traception. Motivation of people to adopt family planning is an important responsibility of various functionaries in the health and family welfare infra-structure at different levels. Post Partum units attached with various hospitas play a significant role in providing the necessary motivation and family planning services.

Housing Scheme for Delhi University Teachers

2719. SHRI SUDHIR ROY: Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Ministry of Education proposed a Housing Scheme of Rs. six crore to the striking teachers of the Delhi University in January 1983:
- (b) whether proposal for such Housing Scheme was cleared by the University Grants Commission in March 1985; and
- (c) when the Ministry of Education is likely to approve this scheme?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION (SHRI K. C. PANT): (a) During January, 1983, the Ministry had agreed to consider a scheme of construction of staff quarters for the employees of Colleges in Delhi at a cost of Rs. 6.00 The total outlay for this CCOTES. cheme was to be raised by the U.G.C. sanctioning a grant of Rs. 1.00 crore, the managements of Colleges providing Rs. 1.00 crore, and the University drawing an advance of Rs. 4.00 crores from the Provident fund investment of the College employees. The advance taken from the Provident fund with interest thereon was to repaid by the University over a number of years out of the grants to be provided by the Government annually. The detailed scheme was to be formulated by the University and submitted to Government through the U.G.C.

(b) and (c): Proposals from 22 Colleges have been received in several instalments since March, 1985. On the basis of these proposals, a scheme for payment of grants has been worked out. Financial sanction for this scheme is still to be accorded.

[Translation]

Training to Candidates Selected for the Post of Assistant Station Master

2720. SHRI RAM PUJAN PATEL: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is a provision for the training of candidates who qualify the Assistant Station Master Examination of the Railway Service Commission;
- (b) iJ so, whether the unsuccessful trainees are given another chance to reappear in the examination at their own expenses and in case they do not succeed again, they are not taken in service; and
- (c) whether Government propose to consider to give an opportunity to these candidates to serve on lower posts?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAV RAO SCINDIA): (a) Yes, Sir.

- (b) Yes, as a rule; excepting in case of trainees of Scheduled Castel Scheduled Tribe Communities who are given a second chance with stipend and a third chance without stipend.
 - (c) No. Sir.

[English]

NPCC Bids For Global Tenders

- 2721. SHRI K. C. RAO: Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state:
- (a) whether N.P.C.C. have participated in some of the bids of the Global tenders floated by some foreign countries: