

praisal Division is given in the Statement I laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-5911/73]

(b) The names of the Projects which are currently being appraised is given in Statement II. Laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-5911/73].

**Revision of Pamphlet on "Employment Opportunities"**

3543. SHRI E. V. VIKHE PATIL : Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state :

(a) when the pamphlet "Employment Opportunities" was first brought out by the Planning Commission ;

(b) whether there is any proposal to revise it and bring it up-to-date ; and

(c) if so, when it is likely to be brought out?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI MOHAN DHARIA) : (a) The Pamphlet 'Employment Opportunities' was brought out in September, 1972.

(b) and (c) A new brochure entitled 'The Employment Scene' has been brought out by the Planning Commission in September, 1973 which gives details of various employment schemes and other information under the Half-a-Million Jobs Programme, initiated during the current year.

**Grant of Pension to Freedom Fighters**

3544. SHRI E. V. VIKHE PATIL : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) the total number of freedom fighters who have been given pension

so far under the Scheme for grant of pension to Freedom Fighters ; and

(b) the number of applications pending till the 30th November, 1973 with the Ministry?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI F. H. MOHSIN) : (a) Till 30-11-1973, 63,231 freedom fighters and their dependents have been approved for the grant of pension under the Scheme.

(b) 87,744 applications are pending. These include 59,075 cases where clarifications have been called for from the applicants/State Governments. The remaining 28,669 applications are yet to be examined.

**Studies on Structure of Indian Industry and Industrial Licensing Policy**

3545. SHRI E. V. VIKHE PATIL : Will the Minister of INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state :

(a) the amount of financial support so far given to the four institutions participating in the programme of research and planning and development;

(b) the progress made in the work on studies on Structure of Indian Industry and Industrial Licensing Policy; and

(c) the time by which these studies are likely to be completed and finally published?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (SHRI C. SUBRAMANIAM) : (a) to (c). It is not possible to furnish the desired information in the absence of the names of the Institutions the Honourable Member has in mind.