

फास्फेट (पी₂ ओ₅) का उत्पादन किए जाने का अनुमान है।

(ख) फरवरी 1974 से जनवरी 1975 तक 17.66 लाख मीटरी टन ताड़-ट्रुन तथा 5.14 लाख मीटरी टन फास्फेट (पी₂ ओ₅) का उत्पादन किया गया।

(ग) रासायनिक उर्वरकों के देशीय उत्पादन में वृद्धि करने हेतु, सरकारी, गैर-सरकारी तथा सहकारी क्षेत्रों में एक विस्तृत कार्यक्रम कार्यान्विताधीन है। वर्तमान एककों में द्रष्टव्य उत्पादन करने हेतु नवीन-करण, कठिनाइयों को हटाने, आधुनिक करण आदि जैसे उपायों को किया जा रहा है।

Shelter for Casual Labourers engaged on Samastipur-Muzaffarpur Conversion Project (North Eastern Railway)

1114. SHRI MADHU LIMAYE: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that on the Samastipur-Muzaffarpur Broad Gauge Conversion Project (North Eastern Railway) four casual labourers died of exposure during the cold wave near Dholi in December, 1974;

(b) whether the construction workers were not provided with adequate shelter by the Railway authorities; and

(c) if so, the reasons for not providing such shelter?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BUTA SINGH): (a) No.

(b) Adequate shelter was provided to all workers engaged on the Conversion Project.

(c) Does not arise.

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Upgradation of Posts of Station Masters and Assistant Station Masters

1115. SHRI RAJDEO SINGH: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 246 on the 12th November, 1974 regarding up-grading of posts of Station Masters and Assistant Station Masters and state:

(a) whether the case has been sent to the final authority for approval along with general upgrading; and

(b) if so, its main features—percentage fixed and the date from which it is likely to be implemented and orders issued by the Board?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BUTA SINGH): (a) The proposals regarding restructuring of various non-gazetted cadres including those of Station Masters/Assistant Station Masters are still under consideration and it will take some time before these are sent to the final authority for approval.

(b) Does not arise.

Benefit Awarded to Pharmacists on Railways

1116. SHRI RAJDEO SINGH: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Pharmacists are being appointed in the scales of Rs. 330-480(R.S.), the grade recommended to those who are unqualified;

(b) whether the Pharmacists referred to in Part (a) above who have also completed 10 years of service have been denied the benefit of grade Rs. 330-560(R.S.) as per recommendations made by the Third Pay Commission;