

not airlinked viz. Simla, Gangtok and Kohima, a proposal for the construction of an aerodrome at Simla is under consideration. Action has been initiated to prepare cost estimates of the project. The date by which Simla would be airlinked cannot, however, be indicated at this stage. The area around Gangtok is proposed to be surveyed to determine whether a suitable site is available for construction of a runway. Nagaland is airlinked by Indian Airlines flights to Dimapur which is at a short distance from Kohima.

Loan from I.M.F.

113. SHRI RAM LAL RAHI : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) how much money had been drawn from the loan taken from IMF;

(b) the purposes and projects for which this loan has been used with details thereof; and

(c) how much of this loan had been used for organising ASIAD ?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE) : (a) India has made purchases equivalent to SDR 3.7 billion under the Extended Arrangement with the Fund.

(b) The purchases were made in support of medium term structural adjustment programme and is not tied to any specific project.

(c) In view of answer to (b) above, this does not arise.

Foreign Investment in Companies Registered under Indian Companies Act

114. SHRI HARISH KUMAR GANGWAR : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) details of the Companies and institutions registered under the Indian Companies Act in which more than 10 per cent of foreign investment is there;

(b) the total amount of deposits raised by non-banking companies, so far; and

(c) among these companies, the details of amount of deposits raised by companies registered under MRTP Act and the interest rates offered by these companies ?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE) : (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House to the extent available.

Public Debts

115. SHRI HARISH KUMAR GANGWAR : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) the latest position of public debt and the interest to be paid on this debt each year;

(b) the names of companies whose shares owned by public financial institutions were sold by public financial institutions in 1982-83;

(c) whether IDBI sold shares held by it in Reliance Textiles, if so, to which company or individuals these shares were sold; and

(d) the total equity of Reliance Textiles and the share holding of IDBI and other institutions, the latest position of assets of Reliance Textiles ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY) : (a) Details of Public Debt as at the end of 1983-84 (estimated) and interest (BE 1983-84) are given below :

(Rs. in crore)

	Balance of debt as at the end of 1983-84 (Estimated)	Interest (BE 83-84)
Internal Debt	49465	2640
External Debt	15328	347