(घ) यदि हां, तो दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय द्वारा इस बारे में कोई कार्यवाही न करने के क्या कारण हैं ?

तिका, समाख कस्याण झौर संस्कृति मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (थीमतो रेजुका देवी बरकटकी): (क) जी हां।

(च) दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय द्वारा मेजी गई सूचना के झनुसार, कालेज के प्रित्सिपल ने विश्व-विद्यालय को यह सूचित किया है कि कालेज दाखिले कर रहा है।

(ग) जी, हां।

(घ) मामलै पर संबन्धित प्राधिकारी विचार कर रह हैं ।

## Transfer of Custodian Property in Village Sheikh Sarai, New Delhi

12. SHRI MOHAL LAL PIPIL: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUS-ING AND SUPPLY AND REHABI-LITATION be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 10524 dated the 14th May, 1979 regarding transfer of Custodian property in Village Sheikh Sarai, New Delhi and state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the occupants of the Custodian property in question had been served with eviction notices in November, 1971, and if so, whether the said eviction notices were withdrawn to the satisfaction of the competent authority in the Office of the Regional Settlement Commissioner, New Delhi;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the property in question was assessed for valuation by the office of the Regional Settlement Commissioner, New Delhi, for the purpose of sale to the occupants concerned, if so, the total value thereof; and

(c) the steps taken or proposed to be taken by the Government to recover the value of the property from the concerned occupants?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND RE-HABILITATION (SHRI SIKANDAR BAKHT) (a) The eviction notices issued in November, 1971 for the unauthorised use and occupation of the evacuee property in question viz. Khasra No. 548/135 have not been withdrawn.

(b) ad<sub>n</sub> (c). Government have decided not to sell the property in question. Government have taken a policy decision to transfer all unutilised lands in and around the rehabilitation colonies within the urbanisable limits of Delhi/New Delhi to the Delhi Development Authority

## Land submerged due to Construction of Farakka Barrage Complex

13. SHRI SASANKASEKHAR SANYAL: Will the Minister of AGRI-CULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that several thousand hectares of crop growing land have been submerged under water as a result of the construction of Farakka Barrage Complex;

(b) whether Government are also aware that there has been a commitment for draining out of such water with a view to restoration of the lands to arable condition; and

(c) what steps have been taken towards implementation of such commitment?

AGRICUL-THE MINISTER OF (SHRI AND IRRIGATION TURE SURJIT SINGH BARNALA): (a) 'The part of low lying areas in Murshidabad district of West Bengal totalling to about 50 sq.m. in the basins of streams joining the Bhagirathi river, which were getting inundated during the monsoon seasons continue to remain inundated during high flows in the Farakka Feeder Canal.

(b) Schemes are under consideration for draining-out these areas in the Pagla and Bansloi and also Damos beel Basins, and make them useful for Rabi cultivation.