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6.	Tamilnadu		
	(i) Mamallapuram	Chenglapattu MGR	Exposed large stepped wall along the coast and elliptical water structures, a monolithic Bhu-Varaha and a miniature shrine all in a unique plan.
	(ii) Gingee	Villupuram R. Padayachiyar	Revealed a palace complex, and audience hall and council chamber of 16th-18th century A.D., a medieval town under the Nayaks, the Sultanate of Bijapur and the Marathas.

Navodaya Vidyalayas in Assam

1305. SHRI ISWAR PRASANNA HAZARIKA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Navodaya Vidyalayas sanctioned for Sonitpur and Lakhimpur Districtsof Assam and their locations;
- (b) the dates from which the respective schools have started functioning:
- (c) whether contracts for construction of school buildings etc. have been awarded; and
- (d) if so, the latest status and progress of construction work of the schools?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MUHI RAM SAIKIA):
(a) and (b). The Scheme of Navodaya Vidyalayas provides for opening of one Navodaya Vidyalaya in each district. A Navodaya Vidyalaya has already been sanctioned at Village Kadamoni, Viswanath Charali Distt. Sonitpur in March, 1993. This vidyalaya has started functioning from academic year 1994-95. No vidyalaya has been sanctioned in Distt. Lakhimpur so far.

(c) and (d). Yes, Sir. The work regarding construction of building of Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, District Sonitpur has been sanctioned in December, 1995. Site survey and Layout Plan have been finalised. Tenders have also been invited and are under process.

Leprosy. Treatment

1306. SHRI MANIKRAO HODLYA GAVIT : SHRI PARASRAM BHARDWAJ :

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state

(a) whether multi drug therapy was introduced for treatment of leprosy more efficiently and within shorter duration:

- (b) whether some voluntary organisations are also running in different States providing leprosy treatment:
 - (c) if so, the details thereof State-wise; and
- (d) the details regarding the grant Government is providing in their favour?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SALEEM IQBAL SHERVANI): (a) Yes, Sir.

- (b) Yes, Sir.
- (c) The number of voluntary organisations providing Leprosy treatment in various States is enclosed as statement.
- (d) A sum of Rs. 120 lakhs have been provided in the Budget Estimates for 1996-97 for grant-in-aid to the voluntary organisations under Survey, Education and Treatment (SET) scheme of National Leprosy Eradication Programme.

STATEMENT Statewise Number of Voluntary Organisations Under NLEP

State/UT		No. of Vol. Organisations
	1	2
1.	Andhra Pradesh	42
2.	Arunachal pradesh	3
3.	Assam	6
4.	Bihar	18
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6.	Gujarat	17
7.	Haryana	1
8.	Himachal Pradesh	1
9.	J & K	√ 1
10.	Karnataka	22