

ed to stop at Elimala. However, these trains stand temporarily cancelled at present due to coal shortage.

(b) to (d). Do not arise.

**Setting up of Nylon Yarn Manufacturing Projects**

2766. SHRI P. NARASIMHA REDDY Will the Minister of PETROIEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have decided to allow setting up of only a few out of the total nylon yarn manufacturing projects for which letters of intent and licences had been issued;

(b) if so, the broad outlines of the decision taken in this regard; and

(c) whether Government will give special consideration to the proposed project at Tirupati in Chittoor District which is industrially backward ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLFIUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI SHAHNAWAZ KHAN) : (a) Certain important aspects like the overall development of nylon yarn industry in the country and the need for import of foreign technology for nylon plants are under examination in the light of various relevant factors.

(b) and (c). Do not arise

**Pass Facility to Staff working in FTAO, Delhi (Western Railway)**

2767. SHRI KRISHNA CHANDRA HALDER : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Passes Crossing H.Q. are being issued by the Northern Railway to their staff at Delhi while the same facility is being denied by the Western Railway to

their staff working in the Foreign Traffic Accounts Office, Delhi; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and the steps taken by Government to remove this disparity ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MOHD. SHAFI QURESHI) : (a) and (b). It is a fact that passes crossing headquarters are being issued by the Northern Railway to their staff at Delhi. Such passes are also issued by the Western Railway to their staff provided the concerned staff give valid explanation why such passes are required.

**Power Projects Sanctioned for U.P., Orissa and Pondicherry**

2768. SHRI R. P. ULAGANAMBI : Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state

(a) whether any power projects were promised/initiated/or their foundation stones were laid during December 1973 to February, 1974 in the States of U.P., Orissa and Union Territory of Pondicherry; and

(b) if so, State-wise particulars thereof together with total estimated cost of each and the time by which those projects will be commissioned ?

THE MINISTER OF IRRIGATION AND POWER (SHRI K. C. PANT) : (a) and (b). A Statement giving the required information is attached. All these projects have already been approved by the Planning Commission and included in the Fifth Five Year Plan.