कर्मचारी राज्य बीमा बोजना के अन्तर्गत वेय राशि

प्रतिक्ठान ने जुलाई, 1976 से सितम्बर, 1978 तक की अवधि के दौरान कर्मचारी राज्य बीमा दिय राशियों के सम्बन्ध में 4118.55 रुपए की धन-राशि जमा करायी हैं। उन्होंने अभी भी 577.75 रुपए की अनराशि का भुगतान करना है, जिसके सम्बन्ध में क्षेत्रीय निदेशक (कर्मचारी राज्य बीमा) द्वारा कानुनी कार्यवाही की जा रही है।

Shortage of Doctors in CGHS dispensaries

4463. SHRI MADHAVRAO SCIN-DIA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that most of the CGHS Dispensaries in Capital and other places are running short of doctors as a result the beneficiaries are not able to take full benefits:
- (b) if so, the dispensaries in Delhi whose demands for increase in the strength of doctors is pending consideration with the DGHS; and
- (c) the steps proposed to be taken to depute more doctors in those dispensaries?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGDAMBI PRASAD YADAV): (a) The number of doctors in the CGHS dispensaries in Delhi and outside falls short of the strength recently recommended by the Staff Inspection Unit of the Ministry of Finance and as such the existing staff has to take up extra load of work to provide full medical benefits to the beneficiaries.

- (b) The shortage of doctors more or less equally affects all CG(HS dispensaries in Delhi.
- (c) The Government is taking suitable steps on the recommendations of the Staff Inspection Unit.

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Reduction in the Amount of Rural Subscribers

4464 SHRI ANNASAHEB GOTKH-INDE: Will the Minister of COM-MUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has been considering a proposal for waiving/reduction in the amount to be deposited by the intending rural subscribers of telephone; and
- (b) if so, since when and the decision taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI NARHARI PRASAD SUKHDEO SAI): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir.

A proposal for giving necessary impetus to the rural telecommunication programme by suitable reduction in the advance deposit amount is under consideration. A decision is expected shortly.

Iranian credit for Kudremukh Iron Ore Project

4465. SHRI S. R. DAMANI: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

- (a) the total amount of credit agreed to be extended by the Government of Iran for the Kudremukh Iron Ore Project;
- (b) when and how is it proposed to be made available and utilised; and
- (c) what is the present stage of this project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI KARIA MUNDA): (a) U.S. \$630 million.

(b) An initial advance of \$ 100 million was received on the 23rd Feb. ruary, 1976. The remaining amount is to be disbursed in instalments, in proportion to the actual expenditure incurred on the project, up to the 3th August, 1970. So far a sum of \$ 255.175 million has been received from the Imperial Government of Iran, including the above-mentioned advance.