advance loans to SEB's in accordance with their terms and conditions. The SEB also get loans from LIG, REG and other financial institutions. The cumulative investment in UP-SEB as on 31st March, 1980 is Rs. 2140 crores approximately.

(b) The cumulative losses of UPSÉB as on 31-3-79, after taking taking into account sub-ventions from Government is to the extent of Rs. 422.71 crores.

(c) Since September, 1974 UPSEB has been headed by an Engineer as its Chairman. The names of these Engineers are as follows:

- 1. Shri H.N. Baliga
- 2. Shri G.D. Pant
- 3. Shri A.N. Bhargava
- Shri R.N. Bhargava
- 5. Shri V.C. Mittal

(d) Reasons for recurring losses in the Board have been due to lower performance of indigenous power plants, poor quality and inadequate supply of coal to thermal power stations, impediments in increasing tariffs commensurate with increase in cost of inputs, and arrears mounting against agricultural consumers. It is not possible to disconnect the supply due to drought/Floods etc. A number of steps have been taken to remedy the losses. These steps are reduction of T&D losses both by technical measures and administrative steps, economy measures, introduction of computer billing and introduction of continous monitoring systems at Board and Government levels.

(e) No individual officer has been considered responsible for the incidence of financial losses to UPSEB.

Setting u p composite Power sta tion in certain districts

5761. SHRI G. Y. KRISHNAN : Will the Minister of ENERGY be p'eased to state :

i) whether it is a fact that a scheme has repently been announced Written Answers

(b) if so, the details regarding the plan of Government in this regard ?

OF STATE THE MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRI VIKRAM MAHAJAN) : (a) No, Sir. Power Plants are being located at the most favourable locations keeping in view the physical available and the load resources centres.

(b) Does not arise.

मध्य प्रदेश को पैट्रोत और डीजन का कोटा

5762. श्रो सुन्दर शर्ताः बगा पैटोलियम, रसायन और उर्वरक मंत्री यह बताने की करा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या मध्य प्रदेश को दिया जाने वाला डीजन ग्रौर पटोल का कोटा राज्य को ग्रावश्यकताओं को पूरा करने के लिए पर्याप्त है ; ग्रौर

(ख) यदि नहीं, तो क्या कोटा बढाने के निए कोई प्रस्ताव सरकार के विचारा-धोन है ?

पेट्रोलियिम, रसायन और उर्वरक मंत्री (श्री प्रकाश चन्द्र सेठो): (क) ग्रौर (ख) पैट्रांत का राज्य वार कोई मासिक त्रावंटन नहीं किया जाता। বিभিन্ন सप्ताई क्षेतों की पैट्रोल की ग्रावश्य-कता को गणना तेल कम्वनियों द्वारा पिछली बिको ग्रीर ग्रन्थ संबंधित तथ्यों के ग्राधार पर को जाती है। इन क्षेत्रों के लिए उत्पाद भेजने के लिए वहां की आवश्यक-ताग्रों के ग्रनुसार मासिक योजनायें तैयार की जाती हैं। मध्य प्रदेश में पट्री की उपलब्धता की स्थिति सन्तोषजनक है। हाल हो के महीनों में मध्य प्रदेश सरकार ने राज्य को हाई स्पीड डोजल तेल की म्रावश्यकता 40,000 मीट्रिक टन प्रतिमास बताई है। दिसम्बर, 1980 स्रोर फरवरी, 81 के दौरान मध्य प्रदेग की इस उत्पाद का

आवंटन नीचे दिये गये अनुसार किया गया है :----

> मीट्रिक टनों में ग्रांकडे

एच० एस० डी० के म्रावंटन

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दिसम्बर,	1980	40,000
जनवरी,	1981	42,300
फरवरो,	1981	37,200

इन ग्रावंटनों को राज्य की ग्रावश्यकता को पूरा करने के लिए पर्याप्त समझा गया है। जहां तक मार्च, 1981 मास तक का संबंध है एच० एस० डी० का ग्रावंटन मार्च, 1980 में हुई वास्तविक बिक्री से 15 प्रति-शत ग्रधिक स्तर पर किया गया है जबकि पिछले महीने में किये गये ग्रावंटन के पूर्व वर्ष के इसी महीने में किये गये मूल ग्रावंटन से 5 प्रतिशत ग्रधिक पर ग्राधारित थे। मध्य प्रदेश की राज्य सरकार ढारा बताई गई ग्रावश्यकता को ध्यान में रखते हुए एच० एस० डो० के ग्रावंटन में वृद्धि की गई थी।

T. V. Relay Centre in Goa

5763. SHRI EDUARDO FAL-EIRO: Will the Minister of INFOR-MATION AND BROADCAS-TING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Goverment propose to set up a Television Relay Centre in Goa; and

(b) if so, where it will be located and when it will begin operating?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI KUMUD BEN M. JOSHI)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b): Relay Transmitter will be located at Panaji and it is expected to be commissioned by 1983-84.

15 Years Power Plan

5764. SHRI M. RAM GOPAL REDDY: SHRI V. S. VIJAYARA-GHAVAN: SHRI G. Y. KRISH-NAN:

Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have mooted 15 Years Power Plan; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRI VIKRAM MAHAJAN) :

(a) and (b). The Central Electricity Authority is engaged in preparing a 15 Year perspective plan for Power development in the country. This plan will identify the optimal projects to meet the estimated demand in the country through integrated operation.

At present a ten year perspetive is available on the basis of the programme drawn up by the Working Group on Power in preparation for the Sixth Five Year Plan. In this perspective the projects required for the Sixth Five Year Plan period have been identified, benefits quantified, and also the requirements for the Seventh Five Year Plan as well as projects required to meet the demend have been indicated.

Production of Coking Coal

5765. SHRI M.V. CHANDRA SHEKARA MURTHY: SHRI B. V. DESAI:

Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether production of coking coal increased to 62,000 tonnes a day in February, 1981;