

Loss of Production in Public Undertakings

7241. SHRI AJOY BISWLS ; Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state :

(a) the total production of public sector undertakings under the Department of Heavy Industry in 1981-82;

(b) the total loss of undertakings; and

(c) the causes for the loss in these undertakings ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI S.M. KRISHNA) : (a) The Public Sector Undertakings under the Department of Heavy Industry achieved a total production of Rs. 1633 crores during 1981-82.

(b) The aggregation of losses and profits of these undertakings led to a net profit of Rs. 18.74 crores during 1981-82.

(c) The causes for losses in the loss making undertakings include shortage of, and inadequate availability of, uninterrupted power, shortage of raw materials particularly steel in matching sections, shortage or free supply items from the customers, lack of adequate orders in the desired product-mix and shortage of funds.

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7242. SHRI AJOY BISWAS : Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state :

(a) the total production of public sector undertakings under the Department of Industrial Development during the year 1981 as against 1982;

(b) the total loss of the public sector; and

(c) the main causes for the fall of production in these undertakings ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI) : (a) The total production the public sector undertakings under Department of Industrial Development during 1981 and 1982 is as under:

Year	Production (Rs. Creres)
1981	299.38
1982	380.92

(b) The undertakings under the Department of Industrial Development taken together earned a profit of about Rs. 866 lakhs during the year 1981-82.

(c) Does not arise.

Car Manufacturing Units

7243. SHRI CHINTAMANI JENA : Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state :

(a) the names of the industries which are manufacturing cars and the number of cars manufactured by those companies during the last three years, yearwise and the names of the cars;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the prices of these cars are increasing from time to time;

(c) if so, the price of these cars as on 1 January 1979 and 1 January, 1983; and

(d) the reason for increasing the prices ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI) : (a) The principal manufacturers of cars are M/s. Hindustan Motors Ltd., Calcutta and M/s. Premier Automobiles Ltd., Bombay. The main model manufactured by M/s. Hindustan Motors is the Ambassador petrol vehicle. The company also manufactures a diesel version of this car. The principal model manufactured by M/s. Premier Automobiles is the Premier Padmini. A Deluxe version of this vehicle is also produced by the company. The production details are given below :—

Name of the party	Total Production during		
	1980-1981	1981-82	1982-1983
M/s. Hindustan Motors Ltd. Calcutta	22,000	22,732	20,608
M/s. Premier Automobiles Ltd. Bombay.	9,301	19,764	18,983

(b) and (c) There has been an increase in the prices of cars from time to time, The showroom prices at Delhi of the Ambassador (Pe-rol) car and Premier Padmini car on

1.1.79 and 6.1.83 are as follows :

	1.1.79	6.1.83
	(Rupees)	
Premier	39,183	74,165
Ambassador	38,390	73,525

As a result of Government's dialogue with industry, the prices have, however, remained stable in the last year and a half except for a very recent increase in the price of Premier Padmini car.

(d) The increase in price has been attributed by the manufactures to increase in the cost of raw-materials, components and other inputs, besides increase in Government levies.

Schemes for development of Electronics

7244. SHRI CHIRANJI LAL SHARMA : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether schemes for development of electronics during Sixth Plan have been finalised ;

(b) if so, the details of the schemes (State-wise) ; and

(c) the amount to be spent thereon (Scheme-wise) ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS (SHRI M.S. SANJEEVI RAO) : (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Representation to SC/ST in the department of atomic energy in the grades of PS/SR, P.A and P.A.

7245. SHRI BHEEKHABHAI : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the total number of Private Secretaries/Senior Personnel Assistants and PAs, in the Department of Atomic Energy as on 1 January, 1983 alongwith Roster ;

(b) the percentage of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in the above grades ;

(c) whether it is a fact that adequate representation has not been given to the Scheduled Castes and Tribes Government employees in the above grades ;

(d) what is the Government policy in this regard to fill the reserved post for SCs and STs ; and

(e) the reasons for not filling the reserved posts ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, ATOMIC ENERGY, SPACE, ELECTRONICS AND OCEAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SHIVRAJ V. PATIL) : (a) to (e) The information will be collected and laid on the Table of the House.

Adequate representation to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in the Department of Atomic Energy in the Grades of Scientists/Technical Engineers.

7246. SHRI BHEEKHABHAI : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the total number of Scientists/Technical Engineers in the Grade of Class I and Class II as on 1 January, 1983 in the Department of Atomic Energy alongwith roster ;

(b) whether it is a fact that adequate representation has not been given to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in the Department of Atomic Energy ;

(c) what is the Government policy in this regard to fill the reserved posts for scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in the Department ; and

(d) the reasons for not filling the reserved posts ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, ATOMIC ENERGY, SPACE, ELECTRONICS AND OCEAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SHIVRAJ V. PATIL) : (a) to (d) The information will be collected and laid on the Table of the House.

Representation of SCs/STs in the Grade of Scientific officers in the Department of Electronics

7247. SHRI BHEEKHABHAI : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the total number of Scientific