काम देखते हैं । हिर्न्दा शिक्षण योजना के परीक्षा संबंधी, संगठनात्मक ग्रीर शक्षिक कार्यों के लिए नई दिल्ली में संयुक्त निदेशक का कार्यालय स्थापित किया गया है ।

(ग) जी हां । हिन्दी शिक्षण योजना के मन्तर्गत हिन्दी, हिन्दी टाइपिंग भ्रौर हिन्दी आशुलिपि का प्रशिक्षण दिया जाता है । नामांकन के बाद पिछले 3 वर्षों में लगभग 59,100 कर्मचारियों ने विभिन्न हिन्दी परीक्षायें पास की म्रौर 4560 कर्मचारियों को, हिन्दी टाइपिंग तथा 809 कर्मचारियों को हिन्दी म्राशुलिपि में, प्रशिक्षित किया गया ।

## D.T.C. Bus Service from North Block, Malaviya Nagar to Central Secretariat

**435.** SHRI V. G. HANDE: Will the Minister of SHIPPING AND TRANS-PORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is no direct bus service from North Block, Malaviya Nagar Corner, Panchsheel Park, Swami Nagar, Savitri Nagar to Central Secretariat Complex and a large number of Central Government employees living in these colonies are facing a lot of hardship as Route No. 520 starting from F. Block extreme corner of Malaviya Nagar is over crowded by the time it reaches these localities;

(b) whether there is a proposal under Government's consideration to provide a DTC bus service from these localities to Central Secretariat; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) what remedial steps Government propose to take to provide relief to these employees?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT (SHRI CHAND RAM): (a) No ,Sir. All these colonies are connected with Central Secretariat Complex by direct bus services, on two routes. (b) No, Sir.

(c) and (d). In view of the position indicated in (a) above, the introduction of another direct service to Central Secretariat from these colonies is not justified.

## 40 Crores Gobbled up by N.T.C.

**436.** SHRI S. B. PATIL: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether as reported in the Blitz dated the 27th May, 1978, subsidiary of NTC based in Calcutta has gobbled up nearly 40 crores of rupees granted: to it mainly by the Central holding: company in Delhi;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the subsidiary has no funds to pay even the workers' wages and provident fund contribution; and

(c) if so, the action taken by Government in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRIMATI ABHA MAITI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) No, Sir. Some provident fund contributions are due. Steps are being taken to clear the same.

(c) Question does not arise.

## New Grading System for Jute

437. SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR DHARA: Will the Minister of IN-DUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the new grading system for jute introduced by I.S.I. in 1976-77 and the fixation of minimum statutory prices for different grades have proved to be wholly disadvantageous to the jute growers and has benefited the mill owners; and

(b) if so, the measures Government propose to take to undo the mischieft