

(क) क्या प्रति सर्दी के कारण देश के विभिन्न भागों में लोगों की मृत्यु हुई है,

(ख) यदि हाँ, तो गत तीन वर्षों में राज्य-वार इनका विवरण क्या है, और

(ग) क्या सरकार का विचार सर्दी तथा गर्मी से भिखारियों के बचाव के लिए मकान बनाने का है ?

निर्धारण और आवास तथा स्वास्थ्य और परिवार नियोजन मन्त्री (श्री उमाशंकर दीक्षित) (क) और (ख) सर्दी के कारण कितने व्यक्तियों की मृत्यु हुई इसके बारे में सूचना उपलब्ध नहीं है क्योंकि ऐसी मौतें अभिसूच्य नहीं होती हैं।

(ग) जी, नहीं। ऐसा कोई प्रस्ताव सरकार के विचाराधीन नहीं है। बंसे, गन्दी बस्ती सफाई एवं सुधार योजना के अधीन राज्य सरकारें तथा सघ शासित क्षेत्र जिन शहरों तथा नगरों में पटरी पर रहने वालों की समस्या तीव्र हो वहाँ रैनबसेरे बना सकती हैं। मिखावृत्ति पर नियन्त्रण तथा उसका उन्मूलन करने की जिम्मेदारी पूर्णतः राज्य सरकारों की है।

Representations against former Managing Director of Central Warehousing Corporation

667. SHERI K P UNNIKRISHNAN
Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state

(a) whether Government have received representations against the former Managing Director of the Central Warehousing Corporation; and

(b) if so, the action taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI
ANNASAHEB P SHINDE) (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) An investigation is being held into the allegations

Labour-Intensive Schemes

668 SHRIMATI JYOTSNA CHANDA
Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state

(a) whether Government propose to execute a scheme to provide employment to the needy members of the community through labour intensive works in all the Districts of the country, and

(b) if so, the duration of the scheme and amount allotted for this purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (PROF.
SHER SINGH) (a) The Crash Scheme for Rural Employment was taken up for implementation from April 1971 with the basic objective of providing employment to those labourers who belong to families where no other adult member is employed or the labourers remained unemployed or under-employed for a major part of the year. The scheme proposed to cover all the districts of the country through the execution of projects which are essentially labour intensive.

(b) The scheme was started as a Non-Plan scheme during the year 1971-72 with an outlay of Rs. 50 crores. It is now included as a Central Sector Scheme for the remaining two years of the Fourth Plan with an outlay of Rs. 50 crores per annum.