

## Statement-II

## Performance of Regional Rural Banks in Rajasthan

(Amount in Rs. lakhs) (As on 30.6.85)

Sl. No.	Name of the RRBs	No. of branches	Advances (outstandings) Amount	No. of Staff
1.	Jaipur-Nagaur Aanchalik Gramin Bank	140	2139.66	397
2.	Marwar Gramin Bank	129	2705.18	537
3.	Shekhawai Gramin Bank	95	1165.97	325
4.	Marudhar Kshetriya Gramin Bank	59	649.06	207
5.	Alwar Bharatpur Aanchalik Gramin Bank	75	416.77	225
6.	Aravali Kshetriya Gramin Bank	58	239.65	158
7.	Hadoti Kshetriya Gramin Bank	109	185.90	249
8.	Mewar Aanchalik Gramin Bank	57	158.36	131
9.	Thar Aanchalik Gramin Bank	51	188.65	143
10.	Bundi-Chittorgarh Kshetriya Gramin Bank	46	10.66	146
11.	Bhilwara-Ajmer Kshetriya Gramin Bank	23	23.92	53
12.	Dungarpur-Banswara Kshetriya Gramin Bank	18	9.11	47
13.	Sri Ganganagar Kshetriya Gramin Bank	38	4.29	97
14.	Bikaner Kshetriya Gramin Bank	1	—	—
Total :		899	7897.18	2715

## Sale of Foreign Goods in the Country

87. SHRIMATI D. K. BHANDARI :  
Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it has come to the notice of Government that foreign goods are openly sold in markets of some of the cities, nick-named as Hongkong markets;

(b) if so, the places where such markets exist; and

(c) the measures Government have taken to deal with this situation ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY) : (a) and (b). Reports received by the Government and seizures made indicate that imported consumer goods are sold in some of the markets of metropolitan cities towns in the country. These markets are known under different names from place to place.

(c) In order to curb open display/sale of smuggled goods, the enforcement agencies of the Department remain vigilant to unearth sources of supply/storage of smuggled goods and conduct raids/searches on shops/stalls/vendors and hawkers dealing in smuggled goods. During the year 1985, 4862 searches/raids were conducted against open display and sale of smuggled goods and Rs. 2.63 crores worth of contraband goods were seized all over the country.

#### Promotion of Indian tea abroad

88. SHRIMATI MADHUREE SINGH : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that in the absence of professional marketing and sufficient promotion effort in foreign countries, the traditional buyers are not purchasing much Indian tea; and

(b) if so, the steps taken to increase exports of Indian tea in Western Europe, the Soviet Union and other countries ?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI P. SHIV SHANKER) : (a) and (b). Tea exports in the past four years have shown a consistent increase as can be seen from the figures given below :

Year	Qty. (M.Kgs)
1982	189.9
1983	208.5
1984	217.0
1985	222.4

USSR, UK, ARE, Iraq and Iran are some of the consuming countries who have been buying large quantities of Indian tea since past many years. Measures taken to increase exports include assistance for brand promotion and warehousing abroad as well as cash compensatory support on value-added teas. Tea Board also undertakes promotional campaign through its offices abroad.

#### Export of raw jute by Jute Corporation of India

89. SHRI SRIBALLAV PANIGRAHI : Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state :

(a) the efforts made by the Jute Corporation of India to explore the possibility of export of raw jute both to the Rupee Payment as well as General Currency area countries indicating the names of the countries;

(b) the details regarding the contract signed, if any, to foreign countries; and

(c) the details regarding the negotiations for further export contracts being made by Jute Corporation of India ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI KHURSHID ALAM KHAN) : (a) and (b). The Jute Corporation of India has so far signed contracts for export of raw jute, both to rupee payment and free foreign exchange countries, as under :

Country	Qty. contracted (Approx. bales)	Approx. Value (Rs./Crores.)
<b>(A) Rupee Payment Area :</b>		
(i) USSR	27,778	2.43
(ii) Poland	23,372	2.00
<b>(B) Free Foreign Exchange Area*</b>		
	7,575	0.48
	<b>58,725</b>	<b>4.91</b>

\* Export under free foreign exchange area is mainly limited to U. K.

(c) Efforts have been initiated to secure export orders both from rupee payment and free foreign exchange countries.