(b) No starvation conditions have been created in the State.

(c) The Central Study Team which visited the State in October, 1977, had made an assessment of the situation caused by drought also.

(d) and (e). The State Government has reported that about 28,868 villages, 149.69 lakh population and 36.47 lakh acres of cropped area valued at Rs. 80.00 Crores was affected by the drought. A sum of Rs. 16.35 lakhs for relief works and Rs. 30.00 lakhs for test works were allocated by the State Government. The realisation of all agricultural dues where loss to crops was 50 per cent or more was stayed.

It was also decided to distribute free wheat, seed and fertilisers for rabi sowing to small cultivators having holdings upto 1 acre and whose crops suffered 50 per cent or more loss.

The Central Government has sanctioned an advance plan assistance of Rs. 10,000 crores for meeting the increase in expenditure on the State plan due to the situation created by floods and drought in the State. It has also been decided to supply 10,000 tonnes of wheat as grant for free distribution as gratuitous relief in the flood and drought affected areas.

Retrenchment of contract Labour

4463. SHRI R. L. P. VERMA: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUS-ING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILI-TATION be pleased to state:

(a) the full particulars of projects under the control of the Ministry of Works and Housing for which construction contracts have been given to the contractors, Uttam Singh Dugal and Commany;

(b) whether complaints have been received by Government that this company has retrenched a large number of workers from the construction projects without settling their dues, if so, full details; and (c) what action has been taken by the Government against this company which is depriving the contract labou of their livelihood?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND RE-HABILITATION (SHRI SIKANDAR BAKHT): (a) The Chief Engineer, PWD, Delhi Administration had awarded the following two works to this firm:—

(i) Construction of Pavilion for Delhi Administration at Asia 72— Exhibition.

(ii) Construction of Delhi High Court Building at Shershah Road, New Delhi.

The Central P.W.D. have however, not awarded any project for construction to this firm in the recent past.

(b) No complaint has been received.

(c) Does not arise.

ग्रागामी कामेक्स ग्रभियान की सुविधाएं

4464. श्री उप्रसेन : क्या शिका, समाज कल्याण ग्रीर संस्कृति मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि 'कामेक्स' का विचार इस बार राष्ट्र मंडल के विभिन्न देशों की ग्रपना याता ग्रभियान इंग्लैण्ड के बजाय भारत से ग्रारभ्भ करने का है ; ग्रौर

(ख) 'कामेक्स' दल को क्या क्या सुविधाएं दी जाएंगी तथा उसमें भाग लेने वाले भारतीय युवकों के चयन उनकी संख्या तथा उन पर किए जाने वाले खर्च का ब्यौरा क्या है ?

शिक्षा, समाज कल्याण तथा संस्कृति मंत्री (डा० प्रताप चन्द्र चन्द्र): (क) केन्द्रीय सरकार को कामेक्स द्वारा किए जाने वाले

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किसी यात्रा ग्रभियान के सम्बन्ध में जानकारी नहीं है ।

Written Answers

(ख) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

विश्व बैंक द्वारा राजस्थान नहर के लिये दी गई विलीय सहायता

4465. श्वो लालजो भाई : क्या कृषि सौर सिंबाई मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) चालू वित्तीय वर्ष के दौरान विश्व बैंक ने राजस्थान नहर के लिये कितनी वित्तीय सहायता दी ; ग्रौर

(ख) क्या भविष्य में स कार्य के लिये विश्व बैंक से सहायता लेंने के लिये राज्य सरकार ने कोई प्रस्ताव भेजा है ?

कृषि झौर सिंबाई मंत्री (श्री सुरजोत सिंह बरनाला) : (क) ग्रन्तर्राष्ट्रीय विकास संघ (इन्टरनेशनल डेवलपमेन्ट ऐसोसिएशन) से राजस्थान नहर परियोजना के पहल चरण के ग्रन्तर्गत राजस्थान नहर कमान क्षेत्र के 2 लाख हैक्टेयर क्षत्र के विकास के लिए 31-7-1974 को 83 मिलियन ग्रमरीकी डालर उधार दिए हैं। चालू वित्तीय वर्ष में उक्त उधार में से 10 मिलियन डालर निकाले जाने की संभावना है। 31-10-77 तक 28.11 मिलियन डालर खर्च किए गए हैं।

(ख) विश्व बैंक राजस्थान नहर परियोजना के पहल चरण के बाकी मकान क्षेत्र के विकास के लिए श्रौर चरण दो के राज्य सरकार द्वारा प्रस्तावित कुछ इंजीनियरिंग घटकों के लिए भी ऋण सहायता देने की संभावना पर विचार कर रहा हैं।

Subsidy to Farmers under Small Farmers Development Agency and Marginal Farmers and Agricultural Labourers Schemes

4466. SHRI ANNASAHEB GOT-KHINDE: Will the Minister of AGRI-CULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state the amount of subsidy paid to the beneficiaries under the Small Farmers Development Agency and Marginal Farmers and Agricultural Labourers Schemes during the first 6 months of the current year, statewise, separately?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION (SHRI BHANU PRA-TAP SINGH): A statement is laid on the table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT

SI. Name of State No.		(Rs	Amount utilised from 1-4-1977 to 30-9-1977 . in lakhs)
1 2		- 120 QUA	3
1. Andhra Pradesh		:sec	165.90
2. Assam			12.88
3. Bihar .			82.82
4. Gujarat			57.70
5. Haryana			28.65
6. Himachal Prades	h		43.69
7. Jammu & Kashm	ir		15.52
8. Karnataka			33 13
9. Kerala			38.61
10. Madhya Prades	h		59 ·4 8
11. Maharashtra			62.52
12. Manipur .			2.15
13. Meghalaya			3.43
14. Nagaland .		•	11.23
15. Orissa .		o 3.0	67.20

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