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(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI BHISHMA NARAIN SINGH): (a) No large scale chemical & fertiliser factory has so far been charge-sheeted by the Central Board for the Prevention & Control of Water Pollution.

- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) Does not arise.
- (d) Does not arise.

## पाली, राजस्थान में कृषि उत्पादन के लिए भूमिगत जल का सर्वेक्रण

6476 श्रीमूल चन्द् हागाः क्या सिंचाइः मंत्रीयह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

- (क) राजस्थान के पाती जिले के उन गांवों की संस्था कितनी है जहां भूमिनत जल प्रसूर मात्रा में उपलब्ध है जिसे कृषि उत्पादन बढ़ाने के लिए प्रयोग किया जा सकता है;
- (स) क्या इस संबंध में सरकार का एक सर्वेक्षण कराने का विचार है; और
- (ग) यदि हां, तो कब और यदि नहीं, तां उसके क्या कारण हैं?

तिखाई मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (भी जियावर हमान बंसारी): (क) केन्द्रीय भूमिगता जल बोर्ड ने राजस्थान के पाली जिले के कुछ हिस्सों में बृहद स्तर पर सर्वेक्षण किये हैं। इन सर्वेक्षणां के परिणामों के ज्न सार इस जिले में भूमिगत जल सीमित मात्रा में उपलब्ध है क्यों कि एक तो जल की किस्म षटिया है और दूसरे जल बड़ी बट्टानों में है। जिले के उत्तरी हिस्से में जैतरण और रायपुर तहसीलों में जूनी और तिलरी निदयों के साथ वाले क्षेत्रों में जड़ी किस्म का जल उपलब्ध है।

कृति जलभूवैज्ञानिक सर्वेक्षण क्षेत्र के बाधार पर किए जाते हैं, इसतिए इन जिले में किए गए सर्वेक्षणों के ग्राम-बार व्यरिदेना संभव नहीं है।

(ह) और (ग) पाली जिले के कुल 12,391 वर्ग किलामीटर के क्षेत्र में से अभी तक 5,450 वर्ग किलोमीटर क्षेत्र में जल-भूबैज्ञानिक सर्वेक्षण किया गया है।

वर्ष 1981-82 के दौरान 2,000 वर्ग किलोमीटर अतिरिक्त क्षेत्र में ये सर्वोक्षण किये जाने का प्रस्ताव हैं। बाकी इलाक के स्वोक्षण छठी पंचवधीय याजना के अन्ता तक कर लिया जायेगा।

Study by Birla Institute of Scientific Research on Modern Technology for Increasing farm production

6477. SHRI AMRIT PATEL; Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government are aware of the recommendations of a study recently conducted by the Birla Institute of Scientific Research that India should increasingly and extensively mechanise agricultural operations and apply modern technology for increasing farm production; and
- (b) if so, what steps are being taken by Government on these recommendations?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL RECONSTRUCTIONS (SHRI R. V. SWAMINATHAN): (a) Government have neither sponsored such a study nor received any specific recommendations for action from the Birla Institute of Scientific Research. Government, however, are aware of a publication entitled "Technological Changes in Agriculture" brought out by the Institute in 1980. The main findings of the publication are:—

(i) land augmenting techniques such as, irrigation and application of fertilizers should be extensively adopted to increase the agricultural yield rate; and

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  (ii) gradual mechanisation of THE MINISTER OF EDU
  - (ii) gradual mechanisation of agricultural operations can increase land and labour productivity substantially.
- (b) Since most of the points raised in the publication are covered by the recommendations of the National Commission on Agriculture which are under implementation and Government is already taking necessary ac-
- tion in the direction of selective mechanisation of Indian agriculture, the question of taking action on the recommendations contained in the above publication of the Birla Institute of Scientific Research does not arise.

## Study on background of Students... Getting Admission in LLTs.

- 6478. SHRI A. K. ROY: Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND SO-CIAL WELFARE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether Government are aware of a study of the background of the "tudents getting admission in IITs with particular reference to the Kharagpur IIT for the year 1979 by the Indian School of Social Science;
  - (b) if so, the result of the study;
  - (c) whether it is a fact that only boys from the elite class from English medium schools get chance in such prized institutions;
  - (d) whether it is also a fact that a scheduled caste boy even after getting chance in the Kanpur IIT had to commit suicide in 1980 due to the treatment meted to him there; and
    - (e) if so, the steps taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRI & B. CHAVAN): (a) No, Sir.

- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) No, Sir.
- (d) and (e) A schedule caste boy, who was an ex-student of IIT Kanpur was found hanging from the ceiling fan by a rope on the evening of 30th September 1980, in his room. The police declared it is a case of suicide. The Chairman, Board of Governors, IIT, Kanpur has since appointed alone man Committee to look into the circumstances leading to the suicide.

## Swedish Aid for setting up of Indian Institute of Forest Management

- 6479. SHRI S. B. SIDNAL: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether it is a fact that the Swedish International Development Agency had offered to provide assistance towards the setting up of an Indian Institute of Forest management:
  - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the functions of the proposed institute and when the same would commence its work?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL RECONSTRUCTIONS (SHRI R. V. SWAMINATHAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The contribution by Swedish International Development Agency is 2.5 million Sw. Kr. equivalent to approximately 50 lakhs of rupees. The details are as under: