

Tea Board for setting up a Sub-Committee to review Subaidy Scheme for rejuvenation.

### Investment in Public Sector Undertakings

2583. SHRI C. K. CHANDRAPPAN: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state the total amount of investment Government have made in each of the public sector undertakings in our country upto 1974-75?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PRANAB KUMAR MUKHERJEE): Information in regard to 1973-74 is given in the Statement laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-9124/75] The accounts for 1974-75 are not yet available.

### Employment to Local People in Public Sector Units

2584. SHRI NITIRAJ SINGH CHAUDHARY: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the names of Public Sector units/plants/mines in the country alongwith the number of employees employed in each organisation;

(b) how many employees are from the State where the plants/mines/units are located, category-wise, and

(c) the reasons for not giving preference to local people over others even on posts within Rs 500 p.m. salary scale?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PRANAB KUMAR MUKHERJEE): (a) The information is given in the Statement laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-9125/75].

(b) and (c). The existing recruitment policy laid down for Public Enterprises seeks to ensure maximum opportunities for persons registered

in the local employment exchange, at the lower levels. The policy stipulates that recruitment to such posts carrying a salary of upto Rs. 500/- p.m. should be made only through the National Employment Service and other sources of recruitment are to be tapped only if the employment exchange issues a "Non-availability Certificate". Government do not maintain statistics, unit-wise of employees on the basis of their regional origin.

शिवरमन समिति द्वारा की गई सिफारिशें

2585. डा० लक्ष्मीनारायण पाण्डे : क्या वाणिज्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) हथकरघा उद्योग के बारे में गठित शिवरमन समिति की सिफारिशें क्या हैं, और

(ख) उनकी क्रियान्विति हेतु सरकार द्वारा क्या कार्यवाही की गई है ?

वाणिज्य मंत्रालय में उप सूत्री (श्री विद्वानाथ प्रताप सिंह) : (क) एक विवरण सभा पटल पर रख दिया गया है [मंत्रालय में रखा गया। दिनांक 18 मार्च 1975]।

(ख) सिफारिश पर अभी अंतिम विनिश्चय किये जाने हैं।

### Trade Delegations

2586. SHRI AMAR SINGH CHAUDHARI; SHRIMATI SAVITRI SHYAM:

Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of Indian delegations have visited foreign countries and a number of foreign delegations have come to India during