

**Pay Scales of Teachers of Mana Camp School**

53. SHRI SIVAJI PATNAIK: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the teachers of Mana Camp School, Raipur, were not given revised pay scales in accordance with the recommendations of the Third Pay Commission; and

(b) if so, the reason for not implementing the said recommendation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION (SHRI RAM KINKAR):

(a) The teachers of Mana Camp School, Raipur, were given revised pay scales in accordance with the recommendations of the Third Pay Commission.

(b) Does not arise.

**Damage due to Cyclone**

54. SHRI EBRAHIM SULAIMAN SAIT: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the extent of loss due to cyclones in the country during 1977 and the names of the States affected; and

(b) the quantum of Central assistance given to each state to meet the situation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION (SHRI BHANU PRATAP SINGH):

(a) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House on receipt.

(b) An amount of Rs. 498.28 lakhs has been sanctioned to Assam as advance Plan assistance to meet the situation created by floods, hailstorm and cyclone.

**Dry farming and Mixed farming Schemes**

55. SHRI DAULAT RAM SARAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

(a) the long-term co-ordinated agricultural programme chalked out by Government keeping in view the needs of the country; and

(b) the mixed farming and dry farming schemes under the programme and whether any research has been conducted in this regard, and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION (SHRI BHANU PRATAP SINGH): (a) The Planning Commission in consultation with the concerned Ministries have taken up the exercise relating to the preparation of a long-term perspective Plan as well as medium term Plan. For this purpose various Working Groups have been set up to consider and recommend (i) Policy measures for the new medium term Plan, (ii) detailed formulation of the medium term plan of each sector. The second part of the exercise will be done in consultation with the State Governments. Formulation of perspective long-term Plan for co-ordinated agricultural programmes has been taken up simultaneously.

(b) At this stage it is difficult to give details as the Plans after finalisation are to be approved by the National Development Council.