

under the above programmes to the farmers during the last three years ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY) : (a) and (b). State Bank of India (SBI), the Lead Bank for Kalahandi District has reported that Bank of India (BOI), Indian Overseas Bank (IOB), UCO Bank, Central Bank of India (CBI) and Kalahandi Anchalika Gramin Bank (KAGB) are operating in Kalahandi District. All these banks have disbursed loans to beneficiaries under Integrated Rural Development Programme (IRDP) in the District. There is no credit linkage in so far as National Rural Employment Programme (NREP) is concerned.

(c) SBI has reported that the public sector banks, including KAGB, operating in Kalahandi District have sanctioned/dispensed loans under IRDP during the last three years as per the details set out below :

Bank	(Rs. in lakhs)		
	1984	1985	1986
SBI	30.40	70.70	113.14
IOB	2.90	7.02	13.10
BOI	8.63	6.10	18.83
UCO Bank	5.80	2.31	16.16
CBI	0.15	0.16	0.09
KAGB	97.43	75.35	87.88

Conventional picture tube technology for electronic projects

5225. SHRI ANIL BASU : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the reasons for opting for conventional picture tube technology for electronics projects of Punjab and Uttar Pradesh against the latest flat square technology; and

(b) whether there was any offer for flat square technology while decision for conventional tubes was made ?

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LOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN) : (a) Flat Square tubes are about 20 per cent costlier than the conventional tubes and the former have not been standardised worldwide, with each major manufacturer producing his own type of Flat Square tube.

Both Punjab Display Devices Ltd., as well as Uptron Colour Picture Tubes Ltd. have decided to start production with the manufacture of conventional Colour Picture Tubes due to the prevailing market forces. However, the terms of technology transfer include the Flat Square tube technology in both cases and the same plant with minor modifications can also produce Flat Square tubes. It is understood that the intention of both these manufacturers is to do so at a later date.

(b) The offer of Flat Square tubes was made by M/s Phillips, Holland to M/s Andhra Pradesh Electronics Development Corporation (APEDC) Ltd., who submitted a composite Industrial Licence (IL) and Foreign Collaboration (FC) application in February, 1986. The FC proposals of both M/s Punjab Display Devices Ltd. and M/s Uptron Colour Picture Tubes Ltd. were approved earlier, namely, March, 1984 and December, 1985 respectively.

Technology cities in India

5226. SHRI MOHANBHAI PATEL :
SHRI CHINTAMANI JENA :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the names of technology cities in India;

(b) whether there is any proposal to set up more such cities;

(c) if so, the names of those cities; and

(d) main facility being given in those cities for the development of technology ?

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