

minor irrigation works. The irrigation potential created in the State to the end of 1977-78 from major, medium and minor irrigation schemes was 19.59 lakh hectares. This is about 17.56 per cent of the cropped area in the State.

(d) In the Medium Term Plan (1978-83) high priority has been given by the State Government to irrigation development and an additional irrigation potential of 9.56 lakh hectares is envisaged to be created from major, medium and minor irrigation works during this period.

Changes in Rent Control Laws

3005. SHRI AHMED M. PATEL: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether any decision was taken in regard to Rent Control Law in the Housing Ministers Conference held in New Delhi recently; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION (SHRI SIKANDAR BAKHT): (a) and (b). The Conference of State Ministers in charge of Housing, Urban Development and Local Self Government held at New Delhi on the 10th and 11th November, 1978 have recommended that the State Governments and Union Territories should consider measures to eliminate the adverse effects of rent control on the condition of the housing stock and on new construction activity.

Absorption of Children in Industries in Chandrapur District, Maharashtra

3006. SHRI RAJE VISHVESHVAR RAO: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION be pleased to state:

(a) how many children from the rehabilitation camps from Chandrapur

District in Maharashtra have been absorbed in the new industries that have come up in the district; and

(b) if they have been absorbed in any of the industries, please name the industries and at what posts have they all been absorbed?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION (SHRI SIKANDAR BAKHT): (a) It is reported that 46 migrant children from the Rehabilitation Camp in Chandrapur have been absorbed in the industries in the district.

(b) The details are as follows:

Ordinance Factory, Bhandak

Labourers	40
Darbans	2
Supervisor	1
Ward Aya	1

Electorsment, Chandrapur

Helper
Driver

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प्राइमरी बेसिक स्कूल

3007. श्री मनोहर सास :
श्री वीरेन्द्र प्रसाद :

का शिक्षा, समाज कल्याण और संस्कृति मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि गोतमपुरी, शाहदरा, दिल्ली में प्राइमरी बेसिक स्कूल के छात्रों को अपनी पढ़ाई में बड़ी कठिनाइयां अनुभव हो रही हैं क्योंकि उनके लिये बेंच और दरियों की उचित व्यवस्था नहीं है ; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो उनके लिये दरियों और बेंचों की व्यवस्था कब तक की जायेगी ?