

surveyed/inaugurated or are in progress since 1978-79 are as under:

Name	Length in km.	Remarks
1. Rohtak Bhiwani (New Line)	49.3	Opened on 3-6-1980
2. Kapadvanj Modasa (BG) (New Line)	60.50	Present progress 7 per cent
3. Rampur-New Haldwani (BG) (New Line)	78.43	Present progress 0.5 per cent
4. Jagadhri Paonta Rajban (Survey for New Line)		Present progress 37 per cent
5. Kalka Parwanoo (Survey for New Line)		Survey for new line has been included in the Budget 1980-81
6. Nangal Dam Talwara (Survey for New Line)		Updating of carrier survey has been included in the Budget 1980-81.

#### Wage disparity Foreign Missions

4647. SHRI BRAJI MOHAN MOHANTY: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether racial and colour discrimination are being practised in foreign Missions in India in employment with unequal wage for equal work and Indian employees in foreign Missions are subjected to such treatment:

(b) whether it is a fact that Indians employed in Japanese and Bonn Missions are getting less wages than their counterparts; and

(c) if so, what steps Government propose to take to remove this racial and colour discrimination?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P. V. NARASIMHA RAO): (a) The Government is not aware of any specific complaints regarding racial or colour discrimination being practised by foreign Missions in India. As for wages, these are negotiated directly between the employee and the employer.

(b) No such instances have been brought to the notice of the Ministry.

(c) Does not arise.

#### Arms supply to India's Neighbouring Countries

4648. SHRI DILEEP SINGH BHURIA: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that arms and ammunition are being supplied to our neighbouring countries by some foreign countries; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the steps so far taken by Government in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P. V. NARASIMHA RAO): (a) and (b). Government of India's attention has been drawn to reports about arms supplies to Pakistan by the United States and China as well as to reports about significant advances in recent months in China-U.S. relations.

There are reports that the offer of military supplies by the United States has been rejected by Pakistan.

Government have conveyed their concern to the U.S. Government at the highest level on U.S. intentions to supply arms to Pakistan. We believe that there is better appreciation of India's views in this matter.