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Construction of roads and drains by Danapur Cantonment Board

1273. SHRI KALI PRASAD PANDEY: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Danapur Cantonment Board has passed resolution and made allocations for construction of roads and drains (Lal Kothi Lane Ward No. 5) a number of times since 1979 but the condition of these roads and drains which were badly damaged during 1975-76 floods remains what it was earlier;
- (b) the details of roads and drains of this area which have been constructed from January to 31st October, 1986 and the details of expenditure incurred on each of them; and
- (c) whether the portions of road behind Danapur Hospital (Lal Kothi Ward No. 5) from Math to Anand Bazar Mosque and from Hathikhana to Math in Harijan Ward No. 6 are not being constructed even though the road was damaged at several points during the 1975-76 floods and if so, the time by which these portions of road will be repaired?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI ARUN SINGH): (a) The Board passing the resolution in 1979 requested for special grant-in-aid of Rs. 17, 21, 200/- for repairs of flood affected roads during 1979-80. Special grant-in-aid of Rs. 7,31,000/sanctioned February. was in 1980. The Lal Kothi road from Bus Stand to Hospital was repaired and completed.

(b) Special grant-in-aid of Rs. 2,86,327 sanctioned to the Cantonment was Board in January, 1986 for repair of roads. The amount has been deposited by the Board with the MES as a deposit work. The work is expected to be completed by March, 1987. Rs 6, 000/- have also been spent on repairs to drains in Lal Kohi area.

(c) The Board has submitted a proposal for further special grant-in-aid of Rs. 2,93,367/for repair of roads. The repair the remaining roads is planned to be taken up during the year 1987-88.

[English]

Rehabilitation of ex-servicemen in Andhra Pradesh

1274. SHRI KATURI NARAYANA SWAMY: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of ex-servicemen rehabilitated in Andhra Pradesh since 1983;
- (b) whether there is any proposal with the Union Government to allot house sites/ agricultural lands to ex-servicemen/war widows: and
- (c) if so, the details of the proposal and the amount proposed to be spent on the scheme/proposals?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN DEPARTMENT OF **DEFENCE** THE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI ARUN SINGH): (a) During the period from 1983, to June 1986, 2133 ex-servicemen have been rehabilitated in Andhra Pradesh.

- (b) There is no such proposal. Allotment of house sites/agricultural lands to servicemen/war widows falls purview of the State Governments.
 - (c) Does not arise.

Environmental clearance to irrigation projects

1275. SHRIMATI USHA CHOUDHA-RI: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) the major irrigation projects cleared by the Ministry from the environmental angle during the last one year; and
- (b) the steps taken for compensatory afforestation as a consequence of areas affected?