## Construction of Chokhutia-Tadagtal and Ganai-Jorasi motor road

Written Answers

4563. SHRI HARISH RAWAT: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether his Ministry has received proposals of approval of construction of Chakhutia-Tadagtal and Ganai-Jorasi motor roads under the Forest Act:
- (b) if so, the date on which the proposals were received;
- (c) whether necessary approval has been accorded to these proposals; and
  - (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI): (a) No such proposals have been received.

(b) to (d). Do not arise.

[English]

## Manufacture of sophisticated large computers

4564. SHRI C. JANGA REDDY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a decision has been taken to establish a new large Electronics Corporation to manufacture sophisticated large computers; and
- (b) whether it will be located in Hyderabad (A.P.)?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNO-LOGY IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI SHIVRAJ V. PATIL): (a) and (b). It has been decided to start the initial activity for manufacture of sophisticated large computers in Electronics Corporation of India Limited (ECIL) Hyderabad.

## Education for Children of tribals and weaker sections

4565. SHRI CHINTA MOHAN: Will

the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the tribals and other weaker sections of society are unable to send their children to schools for education as this disrupts their livelihood;
- (b) if so, whether there are any plans for giving any compensation cost or other incentives to help universalisation of education during the Seventh Five Year Plan; and
  - (c) if so, details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) In many cases, economic factors keep many poor tribal children away from attending schools.

(b) and (c). Compensation to parents towards loss of income to them on account of sending their children to school is an incentive. There is, however, no Central sector scheme for this purpose. Some of the State Governments like Karnataka and Gujarat have included such schemes in their State Plans. Other incentives like mid-day meal, free text-books, free uniform, hostel facilities and scholarships are provided in the interest of increasing enrolment of scheduled tribe children in schools.

## Charter of demands of ex- servicemen

4566. SHRI AMAR ROYPRADHAN: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether ex-servicemen have submitted their charter of demands to the Government; and
- (b) if so, the detailes of their main demands and the decision taken so far in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARUN SINGH): (a) and (b). Various bodies of exservicemen have submitted from time to time representations to Government, seeking broadly;