(IV) COMPUTER SYSTEM:

Promotional avenues for operators in Rourkela Steel Plant

5121. SHRI SAMAR BRAHMA CHOUD-HURY: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government propose to consider promotional avenues for the operators to give them incentive to keep up the production level; and
- (b) if so, the steps being taken in this direction?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI M.L. FOTEDAR): (a) and (b). Rourkela Steel Plant has well laid down channels of promotion for non-executive employees in different departments. The promotion within non-executive cadre normally takes place as and when vacancies arise. However, keeping in view the work requirements and the need for promotional

avenues for the operators and other employees, the manning in different departments in the Rourkela Steel Plant is reviewed periodically, though channels for promotion are already well laid down.

Relaxation to Scheduled Caste Candidates for the post of Superintendent in K.V.S.

5122. SHRI PRATAPSINH BAGHEL: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Board of Governors of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan in its meeting held on 31 December, 1986 provided for some relaxation to Scheduled Caste candidates in experience etc. to appear at the Departmental examination for the post of Superintendent (Administration) in Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan reserved for Scheduled Caste candidates;