

to which it shall meet the water requirements; and

(d) whether a similar project for Hyderabad, the twin city, is also under consideration of Government and the United Nations, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH) : (a) Yes, in September, 1986.

(b) The UNDP's input for this Project would be US \$ 619.650 as per details given below :—

Personnel	US \$	400,650
Training		120,000
Equipment		79,000
Miscellaneous		20,000
Total	US \$	619,650

(c) The project is expected to be completed within a period of 2 years and 6 months with the estimated starting date in November, 1986. While the longterm objective is to increase the per capita consumption from the present 60-70 litres to 125-150 litres per day in the 1990's, the immediate objectives will be as under :—

- (i) enable the METROWATER to plan, design and implement water schemes for satisfying the water supply requirements of Madras through the 1990's; (ii) provide METROWATER with designs of specific works such as non-conventional water resources, water quality, control and management, waste water treatment and use, leak detection, water legislation and the use of computers (iii) build within METROWATER a capacity and infrastructure to deal with modern methods of water resources planning, development and manage-

ment; and (iv) to train national professionals.

(d) No similar project to be assisted by UNDP is under consideration for the twin city of Hyderabad as it has not been included in the Country Programme of UNDP.

#### Supply of quality seeds to farmers

988. SHRI V. TULSIRAM : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether seeds given to the farmers by State Seeds Corporations are neither of good quality nor given in time, resulting in reduction in crop production and heavy losses to the farmers;

(b) if so, whether a high powered committee has been set up to find out the causes;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION, IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI YOGENDKA MAKWANA) : (a) The Government of India have not received any complaints that the seeds supplied by the State Seeds Corporations to the farmers are neither of good quality nor given in time.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) and (d) Question does not arise.

#### Production of pulses

989. SHRI BIRINDER SINGH : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :