SI. No	Name of the party	Qty.
24.	National Informatics Centre, New Delhi	2
25.	Mr. Prataprao Bhonsle, Member of Parliament New Delhi	1
26.	Mineral & Metals Trading Corporation	1
27.	Indian Airlines	1
28.	Steel Authority of India	1
	Total:	252

# [Translation]

## Procurement of Wheat

742. SHRI KAMLA PRASAD RAWAT: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the farmers are facing difficulty on account of less procurement of wheat by the Food Corporation of India on the pretext of paucity of funds and godowns;
- (b) if so, whether Government propose to issue suitable instructions to the Food Corporation of India to procure wheat from the farmers; and
  - (c) if not, the reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE AND **PLANNING** OF MINISTRY STATE IN THE OF MINISTER MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI A.K. PANJA): (a) No, Sir Procurement of wheat by FCI from farmers has increased to 36.27 lakh tonnes during the 86-87 rabi marketing season (till 11.7.86) as against 26.04 lakh tonnes procured during the 1985-86 rabi marketing season.

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

#### [English]

## Production of Titantium by T.T.P. Ltd. Kerala

743. SHRI A. CHARLES: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) the optimum capacity production of titanium in the T.T.P. Limited, Kerala;
- (b) the quantity of titanium produced during the years 1984-85 and 1985-86;
- (c) the reasons for the low production;
- (d) steps, if any, taken to save this industry from the present crisis?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI SHIVRAJ V. PATIL):

(a) to (d). Information is being collected from the Government of Kerala and will be laid on the Table of the House.

## Project to Harness Ocean Energy

### 744. SHRI DHARAM PAL SINGH MALIK :

### SHRI SUBHASH YADAV:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government propose to give financial assistance for any project to harness Ocean energy; and
- (b) if so, details of the project and the quantem of allocation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS