

Setting up of Nucleus Plants in Vidisha District, M.P.

553. SHRI PRATAP BHANU SHARMA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received a proposal to include Vidisha district of Madhya Pradesh under nucleus plants development programme of Government of India; and

(b) if so, the progress in this matter?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY AND STEEL AND MINES (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Government of Madhya Pradesh have sent proposals for identifying the following districts for initiating nucleus plant programme:

Sidhi, Jhabua, Shajapur, Bhind, Rajgarh, Mandla, Chhatarpur, Surguja, Bastar, Rewa, Sagar, Morena, Guna, Dhar, Bilaspur and Vidisha.

Out of the above districts, 4 districts, namely, Sidhi, Jhabua, Bhind and Chhatarpur have been identified for initiating nucleus plant programme. Task Force consisting of Centre and State Government officials for the districts of Sidhi and Jhabua has since been set up to report on all project possibilities with maximum linkages with ancillary and small scale development that can be taken up. The Task Force is presently at work. The Task force for Bhind and Chhatarpur is expected to be constituted shortly in consultation with the State Government of Madhya Pradesh.

People belonging to weaker sections killed

554. SHRI CHITTA MAHATA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the name of the places where people belonging to Harijans, Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe and

weaker sections of the society were killed or murdered since January, 1980 in the country;

(b) the name of the Union Cabinet Ministers who visited those places and their reaction thereto; and

(c) the steps taken or proposed to be taken to protect the lives of the Harijans, SC/ST and weaker sections of the society?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI NIHARRANJAN LASKAR): (a) to (c). The requisite information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

विनोद और विमल मिल्स, उज्जैन का बन्द होना

555. श्री सत्यनारायण जटिया : क्या श्रम मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) ऐसे अस्थाई तथा स्थाई श्रमिकों की अलग-अलग संख्या क्या है, जिन पर विनोद और विमल मिल्स, उज्जैन, मध्य प्रदेश के बन्द होने का प्रभाव पड़ा है ;

(ख) क्या यह सच है कि इन दोनों ही मिलों के प्रबंधकों ने मिलों को चलाने के लिये कर्मचारियों की भविष्य निधि की जमा राशि का उपयोग किया है, और यदि हां, तो इस प्रकार कितने धन का उपयोग किया गया है, और क्या भविष्य निधि खाते से इस प्रकार धन निकाला जाना वैध है और यदि नहीं, तो इस अनियमितता पर क्या कार्यवाही की गई है ; और

(ग) इन दोनों मिलों पर कर्मचारियों एवं श्रमिकों के ले आफ वेतन की कितनी राशि बकाया है ?

श्रम मंत्रालय में उप मंत्री (श्री धर्मवीर):

(क) और (ग). मध्य प्रदेश सरकार से सूचना मांगी गई है। इसे सदन की मेज पर रख दिया जायेगा।

(ख) जी, हाँ। केन्द्रीय भविष्य निधि-आयुक्त के पास उपलब्ध सूचना के अनुसार, प्रबंधन ने अणकव प्रतिभूतियों भुनाया और मिलों के खर्चों को परा करने के लिये 41,68,000 रूपयों का उपयोग किया। सभी संबंधितों को कारण बताओ नोटिस जारी किये गये हैं कि भविष्य निधि के अणकव प्रतिभूतियों को भुनाने के लिये उनके विरुद्ध कानूनी कार्यवाही क्यों न की जाए।

Manufacturing of New Scooter by Scooters India Ltd.

556. SHRI ASHOK GEHLOT: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have advised the Scooters India Ltd., Lucknow to manufacture new scooters based on new technique;

(b) if so, whether Government propose to go into the market with the manufacture of above scooter to compete with the best quality scooters available in the market; and

(c) if so, the time by which the manufacture of this scooter is likely to commence?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY AND STEEL AND MINES (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI): (a) to (c) M/s. Scooters India Limited, Lucknow propose to introduce a new model scooter with an engine capacity of 100 cc and offering better fuel efficiency than their present model, the Vijai Super. The commercial manufacture and marketing of this scooter is expected to be taken up during the year 1952-53?

Shifting of Cable Research and Development Institute of Rupnarayanpur

557. SHRI SOMNATH CHATTERJEE: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the World Bank sanctioned Rs. 100 crore to locate Cable Research and Development Institute at Rupnarayanpur;

(b) whether it is also a fact that despite this, there is a move to shift its location from Rupnarayanpur to elsewhere outside West Bengal;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether Government have received any representation from the workers/unions against this move; and

(e) if so, the steps taken by Government not to shift the location of the Cable Research and Development Institute from Rupnarayanpur to elsewhere in the country?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY AND STEEL AND MINES (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

(d) Representations have been received from workers for establishing Research and Development Institute at Rupnarayanpur.

(e) Government have decided to locate the main Research and Development Unit at Hyderabad and as such change in location to any other State does not arise.

Foreign Collaboration for Development of Science and Technology

558. SHRI N. K. SHEJWALKER: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state the policy of Government in having collaboration with developed countries and also countries like Korea and Taiwan for development of Science and Technology particularly in Electronics?