

(c) if so, in how many days Government will fill up this gap ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF IRRIGATION (SHRI HARINATHA MISRA) : (a) to (c). Some breaches have occurred in the right side embankment of the Gandak in 8 to 11 km. in the Piprasi Pipraghat embankment system in 1983. The retired bund for closing the breaches could not be completed by Bihar Government due to public opposition. It is reported that flood waters have entered through these breaches flooding Bihar and U.P. areas.

The Government of Bihar have reported that they have decided to take up these works after the floods of 1984. It is not possible to say in how many days Bihar will be able to close these breaches.

Allocation of Funds for Agricultural Research by ICAR during Sixth Plan Period

3130. DR. A.U. AZMI : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the plan programme-wise and year-wise allocation of funds for agricultural research made during Sixth Plan period and the funds released to ICAR during 1980-81, 1981-82, 1982-83, 1983-84 and upto 1 August, 1984 in 1984-85 vis-a-vis amounts expected to be allocated in the remaining plan period ;

(b) whether larger gaps between Plan allocations and actual funds utilized reflect planning gaps or implementation gaps or both, with justification therefor programme-wise ;

(c) how Government monitor and ensure efficient fund utilization and timely research results required for developmental programmes ; and

(d) the corrective measures Government propose to take in the matter ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

(SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) :
(a) As per statement (See Cols. 151-154).

(b) The Plan allocations are split into yearly budget provisions which are subsequently revised at R.E. stage every year. There has been no gap as such between the yearly allocation and actual utilization in the case of ongoing programmes. However, a gap is there only in the case of new programmes which put together constitute only 9% (approx.) of the total plan allocation. This is mainly due to the time taken in preparation of detailed project proposals, their clearance, selection of site, land acquisition etc.

(c) Fund utilization is monitored by the I.C.A.R. Headquarters regularly. The implementation of the Research Programmes is monitored every year through Staff Research Councils in case of Institutes and Workshops in the case of the coordinated projects. This is followed by a five yearly evaluation by a Quinquennial Review Team.

(d) Does not arise.

Allocation of Flats Under SFS in Vijay Mandal Enclave and in East Kaliash

3131. SHRI UTTAM RATHOD : Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state :

(a) whether the allottees of flats of category-I in East of Kaliash (near CSP flats) and flats of category-II in Vijay Mandal Enclave under the Self-financing Scheme of Delhi Development Authority have already paid their fourth instalment in March, 1983 ;

(b) whether the flats in question are not yet ready for handing over to the allottees ; and

(c) if so, the action taken by Government to complete the construction of these flats and handing them over to the allottees at an early date ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS, IN THE MINISTRY OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF