

क्रियान्विति के लिये प्रशिक्षित कृषि इंजीनियरों की आवश्यकता पड़ेगी।

(घ) प्रश्न ही नहीं होता।

Tractors in use in Agriculture

471. Shrimati Suseela Gopalan:
Shri C. K. Chakrapani:
Shri P. Gopalan:
Shri Satya Narain Singh:
Shri Umanath:

Will the Minister of Food and Agriculture be pleased to state:

(a) the number of tractors in use in agriculture in each State since 1960; and

(b) how many of these tractors (in each State separately) are in use for actual agricultural purposes and how many are used for transport and other purposes?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Food, Agriculture, Community Development and Cooperation (Shri Annasahib Shinde): (a) A statement showing the number of tractors (31,016) in use in agriculture in each State as per the census held in 1961 is enclosed. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-218/67]. Thereafter upto December, 1966, 24,187 tractors have been imported and 20,710 tractors produced indigenously. The figures of the State-wise census conducted in 1966 are under compilation.

(b) The 1961 census figures are in respect of tractors in use for agricultural purposes only. The tractors imported or manufactured subsequent to 1961 are mostly in use for agricultural purposes. While specific information on the number of tractors used for agricultural purposes is not available, it is believed that the majority of these tractors is used for agricultural purposes.

Distribution of Waste Land

472. Shrimati Suseela Gopalan:
Shri C. K. Chakrapani:
Shri P. Gopalan:

Shri Satya Narain Singh:
Shri Umanath:

Will the Minister of Food and Agriculture be pleased to state:

(a) the total acreage of waste land available in each State for agricultural purposes;

(b) how much waste land has been distributed in the different States since 1952 to the landless or poor cultivators or other persons giving separate figures of distribution to different categories of persons, State-wise; and

(c) how much fresh land has been brought under cultivation since 1952 in each State by the State Governments under various colonization schemes and what amount of this land has been distributed amongst landless agricultural labourers, poor peasants and various other categories so far?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Food, Agriculture, Community Development and Cooperation (Shri Annasahib Shinde): (a) to (c). A statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-219/67].

Gift of Rigs for Drought-Affected Areas

473. Shri Vishwa Nath Pandey:
Will the Minister of Food and Agriculture be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund has given a gift of four rigs to the Government of India for use in the drought-affected areas; and

(b) if so, how they have been distributed among the drought-affected areas?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Food, Agriculture, Community Development and Cooperation (Shri Annasahib Shinde): (a) The landed The United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund has given