

Fifth Development Commissioners Conference

1681. **Shri S. C. Godsora:** Will the Minister of Community Development be pleased to state:

(a) whether all the States have sent their reports of the action taken by them on the recommendations of Fifth Development Commissioners' Conference; and

(b) if so, the action taken by the State of Bihar?

The Minister of Community Development (Shri S. K. Dey): (a) and (b). Action taken by the Central and State Governments is contained in the printed pamphlet 'Action taken on the Recommendations of the Fifth Development Commissioners' Conference held at Namital in May, 1956, copies of which are available in the Parliament Library. A brief summary of the action taken by Bihar Government is placed on the Table of the Lok Sabha. [See Appendix IV, annexure No 50.]

Minor Irrigation Projects

1682. **Shri P. G. Deb:** Will the Minister of Food and Agriculture be pleased to state:

(a) the percentage of success of minor irrigation projects State-wise during the First Five Year Plan;

(b) whether it is a fact that the Central Government has recommended to States to consult the non-official members for execution of these projects; and

(c) if so, the response received from the State of Orissa?

The Minister of Food and Agriculture (Shri A. P. Jain): (a) A statement giving the requisite information is placed on the Table of the Lok Sabha. [See Appendix IV, annexure No. 51].

(b) Instructions were issued in September, 1957, to the Development Commissioners of all States that the Block Advisory Committees which

consist of officials and non-officials should be associated with the Planning of projects in C.D. & N.E.S. Blocks.

(c) While some of the State Development Commissioners have acknowledged the receipt of instructions, no reply has so far been received from the Development Commissioner, Orissa.

Wagons

1683. **Shri S. M. Banerjee:** Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of wagons likely to be declared unserviceable at the end of 1957; and

(b) the number already declared unserviceable during the years 1955 and 1956?

The Deputy Minister of Railways (Shri Shahnawaz Khan):

(Figures in terms of four wheelers)

(a) 1-4-1957 to 31-12-1957	3686
(b) 1955-56	9122
1956-57	6293

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1684. **Shri D. C. Sharma:** Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state the number of demolition notices issued by the Delhi Development Authority during the months of August, September, October and November, 1957?

The Minister of Health (Shri Kar-markar): The number of demolition notices issued by the Delhi Development (Provisional) Authority during these months is as follows:—

Month	No.
1. August	190
2. September	59
3. October	69
4. November	162
TOTAL:	480