districts over other locations, delicensing of equipments for exploitation of alternate source of energy. Monitoring units have also been set up in all production Ministries to monitor implementation of industrial licences etc. All these measures are expected to ensure timely completion of projects as envisaged in the New 20-Point Programme.

## सीमेंट के सम्बन्ध में श्रीद्योगिक लाइसेंस

4985. श्री राम कृष्ण मोरे: क्या उद्योग मन्त्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

- (क) क्या सीमेंट की वर्तमान कमी को देखते हुए सरकार ग्रौद्योगिक लाइसेंस नीति को उदार बनाने के किसी प्रस्ताव पर विचार कर रही है; ग्रीर
- (ख) सरकार ने सीमेंट की बढ़ती मांग को देखते हुए उत्पादन क्षमता बढ़ाने के लिए क्या कदम उठाए हैं ?

उद्योग तथा इस्पात और खान मंत्री (श्री नारायण दत्त तिवारी): (क) तथा (ख) सीमेंट उद्योग में म्रतिरिक्त क्षमताओं को स्वीकृति देने के लिए सरकार पहले ही एक उदार नीति का पालन कर रही है। 1-3-1982 को 292.5 लाख मी०टन की विद्यमान क्षमता के भ्रलावा 409.5 लाख मी० टन की भ्रतिरिक्त क्षमताभ्रों की स्थापना के लिए स्वीकृति दे दी गई है।

## Supply of pipes by Rourkela Steel Plant to a Private firm

SHRI R. P. SARANGI: 4986. Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a huge quantity of 64" dia pipes were supplied by Rourkela Steel Plant to a private firm, M/s. Perfect Engineering Services, Bombay/Nagpur during 1980:

- (b) if so, the total quantity and its value of the supplies;
- (c) whether it is a fact that schedules of manufacture of Rourkela Steel Plant for pipes were changed and readjusted to accord highest priority to the supplies; if so, why;
- (d) whether a non-executive Rourkela Steel Plant was sent to Nagpur for personally handing over the R/Rs to the above named private party; if so, why; and
- (e) whether it is also a fact that the non-executive referred at (d) above was subsequently promoted to class I cadre on conclusion of the supplies referred at (a) above?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY STEEL AND MINES (SHRI CHARANJIT CHANANA): (a) and (b). About 1991 tonnes of 64" dia S.W. Pipes were supplied by Rourkela Steel Plant valued at Rs. 79.67 lakhs to M/s Perfect Engineering Services, Nagpur during 1980.

- (c) No. Sir.
- (d) No, Sir, Shri V. B. Parthy of Rourkela Steel Plant was sent to Nagpur for handing over the R/Rs to the Branch Manager, Branch SAIL'S Office of the Central Marketing Organisation at Nagpur.
- (e) There is no connection between the promotion of Shri Parthy and his taking the R/Rs to Nagpur.

Indo-Japanese Collaboration for maunfacturing Colour T. V.

**49**87. SHRI M. RAMGOPAL REDDY: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether an Indo-Japanese company now producing opthalmic