

**Atomic Power Station Near  
Kakrapar**

500. SHRI R. P. GAEKWAD: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is proposed to locate a 470-mw atomic power station near Kakrapar; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, ELECTRONICS AND ENVIRONMENT AND OCEAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI C. P. N. SINGH): (a) and (b). Yes. Sir. The proposed atomic power station will comprise two reactors of 235 MW (e) each in the first instance. The reactors would be of the PHWR type i.e. natural uranium fuelled and heavy water moderated reactors incorporating the standardised basic design features of the Narora reactor suitably adapted to local site conditions. The station is estimated to cost Rs. 382.52 crores with a foreign exchange component of Rs. 34.77 crores.

**Inquiry report on Qutab Tragedy**

501. SHRI R.R. BHOLE:

SHRI DAYA RAM SHAKYA:

SHRI P. K. KODIYAN:

SHRI KAMAL NATH:

SHRI BHIKHU RAM JAIN:

SHRI TARIQ ANWAR:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received the Inquiry Report on Qutab Tragedy from the District and Session Judge, Delhi;

(b) if so, the finding thereof; and

(c) the preventive measures Government propose to take to avoid such tragedy in future and bring to book the guilty responsible for the tragedy?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMEN-TARY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. VENKA-TASUBBAIAH): (a) to (c). The Commission of Inquiry was appointed by the Lt. Governor of Delhi. The Commission has submitted its report and the same is under examination by the Delhi Administration. In accordance with the provision of Section 3(4) of the Commission of Inquiry Act, the report of the Commission, alongwith the memorandum of action taken, will be laid on the Table of House, within six months from the date of submission of Report. In the meantime, a Police Booth outside the Qutab Complex has been set up and functions from 10.00 A.M. to 6.00 P.M.

**Loans and assistance provided by  
District Industries Centres**

502. SHRI NARSINH MAKWANA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to lay a statement showing:-

(a) the number of persons provided loans and assistance by the District Industries Centre during the last one year for setting up cottage industries;

(b) the number of persons started production in new units set up with the help on this loan and assistance and the number of persons got employment in these units; and

(c) the number of persons proposed to be given loan under this scheme next year and whether any change has been made in the Scheme?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY AND STEEL AND MINES (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI): (a) and (b). During the year 1980-81 from reports received 2,37,564 new units comprising of 1,77,236 artisan-based and 60,328 small scale units were established resulting in creation of additional employment opportunities for 8,07,145 persons in the reporting District Industries Centre. All