certain States have already enactments providing for the better administration and supervision of temples and other public religious and charitable endowments.

Number and Investment made by Multinationals

2112. SHRI RAM KISHAN: Will the Minister of LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) how many subsidiaries and branches of different multinationals exist in India in 1978;
- (b) what is the total amount of capital invested in these subsidiaries and branches; and
- (c) how much amount the said subsidiaries and branches have taken out of India during the past ten years, giving the year-wise details?

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AND LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI S. D. PATIL): (a) As on 31-3-1978, there were 146 subsidiaries and 473 branches of multinationals operating in India.

- (b) The total amount of capital invested by 146 subsidiaries of multinational corporations as on 31-3-1978 as represented by the value of their assets in India is provisionally placed at Rs. 1740 crores. As for the branches of multinational corporations, the value of assets in India as on 31-3-78 of 368 branches out of 473 branches works out to around Rs. 2390 crores, on the basis of their available balance sheets. Most of the remaining branthe total of 368 branches are in the process of closing down their business in India.
- (c) The year-wise details about the remittances made abroad by foreign companies in India for the period 1967-68 to 1976-77 as furnished by the Ministry of Finance are given in the ches as also some of those included in

Statement

Remittances made abroad by Foreign Companies in India

(Rs. in crores)

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Year				Profits	Dividends	Royalty	Technical know-how	Interest	Total
1967-68				15.95	32.70	4.32	14.68	••	67.65
1968-69				12.96	30.25	4. 48	17.97	••	6 5 ·96
1969-70				12-72	31.41	5·80	13.05	9. 28	72 · 26
1970-71				13.13	43.48	5' 23	20.63	12.80	95.26
1971-72				9.94	3 8·87	5.86	13.90	12.13	80.70
1972-73				15.54	39.08	7.33	11.33	15.60	88 - 88
1973-74				21.91	37.51	6-21	14.08	16.27	95 98
1974-75				7.19	18-46	8·46	12.56	36.70	8g· 37
1975-76				20.36	24.84	10.49	25.66	24.65	106.00
1976-77	•	•	•	13.10	48.50	15.90	37.80	Not available	115.30*

[†]Provisional

^{*}Excludes interest.