

**Kundah Power House**

1075. **Shri P. C. Borooah**: Will the Minister of Irrigation and Power be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Kundah Power House No. 2 has been completed and inaugurated;

(b) if so, what is the production capacity of this power house;

(c) at what cost has it been completed; and

(d) how were the costs shared between India and Canada?

**The Deputy Minister of Irrigation and Power (Shri Hathi)**: (a) and (b). Kundah Power House No. 2 has been commissioned and inaugurated, with two generating sets of 35 MW each. The third set of 35 MW is expected to be commissioned shortly and the fourth unit of 35 MW in 1961-62.

(c) The estimated cost of the Project covering Stage I (Power House No. 1—40MW) and Stage II (Power House No. 2—140MW) is Rs. 35.44 crores.

(d) The foreign exchange component of Rs. 12.5 crores for the two stages, is being met by Canadian Aid.

**W.H.O. Programmes**

1076. **Shri P. C. Borooah**: Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state:

(a) to what extent India contributed to the World Health Organisation's programmes, during 1956, 1959 and 1960 and in what form;

(b) what help was received by India from the Organisation in the form of (i) equipment, (ii) medicines and (iii) funds, if any during 1960;

(c) what aid is proposed to be given and received through the W.H.O. in 1961; and

(d) eradication of what diseases was in particular envisaged under the Schemes referred to in parts (b) and (c) above?

**The Minister of Health (Shri Karmakar)**: (a) The World Health Organisation is not running any health programmes of their own. They assist the national programmes by providing fellowships for Indian medical and ancillary personnel, expert technical advisers, field workers to give training and guidance, and also a small amount of equipment and supplies connected with the projects which they assist. The expenses of the W.H.O. are apportioned among member-countries in accordance with a scale fixed by the World Health Assembly. The contribution of the Government of India to the Regular budget of the World Health Organisation during the years 1958, 1959 and 1960 is as follows:

Year	U.S.\$	Rs. Approx.
1958	402,860	19,18,190
1959	407,920	19,42,476
1960	382,210	18,20,047
TOTAL	1,192,990	56,80,713

(b) The total value of the aid given by the World Health Organisation to India during 1960 under different funds is as under:

Funds	Amount in U.S.\$	Amount in Rs. Approx.
Regular	438,940	20,90,190
Technical Assistance	539,496	25,69,028
Malaria Eradication Special Account	315,434	15,02,066
TOTAL	1,293,870	61,61,284

The break-up of the expenditure under the heads (i) equipment, (ii) medicines, and (iii) funds is not available.