(ख) सितम्बर, 1980 के पहले किस भी राज्य सरकार को कोई खुली बिक्री की चीनी ग्रावंटित नहीं की गई थी। उपर्युक्त योजना के ग्रधीन सितम्बर ग्रौर ग्रक्तूबर, 1980 के महीनों के लिए मध्य प्रदेश सरकार को 14,200 मीटरी टन खुली बिक्री की चीनी ग्रावंटित की गई थी। खुदरा स्तर पर चीनी के वितरण की जिम्मे-दारी राज्य सरका ों की होती है ग्रौर मध्य प्रदेश सरकार द्वारा वास्तव में वितरित की गई खुली बिक्री की चीनी की माता के बारे में सूचना उपलब्ध नही है।

Water Crisis in South Delhi

935. SHRI H. N. NANJE GOWDA: SHRI D. M. PUTTE GOWDA: SHRI K. LAKKAPPA:

Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there has been water crisis persistently in South Delhi; and

(b) if so, the steps taken by his Ministry to improve the water supply?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMEN-TARY AFFAIRS AND WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI BHISHMA NARAIN SINGH): (a) No, Sir. It is, however, true that some of the areas in South Delhi suffer from low pressure during summer.

(b) The long and short term measures being undertaken by the Delhi Water supply & Sewage Disposal Undertaking of the Municipal Corporation of Delhi to improve the situation are as under:

Short Term Measures:

(i) Construction of 6 Ranney Wells and tubewells.

(ii) Re-distribution of water to bring additional water to South Delhi.

(iii) Detection and repair of leakages in the distribution mains. Long Term, Measures:

(i) A new 100 MGD Water Treatment Plant is being constructed in North Shahdara to meet primarily the requirements of Shahdara & South Delhi.

(ii) Laying of 900 mm water line to bring additional water from West Delhi Treatment Plant to Palam Reservoir.

National Rural Employment Programme

936. SHRI H. N. NANJE GOWDA:

SHRI D. M. PUTTE GOWDA:

SHRI K. LAKKAPPA:

Will the Minister of RURAL RE-CONSTRUCTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the National Rural Employment Programme is yet to take a final shape;

(b) if so, the hindrances in its way;

(c) how much amount has been allocated for this;

(d) how many people will get employment under the programme; and

(e) the reasons for delay in its implementation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI BALESHWAR RAM): (a) and (b). National Rural Employment Programme has already come into operation.

(c) A total provision of Rs. 340 crores has been made in the current years budget for this programme.

(d) A total employment of 70 croie mandays is expected to be generated under the programme during the current year.

(e) Question does not arise.