

The following industries are registered with the D. G. T. D. in the medium sector:

Goalpara district	Beer, soft drinks, bright bars and shafungs.
Kamrup district	Poultry, cattle and feed.

Regarding the small scale sector the following are the number of units registered as on 31st December, 1971

District	No of units registered
Cachar	112
Goalpara	245
Kamrup	610
Nowgong	206
Mikar Hills	17
North Cachar Hills	Not available

Charges of Corruption against Tamil Nadu Ministry

1224 SHRI B. S. BHAURA.
DR. SHANKAR DAYAL SHARMA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received a memorandum from Shri Kalyanasundaram M.P. bringing out further charges of corruption against the DMK Government in Tamilnadu; and

(b) what steps the Centre has taken to make an investigation into those allegations?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL: (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA):
(a) and (b). Besides the memorandum submitted by him to the Presi-

dent on the 7th November 1972, on which comments of the Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu have already been obtained, Shri M. Kalyanasundaram, M.P., has sent to the Prime Minister a further note containing some additional facts and some more allegations against the Chief Minister and some other Ministers of Tamil Nadu and also a rejoinder to the Chief Minister's comments. These have been forwarded to the Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu for his comments.

Frequent appearance of persons connected with World Assembly of Youth in Delhi T.V Programmes

1225. SHRI C. K. CHANDRAPPAN: Will the Minister of Information and Broadcasting be pleased to state.

(a) whether the attention of Government has been drawn to the fact that Television in Delhi provides opportunity to people connected with the World Assembly of Youth to appear constantly in their programmes about youth;

(b) whether Government are aware that World Assembly of Youth is an organisation alleged to have received C.I.A. money; and

(c) if so, the reaction of Government thereto?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI DHARAM BIR SINHA): (a) No opportunity as such has been provided by TV Centre in Delhi to people connected with World Assembly of Youth.

(b) The World Assembly of Youth, Brussels is one of the organisations which had been named in the U.S. press disclosures in 1967 as an indirect recipient of C.I.A. funds through the Asia Foundation.

(c) The office of the Asia Foundation in India was wound up under Government orders in 1968.