

XIX. Hamirpur District

- (59) Balh-ultap
- (60) Dungehveni
- (61) Jakhual

XX. Una District

- (62) Babehar

XXI. Bilaspur District

- (62) Kothlu-Brahmna
- (64) Harnora
- (65) Suinsurhar

**Acquisition of Land Construction
of Departmental Buildings
and Staff Quarters in Dehra
and Una**

2658. PROF. NARAIN CHAND PARASHAR : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Postmaster General, N. W. Circle has taken up the case for the acquisition of 2 plots of land measuring 843 sq. meters and 750 sq. meters at Dehra (Kangra District) and Una, respectively for the construction of Departmental buildings and staff quarters ;

(b) if so, whether the two plots have been acquired and if so, the dates on which the possession has been taken over by the P & T authorities ; and

(c) if not, the date on which the State Government were requested for the acquisition, the latest progress made in the case and the date by which the two plots would be acquired ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI YOGENDAR MAKWANA) : (a) The Postmaster General, North Western Circle has taken up the case of transfer of two plots of State Government Land measuring 713.65 and 130.95 Sq,

metres for construction of Head Post Office building, Divisional Office building and staff quarters at Dehragopipur in Kangra District. The PMG has also taken up the case of acquisition of a private plot of land measuring 4 kanals 5 marlas for construction of Head Post office building and staff quarters at Una with Himachal Pradesh Government.

(b) The two plots at Dehragopipur have not been transferred and the plot at Una has not been acquired so far. The question of date on which possession was taken of these plots by the P&T Department does not, therefore, arise.

(c) The Dy. Commissioner Kangra Distt. was addressed for transfer of plots of State Govt. Land at Dehragopipur on 27-3-81. But these plots have not so far been transferred. He was last addressed in the matter on 12-2-82. As regard the acquisition of plot at Una, the State Govt. was addressed on 30-1-81. But the plot has not so far been acquired. The State Govt. was last addressed in the matter on 12-11-81. Since decision regarding transfer/acquisition rests with State Govt., it is not possible to give definite date(s) by which the plots would be transferred/acquired.

**Construction of P & T Staff
Quarters**

2669. PROF. NARAIN CHAND PARASHAR : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) the target for the construction of Staff Quarters in the postal Circles during the Sixth Five Year Plan alongwith the total out-lay fixed for this purpose Circle-wise (State-wise in case of multi-State Circles) and their break-up for each Postal Division within the Circle;

(b) the amount spend during the year 1980-81 and in the first 9

months of the year 1981-82 on this account, alongwith the names of the places, where staff quarters have been constructed upto the end of 1981, Division wise for each circles; and

(c) the amount allotted for this purpose during the Annual Plan for 1982-83 ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA): (a) The target for the construction of staff quarters in the Postal Circles during the Sixth Five Year Plan (1980-85) is 13285. The Planning Commission has approved an outlay of Rs. 72.08 crores for this purpose. The Circle-wise and division wise break up of the outlay approved by the Planning Commission for the 6th Five Year Plan is not done. Allocation of Funds is made to Postal Circles every year keeping in view the requirements projected by the Postal Circles and the funds actually allocated by Planning Commission for the particular year.

(b) Rs. 3.72 crores were spent on construction of staff Quarters during the year 1980-81. In the first 9 months of 1981-82, a sum of Rs. 2.21 crores has been spent on this account. Division-wise names of places in each Circle where staff quarters have been constructed upto the end of 1981 is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha.

(c) The amount allotted for the construction of staff quarters during the Annual Plan for 1982-83 is Rs. 6.19 crores.

Credit by Arab Countries and Associated Donor Agencies for Development of India's Energy Resources

2670. SHRI B. V. DESAI : Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Arab countries and associated donor agencies have extended a total credit of Rs. 336 crore to India till the end of 1981 for the development of country's energy resources ;

(b) if so, what were the countries and the total amount each country provided ;

(c) how this amount was utilised by the Union Government : and

(d) to what extent these Arab countries are expected to provide aid for power projects during 1982 ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRI VIKRAM MAHAJAN) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). A statement giving the details about the names of the Donor Agency, amount of the credits and the names of the projects for which these credits have been extended is attached.

(d) Negotiations for a loan of US \$ 30 to 40 Million towards the Ramagundam II Power Project are on with the OPEC Fund for International Development.