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furnished by Delhi Administration, all the NDS Instructors are entitled to all the benefits of leave and pension.

Appointment of Hindi Officers in Ministry of Communications

5692 SHRI R. L. KUREEL: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) how many Hindi officers have been appointed in (i) Postal wing (ii) Telephone Wing and (iii) PWD wing in the Communications Ministry; and
- (b) what is the total number of SC/ ST people employed for the various posts out of the total Hindi Officers?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICA-TIONS (SHRI NARHARI PRASAD SUKHDEV SAI): (a) 18 (14 for the Telecom. Wing and 4 common for all P&T wings) on adhoc basis.

(b) Only one SC official was selected a₃ only he was eligible. No. ST official was selected as none was elibible.

कें. ई. दो., एस. डी. मो., टी., डी. ई. टी. घोर बी. एस. टी. के बारे में राजस्थान के संतद सदस्यों से शिकायतें

5693. श्री मोठा लाल पटेल: क्या संचार मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

- (क) राजस्थान के विभिन्न संसद सदस्यों से अपने अपने क्षेत्रों में जे ह र टी , एस । डी को टी , डी र टी है । बीर जी एस । टी के असतीय जनक कार्यकरण के बारे में वर्ष 1978 के दौरान सरकार को कितनी शिकायतें प्राप्त हुई;
- (ख) क्या इन सभी शिकायतों के बारे में सरकार ने जांच पड़ताल की है; और
- (ग्र) यदि हां, तो जांच की नया मुख्य बातें हैं भीर यदि नहीं, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं

भीर जांच पड़ताल करने के बाद जांच प्रतिबेदन प्रतिबेदन कब तक उपलब्ध हो जायेगा ?

संचार मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (बी नरहरि प्रसार सुखरें सःय) : (क) से (ग). सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है भीर इसे सभा पटल पर रख दिया जाएगा।

Foodgrains in C.A.P. Storage

5694. SHRI ANNASAHEB P. SHINDE: Will the Minister of AGRI-CULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

- (a) how much foodgrains procured are being stored in the open in CAP storage; and
- (b) what steps, both short term and long term are being taken to ensure that in future CAP storage s not resorted to?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION (SHRI BHANU PRATAP SINGH): (a) 4.11 million tonnes of foodgrains are being stored at present under CAP storage by the Food Corporation of India.

- (b) Following steps are being taken by the Food Corporation of India to augment the storage capacity:
 - (i) A capacity of 3.575 million tonnes has been taken up for consideration and is expected to be added in a phased manner by 1981-82.
 - (ii) Food Corporation of India has launched a scheme to encourage private parties to build godowns of given specifications for being hired by the Food Corporation on specific terms and conditions. The Corporation has secured so far a capacity of about 3.8 million tonnes under this scheme.

While efforts are being made to reduce depudence on CAP storage by increasing the built capacity, such storage is resorted to for peak period storage and in compelling circumstances.