

(b) The year-wise profit (before tax)/loss made by these public sector undertakings is indicated below :—

(Rs/lakhs)

Year	CWC	MFIL	NERAMAC	*HVOC
1982-83	1139.85	204.73	0.07 (loss)	*
1983-84	1605.11	223.29	10.47	*
1984-85	Annual accounts of all the four undertakings are under preparation.			

The Corporation was incorporated as a Government company in March, 1984.

[English]

Upgradation of Air Relay Station at Alleppy

3819. SHRI VAKKOM PURUSHOTHAMAN : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state whether there is a proposal to upgrade the AIR Relay Station at Alleppy ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI V.N. GADGIL) : No, Sir. This station is already having a high power Transmitter of 100 KW MW.

Memorandum on Closure and Lockout Situation in West Bengal

3820. SHRI ANANDA PATHAK : Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state :

(a) steps Government have taken in regard to the joint memorandum handed over to the Minister of Labour at Calcutta on 7 June, 1985 by the West Bengal representatives of All Central Trade Unions including INTUC, in connection with the situation of closure and lockout; and

(b) what are the demands and what steps Government have taken on the demands ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI T. ANJIAH) : (a) to (b). The Central Trade Unions of West Bengal presented a Joint Memorandum to the Labour Minister at Calcutta on the 2nd June 1985 on the situation arising from lock-outs and closures and cut in orders to the Wagon Units in West Bengal. This was followed by discussions on the demands raised therein with particular reference to the immediate reopening of the Jute and Textile Mills under lockout/closure, nationalisation of Jute and Textile Industry, increase in orders for Railway Wagons, revival of sick industries etc. Some of the issues raised in the Memorandum were also discussed in a Tripartite meeting held on 2nd June, 1985 at Calcutta. As the action in this regard is the concern of the Ministry of Supply & Textiles and the Railway Board, the matter has been taken up with them.

Repayment of Loans by NBCC

3821. SHRI MOHANBHAI PATEL : Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state :

(a) whether National Buildings Construction Corporation has raised loans in foreign currency from banks abroad for financing its projects; if so, the amount of loan raised from each bank and name of the works for which it has been raised ;