

hired out some Imported material, indigenous material and capital equipment used for manufacture of Deflection Components

(b) The machines were not sold but hired out to M/s Suchitra Electronics(P) Limited, a Joint Sector Undertaking of Andhra Pradesh Small Scale Industries Development Corporation, Hyderabad at Rs 72,000/ per annum

(c) A total of 6 Firms were corresponding with Hindustan Aeronautics Limited

(d) A negative reply was sent to another Firm which had approached HAL after the latter had decided to sell materials and equipment/hire out machines to the Firm referred to in (b) above

(e) In view of the (c) and (d) above it would not be correct to say that negotiations were held with the only interested firm and the particular Firm was favoured. The deal was finalised with the firm offering the best terms

माण्डला में उद्योगों की स्थापना

6614 श्री श्याम लाल शुभे . क्या उद्योग मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि

(क) क्या मध्य प्रदेश के पिछड़े प्रादिकवासी क्षेत्र, माण्डला में खनिजों के भ्रनावा वनसम्पदा भी उपलब्ध है, और

(ख) यदि हा, तो इस कच्चे माल पर प्राधारित उद्योगों की स्थापना हेतु की जा रही कार्यवाही का व्यौरा क्या है ?

उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमती ज्ञाना मुखर्जी) (क) जी, हाँ। माण्डला के तकनीकी प्राथिक सर्वेक्षण से जिले में सासम्पदों प्रासला, लाख और रबर (गम) वक्षो, मुन्नायम लकड़ी तथा बांस की वन सम्पदा का पता चला है।

(ख) ग्रामीण उद्योग परियोजना कार्य-क्रम की केन्द्र द्वारा प्रायोजित योजनायें माण्डल

में वन सम्पदाओं सहित स्थानीय ससाधनों के प्राधार पर जिले में लघु उद्योगों का गहन विकास करने के लिए पाश्ची पञ्चवर्षीय योजना के प्रारम्भ अर्थात् वर्ष 1974-75 से ही चलाई जा रही है इस योजना के अर्धीन भावी उद्यमियों को उत्पादन की सही दिशा का चयन करने, प्रौद्योगिकी और ऋणा प्रादिक की प्राप्ति की दिशा में मार्गदर्शन एवं महायता प्रादान की जाती है।

Visit of Defence Team abroad for the assessment of Deep Penetration strike Aircraft

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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state

(a) whether the defence team of experts left India in the month of February 1978 to make advance assessment of deep penetration strike aircraft if so, the countries which the expert team has visited and have since come back,

(b) whether any report has been submitted by them if so the details of the same,

(c) whether Government have taken final decision after the expert report and

(d) the total expenditure involved in purchasing aircrafts and the total number?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI JAGJIVAN RAM) (a) to (d) The report submitted by the Team which had gone to France, Sweden and UK to negotiate the purchase and production of a new type of Aircraft to replace the ageing fleet of Canberra and Hunters is presently under consideration of the Government. No final decision has been taken as yet as between the three competing Aircraft. It will be appreciated that at this stage, it will not be possible to indicate any details