STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMEN-TARY AFFAIRS (DR. ABRAR AHMED): (a) Yes, Sir. Public Sector Banks being creidt institutions provide loans and advances for various purposes including those for construction of hotels/motels and Cinema Theatres against various types of securities.

(b) Reserve Bank of India has reported that the present system of data collection from banks does not generate separately information in respect of Loans for construction of hotels. motels, and Cinema Theatres.

[Translation]

## **Amount for Seeuy In Orissa**

4925. SHRIGOVINDACHANDRAMUNDA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have under consideration any proposal for sanctioning any amount to Orissa during the current year under the scheme self Employment for Educated Umeployed Youth (SEEUY):
- (b) if so, the amount proposed to be sanctioned and the time by which it is likely to be sanctioned; and
  - (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MIN-ISTRY OF FINANCE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMEN-TARY AFFAIRS (DR. ABRAR AHMED): (a) to (c). Office of the Development Commissioner (Samll Scale Industries) in the Ministry of Industry which is administratively concerned with the implementation of the scheme for providing self-employment to the Educated Unemploy Youth( SEEUY) have reported that under the said scheme loans are sanctioned by banks and subsidy at the rate of 25% on the sanctioned loan is released to the individual beneficiaries by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) through the

concerned banks. Government of India authorises subsidy amount to the RBI in lump-sum. State-wise subsidy is not sanctioned. As on date a sum of Rs.40 crores has been authorised to RBI for the year 1992-93 for the clearance of subsidy claims throughout the country including Orissa under SEEUY scheme.

## Gold Bond Scheme

4926. SHRI YASHWANTRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether minimum of 500 grams of gold is required to be deposited under the Gold Bond Scheme:
- (b) if so, whether the Government propose to reduce the deposit limit to minimum of 10 grams for the general public;
  - (c) if so, the details in this regards; and
  - (d)if not, the reasons therefor?

THEMINISTER OF STATE IN THE MIN-ISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M.V. CHANDRASHEKARAMURTHY): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) This minimum limit (at 500 grammes) has been fixed taking into account the facilities available at the Government Mints for assaying of gold. This limit is subject to review as the scheme progresses.

[English]

## **LIC Housing Finance**

- 4927. SHRI HARIN PATHAK: Will the minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether the Life Insurance Corporation extends financial assistance for housing schemes in Delhi:
  - (b) if so, the amount of loan given for the