

distribution system as also for replenishing buffer stock.

Land in Dr. Mukherji Nagar

2340. SHRI ANAND SINGH: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) what progress has been made towards the proposed transfer of title from Delhi Municipal Corporation to Delhi Development Authority in respect to the lands in Dr. Mukherji Nagar ; and

(b) whether Government have fixed a time limit for getting the vacant possession of the Kingsway Camp lands from those beneficiaries who have been allotted lands in Dr. Mukherji Nagar ?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI BHISHMA NARAIN SINGH): (a) Administrative approval of government to the transfer of the works of the redevelopment of the Hudson and Outram Lines of the Kingsway Camp in conjunction with the development of Dr. Mukherji Nagar from the Municipal Corporation of Delhi to the Delhi Development Authority has been issued on the 4th September, 1982.

(b) although no time limit has been fixed, Government is already seized of the matter.

Encroachments on D.D.A. Lands in Dr. Mukherji Nagar

2341. SHRI ANAND SINGH: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a large number of unauthorised shops have been opened in the residential houses of Dr. Mukherji Nagar and an open air restaurant has been opened on the

D.D.A. land by the side of a residential house ;

(b) the number of such encroachments in Dr. Mukherji Nagar ; and

(c) the action Government propose to take for removing these encroachments ?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI BHISHMA NARAIN SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The D.D.A. has stated that 47 shops and one open air restaurant are running in Dr. Mukherji Nagar residential plots.

(c) The D.D.A. has stated that the title of the land has been recently transferred to D.D.A. and action is proposed to be taken under the terms of lease to stop the misuse.

Locust Swarm

2342. SHRI BHIM SINGH:
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a locust swarm has been spreading from the Pakistan side in Rajasthan and is proceeding towards north ; and

(b) if so, what steps have been taken to save the standing crop in Rajasthan and other parts ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRIES OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI R. V. SWAMINATHAN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.