services books, while difficulties were encountered in the third case on account of incomplete particulars in the service books.

In all the 3 cases, provisional pension and an amount of provisional gratuity accordance with the extent in rules are being sanctioned.

(d) and (e). No such cases have come to notice of the Government.

Production of Petroleum Products

6536. SHRI CHINTAMANI JENA : SHRI MOHANBHAI PATEL :

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM be pleased to state :

(a) the quantity of petroleum products produced in the country during the last three years, year-wise;

(b) the total quantity of petroleum products imported during the above period to meet the demand of the country;

(c) the foreign exchange involved;

(d) whether petroleum products are being exported by India;

(e) if so, the names of the items and names of the countries to whom the export is being made and the foreign exchange earned during the last three years, year-wise; and

(f) the steps being taken to increase the production of petroleum products in the country to meet the demand?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE (SHRI MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM NAWAL KISHORE SHARMA) : (a) to (c). As per attached statement.

(d) and (e). The petroleum products exported are mainly naphtha, and occasionally FO/LSHS and other minor products. The foreign exchange earned by way of export is as given below :

1982-83 — 134 crores 1983-84 — 310 crores 1984-85* — *Provisional 201 crores

It is not in the country's commercial interest to disclose further details.

(f) The steps being taken to increase the production of petroleum products in the country to meet the demand are :

- (i) Expansion of existing refineries.
- (ii) Setting up of new grass root refineries.

Statement

(a) to (c). The quantity of petroleum products produced/imported in the country during the last three years and foreign exchange involved are as below :

Year	(million tonnes)		(Rs. in Crores)
	Production of petroleum products	Petroleum products imported	Foreign Exchange involved
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1982-83	31.07	5.03	1554
1 9 83-84	32.93	4.33	1271
1984-85*	33.23	5.96	1865

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