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[English]

Setting up of DMS Booths in Noida

3124. SHRI KAMAL CHAUDHARY: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have any proposal to set up Delhi Milk Scheme booths in Noida for Supply of DMS milk to the residents;'

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) when the construction of such milk booths is likely to be started and the supply of milk expected to begin?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV) : (a) to (c). No, Sir. Delhi Milk Scheme supplies milk to the Union Territory of Delhi only.

Change in Fuel Technology

3125. SHRI H.G. RAMULU: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are considering a change in fuel technology for the steel plants;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether this reconsideration is a sequel to the foreign technologies;

(d) whether this new technology will be economical and beneficial for steel production; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF STEEL IN THE MINIS-

TRY OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. The fuel technology for steel plants is under review with regard to economics of using imported coal in place of indigenous coal as well as use of natural gas, due to its improved availability in different parts of the country.

(c) No, sir.

(d) and (e). Yes, Sir. This will prove economical and beneficial for steel production as it is expected to improve productivity of the plants and quality of steel products.

Import of Milk Products

3126. DR. G. VIJAYA RAMA RAO : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government contemplate to stop all gifts and commercial imports of milk products due to the White Revolution which has resulted in increase in milk production by 12 million M. T this year despite country's worst drought in a century;

(b) whether an assessment of Operation Flood III has been done in respect of milk production of self-sufficiency; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV) : (a) There is no such proposal under consideration of the Government.

(b) and (c). The performance of Operation Flood III is under regular review.

Setting up of Rural Telecommunication Corporation

3127. SHRI MANIK REDDY:
SHRI SITARAM J. GAVALI:
SHRI SUBHASH YADAV:
SHRI PRAKASH CHANDRA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state: