Written Answers

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(a) whether the Degree of Bachelor of Independent Studies, University of Waterloo (Canada) is recognised by the Universities in India; and

(b) if so, the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RE-SOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI P. SHIV SHANKER): (a) and (b). Government do not have detailed university-wise information about the recognition of the Degree of Bachelor of Independent Studies, University of Waterloo (Canada).

Development of Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute Mandapam

2385. DR. V. RAJESHWARAN: Will be Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is proposed to develop Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute, Mandapam in Tamil Nadu;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether there is also a proposal to shift Marine Products Export Development Authority head-quarters to Mandapam in Ramanathapuram district of Tamil Nadu; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL RE-SEARCH AND EDUCATION IN THE MINIS-TRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HARI KRISHNA SHASTRI): (a) and (b). Sir. The Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute, Cochin has already established a Regional Centre at Mandapam.

(c) No, Sir.

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Waterway Projects Recommended by Inland Waterways Authority of India

2387. SHRI PRAKASH V. PATIL: Will be Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether any recommendations have been received by Government from Inland Waterways Authority of India for implementation of various waterway projects;

(b) if so, the salient features of the recommendations; and

(c) the decision taken by Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJESH PILOT); (a) to (c). In the context of formulation of Annual Plan 1989-90 for inland water transport sector, the Inland Waterways Authority of India had recommended various schemes for implementation during the year 1989-90. The schemes recommended relate to hydrographic surveys of important waterways, infrastructural developments on National Waterways, technical studies and improvements of certain important canals/waterways in various States under Centrally Sponsored Schemes. The Government have already approved the financial allocation of Rs. 14.50 crores to IWAI for the purpose. They have also been advised about the same and for implementation of the scheme.

Funds to Punjab Under CRSP during 1989-90

2388. SHRI KAMAL CHAUDHRY: Will be Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to increase the funds for the construction of Sulahis Shauchalayas in rural areas of Punjab