

Improvement Trust. On the site of the mosque, a show room has been constructed and is being used as such. On the first floor a prayer hall with Mujra and lavatory have been constructed and the stairs to the prayer hall are yet to be constructed. The first floor, which is a mosque, is intended for prayer purpose.

(c) The Punjab Wakf Board has reported that the site of the mosque is being made use of as a restaurant and not as a bar.

राजस्थान में पशु और दूध के विकास के लिए विश्व बैंक सहायता

5088. श्री मर्तण्ड सिंह : क्या कृषि और सिंचाई मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या विश्व बैंक की सहायता से राजस्थान में पशु तथा दुग्ध उत्पादन के विकास के लिए एक समेकित कार्यक्रम की शुरुआत करने की कोई योजना केन्द्रीय सरकार के विचाराधीन है ;

(ख) क्या इस बारे में विचार विमर्श करने के लिए उनके मंत्रालय तथा राजस्थान सरकार के अधिकारियों का एक मिश्रित मंडल विश्व बैंक के निमंत्रण पर संयुक्त राज्य अमरीका गया था ; और

(ग) यदि हां, तो तत्सम्बन्धी विस्तृत परिणाम क्या है ?

कृषि और सिंचाई मंत्रालय में उपरोक्त (श्री प्रचुरात पटेल) : (क) और (ख) : जी हां ।

(ग) अंतर्राष्ट्रीय विकास एजेंसी द्वारा सहायता के लिए यह परियोजना पहले ही मंजूर की जा चुकी है । राज्य सरकार परियोजना के क्रियान्वयन के लिए बुचबिखित कार्यवाही पूरी करने के लिए उपाय कर रही

है । इस दशा में पहले ही कुछ प्रगति हो चुकी है ।

'Beldars' under Trivandrum Central Division of C.P.W.D.

5089. SHRI BHOLA MANJHI: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether some Beldars under Trivandrum Central Division of C.P.W.D. have been posted to work in Divisional and Sub-divisional offices at Trivandrum;

(b) if so, whether the pay of these Beldars are being charged to works at Trivandrum Airport; and

(c) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) and (b). No Beldar whose pay is chargeable to Airport at Trivandrum has been posted to work in Divisional and Sub-Divisional Offices at Trivandrum.

(c) Does not arise.

प्राथमिक शिक्षा को केन्द्र के अन्तर्गत लाना

5090. श्री रामहेड़ाड : क्या शिक्षा, समाज कल्याण और संस्कृति मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करें कि :

(क) क्या प्राथमिक शिक्षा में सुधार करने के लिए सरकार इस विषय को केन्द्र के अन्तर्गत लाने पर विचार कर रही है ;

(ख) क्या हाल ही में हुए मुख्य मंत्रियों के सम्मेलन में इस विषय पर चर्चा की गई थी, और

(ग) तत्सम्बन्धी तथ्य क्या है ?

शिक्षा और समाज कल्याण मंत्रालय तथा संस्कृति विभाग में उपसत्री (श्री डी० पी० यादव) : (क) प्राथमिक शिक्षा को केन्द्रीय विषय बनाने का कोई प्रस्ताव नहीं है।

(ख) जी, नहीं।

(ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

Post of Chairman, U.G.C.

5991. SHRI DALIP SINGH Will the Minister of EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the post of the Chairman, University Grants Commission, has been lying vacant for about six months;

(b) whether the name of a person, who was not selected on earlier occasions to hold this post is being considered; and

(c) the reasons for not filling the vacancy so far?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE (PROF. S NURUL HASAN) (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) In view of the importance of the post it is necessary to make selection with due care. The matter is under consideration.

Allocation of Nitrogenous Fertiliser to States

5992. SHRI S. N. SINGH DEO: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

(a) the total production of nitrogenous fertilizer in the country;

(b) the demand and requirements of the nitrogenous fertilizer in the States and allocation made thereof to States during the current year;

(c) whether there is a short supply of that fertilizer to the Gujarat State;

(d) if so, the quantity of short supply and the reasons therefor; and

(e) the action taken by Government in this regard?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION (SHRI PRABHUDAS PATEL): (a) The total production of nitrogenous fertilisers during 1974-75 in the country in terms of nutrients is expected to be 12 lakh tonnes.

(b) The requirements of the States are assessed twice a year, once before each cropping season. The requirements, for the Kharif 1975 season have been assessed and the requirements for Rabi 75-76 season will be assessed in June/July, before the start of the season. For Kharif, 1975, the gross requirements of nitrogenous fertilisers has been assessed to 13.89 lakh tonnes. A total quantity of 8.38 lakh tonnes of nitrogen has already been allotted to the States for the February—April quarter. Further allotments will be made in the third week of April, 1975.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) A total of 5600 tonnes of N has been supplied to the State during the month of February, 1975 against a proportionate commitment of 17500 tonnes of N. The shortfall in supply is due to lack of demand in the State.

(e) The State Government has been requested to take steps for ensuring the lifting of the fertilisers allotted to that State.