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likely to be utilized upto 31st March, 1966;

(c) the targets of houses fixed for each State; and

(d) the achievements likely to be made by them by the end of Third Five Year Plan?

The Minister of Works, Housing and Urban Development (Shri Mehr Chand Khanna): (a) and (b). A statement showing the required information is laid on the Table. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-5491/66].

(c) and (d). The required information is being collected from States and will be laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha, as soon as it is received.

## 1..I.C. Funds for Housing Schemes

405. Shri Kajrolkar: Will the Minister of Works, Housing and Urban Development be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Life Insurance Corporation of India has agreed to allocate Rs. 12 crores for the housing schemes during 1966-67;

(b) if so, on what terms and on what basis:

(c) the requirements of the State Governments in this regard; and

(d) how the balance will be met with?

The Minister of Works, Housing and Urban Development (Shri Mehr Chand Khanna): (a) Yes.

(b) The terms have not yet been indicated put those for the corrent year are  $a_s$  follows:

- (i) Rate of interest-6-1|4 per cent per annum.
- (ii) Period of repayment-20 years.

The entire loan will be repayable in one lump sum at the expiry of the stipulated period, only interest being payable annually. The State Governments will set up sinking funds for repayment of the loans.

(c) The State Governments are expected to indicate their requirements for 1966-67, by the middle of May 1966.

(d) Does not arise.

## Rajendra Medical College and Hospital

496. Shri Dasaratha Deb: Will ' the Minister of Health and Family Planning be pleased to state:

(a) the total amount given so far as aid to the Rajendra Medical College and Hospital situated at Bariata, Ranchi; and

(b) whether there is any proposal under consideration of the Central Government to take over this Medical College and Hospital under their direct management?

The Minister of Health and Family Planning (Dr. Sushila Nayar): (a) Till 1957-58, the Government of India released an amount of Rs. 23.82.432 to the Government of Bihar for the establishment of the Rajendra Medical College at Bariata, Ranchi. Since 1958\_ 59. Central assistance for establishment/expansion of medical colleges has been released to State Governments group-wise, under the Centrally-aided schemes and no assistance for individual schemes as such was released. The State Governments are free to utilize the assistance under a group for any scheme within the group.

Hospitals attached to medical colleges are not eligible for Central assistance.

(b) No.

## Agartala Water Supply Scheme

407. Shri Dasaratha Deb: Will the Minister of Health and Family Planning be pleased to state:

(a) the total amount so far given to the Union Territory of Tripura for Agartala Water Supply Scheme;

(b) the amount spent so far; and