJUN SINGH YADAV:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to set up some model villages through the Khadi and Village Industries Commission in various States;

(b) if so, the places selected for the

purpose, State / Union Territory-wise; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (PROF. P.J. KURIEN) (a) No, sir.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

**Funds to States under NRY**

4630. SHRI STYAGOPAL MISRA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to reduce the amount earmarked under the Nehru Rozagar Yojana during the current and the next financial year; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b). The allocation for Nehru Rozagar Yojana for the current financial year (1991-91) has been reduced on account of economy cut from Rs. 113 crores to Rs. 102 crores. The allocation for the next financial year (1992-93) is about Rs.71 crores.

The allocations are based on availability of plan resources for the said scheme.

**Mass Rapid Transport System**

4631. DR. LAXMINARAYAN  
PANDEYA:  
SHRI B.L. SHARMA, PREM:  
SHRI PHOOL CHAND  
VERMA:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether (RITES) Rail India Techni-

cal and Engineering Services has preferred to construct the Mass Rapid Transport instead of Delhi Metro Tube Rail System;

(b) whether NDMC has objected to the proposed Delhi Metro Tube Railways and has not given clearance to the Projects of RITES; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and the reasons for such objections?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) The Techno-Economic Feasibility Study conducted by RITES recommends provisions of MRTS for a total distance of 184.5 Kms. which also includes Metro Tube Rail System of 27 Kms.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

#### **Introduction of Solar Panels by C.S.I.R.**

4632. DR. LAXMINARAYAN PANDEYA:  
DR. A. K. PATEL:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the CSIR has claimed to introduce 10 KW Solar Panels in the market;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the progress made so far;

(c) the cost of the energy per unit produced by the present solar panels and how does it compare with that of the hydro and thermal energy;

(d) whether the solar system is commercially viable for lighting purposes; and

(e) the cost of city street lighting with 40 W bulbs through the solar system as compared with the hydro system?

THE PRIME MINISTER (SHRI P.V. NARASIMHA RAO): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (e). Do not arise.

#### **Delhi Tube Railways**

4631. DR. LAXMINARAYAN PANDEYA:  
SHRI B.L. SHARMA PREM:  
SHRI PHOOLCHAND VERMA:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the existing sub-ways constructed and those under construction in Connaught Place in the Commercial Zone of NDMC are likely to be demolished /affected by Rail India Technical and Engineering Services for the proposed Delhi Tube Railways;

(b) whether in view of the above NDMC is likely to drop plans cleared / approved for construction of 3 tier fly over and integration at sublevel of Janter Mantar Monuments, Town Hall, Jai Singh Road, Sansad Marg Junction etc. and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) No, Sir.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

#### **Dharana by Employees of DRDA**

4634. SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANWAR: Will the PRIME MINISTER be