

### Industrial Undertakings in Sikkim

511. SHRI P. M. SUBBA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the industrial undertakings located in Sikkim, particularly those engaged in tobacco products;

(b) the names of the respective partners and shareholders;

(c) how many of them are residents of Sikkim and how many are residing in other States;

(d) how many of the employees of the above industrial undertakings are nationals of Sikkim and how many have come from outside the States; and

(e) what is Government's policy followed in such matters?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI):

(a) to (e). The Industries (Development and Regulation) Act, under which the Central Government exercises control on regulation and development of certain industries in the Country has not yet been extended to Sikkim. As such, the Central Government have at present no information on the industrial undertakings in Sikkim and other particulars requested for in the question.

### Production in Public Sector steel plants

512. SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the production in the public sector steel plants has not been satisfactory during this financial year and the production target in respect of saleable steel is not likely to be achieved; and

(b) if so, whether the reasons for the same have been ascertained and corrective steps taken to improve the performance of the steel plants?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL AND MINES

(SHRI N. K. P. SALVE): (a) and (b). Production of saleable steel by Public Sector steel plants during the period April, 1982 to January, 1983 was 4.596 million tonnes which compares favourably with the production during the corresponding period during the previous year. It is, however, a fact that this production has been lower than what was planned for this period. This has been mainly due to severe restrictions on the supply of power to steel plants, particularly, Rourkela. Efforts are being made to improve the power supply position.

### Appraisal of Sixth Five Year Plan

513. PROF. NARAIN CHAND PARASHAR:

SHRI SUNIL MAITRA:

Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

(a) whether any mid-term appraisal of the Sixth Five Year Plan has been carried out by the Planning Commission during 1982-83;

(b) if so, a brief outline of the appraisal and whether any allocations have since been revised for the Central Ministries/Departments and the States;

(c) if so, the comparative figures for the original and revised allocations for each Central Ministry and State Departments;

(d) total allocations of the Plan before and after the appraisal;

(e) if no appraisal has been undertaken so far, whether any mid-term appraisal would now be made; and the likely date thereof; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF PLANNING (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN): (a) The mid-term appraisal of the Sixth Plan has been taken up. It is yet to be completed.

(b) to (d). These details will emerge only on the completion of the exercise referred to above.