

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE (SHRI D. P. YADAVA) : (a) A statement giving the required information is laid on the Table of the House. [*Placed in Library. Sss. No. LT—590/71*].

(b) 115 (85 of those offered by the Federal Republic of Germany and 30 of those offered by the German Democratic Republic).

Indian Students in West Germany and German Democratic Republic

3737. SHRI P. K. DEO : Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE be pleased to state :

The approximate number of Indian students and trainees at present studying and under going training in West Germany and the German Democratic Republic respectively ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE (SHRI D. P. YADAVA) : According to the latest information available as on 1.1.1970, the position is as under :

(i) The number of Indian Students and Trainees studying and undergoing training in West Germany was 386.

(ii) The number of Indian students studying in German Democratic Republic was 4. The information about the number of trainees in German Democratic Republic is not yet available.

Projects being run with the Assistance of East and West Germany

3738. SHRI P. K. DEO : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) the number of technical assistance projects being operated in India with the help of Federal Republic of Germany and the German Democratic Republic ;

(b) the names of the places where they are located ; and

(c) the number of technical experts from each of the above two countries at present working on these projects ?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI YESHWANTRAO CHAVAN) : (a) 14 projects are being operated at present with the help of technical assistance from the Federal Republic of Germany.

We do not have a Technical Assistance Agreement with the German Democratic Republic. No projects are being operated at present with technical assistance from the German Democratic Republic.

A Protocol on Scientific and Technical Cooperation between India and the German Democratic Republic was, however, signed on 2nd February 1971. Detailed terms and conditions are under negotiation.

(b) and (c). The location of the projects which are either being operated or under execution with technical assistance from the Federal Republic of Germany and the number of experts from this country working in these projects are indicated below :

<i>Name of the Project</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>No. of experts :</i>
Agricultural Development Projects.	Mandi, Kangra, Almora, and Nilgiris.	36
Export Promotion Project for Engineering goods.	Calcutta	7
Tourism & Hotel Management Project.	Delhi	8
T. V. Project.	Delhi, Bombay and Poona	—
Indian Institute of Technology.	Madras	10
Prototype Production-cum-Training Centre.	Okhla (Delhi)	—
Central Staff Training & Research Institute.	Calcutta	3
Green Algae Project of Central Food Technology Research Institute.	Mysore	—
Foremen Training Institute.	Bangalore	9
Neyveli Lignite Corporation.	Neyveli	2
School Books Printing Press Project.	Chandigarh, Bhuvaneshwar and Mysore	2