पर 2.00 रु॰ प्रति वर्गमीटर और पोलियस्टर/ सूती ब्लंडेड कमीजों के कपड़े पर 3.75 रु, प्रति वर्ग मीटर की दरों से उत्पादन का भुगतान कर रही है। कन्ट्रोल के कपड़े का वितरण एन.सी.सी. एफ को मार्फत किया जाता है जो कि इसे पूरे देश में फैली खुदरा दुकानों के द्वारा बाद में उपभोक्ताओं को उपलब्ध कराता है। 57,561 खुदरा दुकानें हैं जिनमें से 46,438 ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों में हैं।

1983-84 के दौरान एन.टी.सी. ने कंट्रोल के कपड़े के उत्पादन के लक्ष्य को पूरा किया है।

220 Million Dollar Loan to the National Co-Operative Development Corporation II Projects

- 841. SHRI R. R. BHOLE: Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:
- (a) whether the International Development Association has approved 220 million loan to the National Co-operative Development Corporation II projects of rural storage; and
- (b) the total loss of different products foodgrains, etc. in the rural storage in all the States?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE): (a) Negotiations for an IDA Credit of SDRs 210.2 million (\$) 220 million approximately) to finance the third National Co-perative Development Corporation (NCDC-III) Project have been successfully completed and agreements in this regard are expected to be signed shortly. Under the Project. World Bank will finance construction of rural godowns, production and processing of soyabean, and establishment of cotton ginneries and spinning mills.

(b) In the economic analysis worked out under the Rural Storage component of the Project, losses of foodgrains in traditional storage are estimated at 6,6% of stored produce and loss prevention through efficient storage at about 5%.

Reopening of Buckingham and Carnatic Mills, Madras

- 842. SHRI E. BALANANDAN: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether Government are taking steps to get the Buckingham and Carnatic Mil's, Madras re-opened;
- (b) whether the ex-M. P. to end the problems facing the Buckingham and Carnatic Mills and to nurse back the mill to health are receiving attention of Government; and
- (c) if so, the reaction of Government to the said proposals?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLY (SHRI NIHAR RANJAN LASKAR): (a) A Group of Officers which has been appointed to look into the problems of closed mills in the country has been requested to explore the possibilities of re-opening of Buckingham and Carnatic Mills, Madras.

- (b) Yes, Sir.
- (c) As yet, no final view has been taken by Government.

Investigation Against Cosmique International, New Deihi

- 843. SHRI H. N. NANJE GOWDA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether Government have completed their investigation into the complaints against Cosmique International, New Delhi, garment exporting firm, regarding its various fraudulent acts in the matter of export;
- (b) if so, the result or outcome of such investigation;
- (c) the total amount of export made by the firm from the years 1976 to 1984; and