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between India and U.K. via Middle East/Europe, one additional service between Bombay and Nairobi and extend the present Singapore terminator to Sydney via Perth. The second aircraft will be used extensively for crew training and practice flights and would be used for international planned routes from the 1st April, 1967. Air-India may be able to provide daily operations between Bombay and Calcutta on behalf of I.A.C. from 1st January, 1967.

Allocation from the Central Road Fund for Orissa

4402. Shri Ramchandra Ulaka: Shri Dhuleshwar Meena:

Will the Minister of Transport, Aviation, Shipping and Tourism be pleased to state:

(a) whether all the amount for the works sanctioned under the Central Road Fund for Orissa State during the Third Five Year Plan period had been given;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

The Minister of Transport, Aviation, Shipping and Tourism (Shri Sanjiva Reddy): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) New works estimated to cost Rs. 4.24 lakhs were sanctioned in Third Plan. The 'spill over' in the Third Plan from the Second Plan amounted to Rs. 38.38 lakhs. Funds aggregating Rs. 59.42 lakhs were released by the Government of India during the Third Five Year Plan as shown below:—

Year			Releases		
1961-62			Rs.	13.86	lakhs
1962-63			Rs.	10.68	lakhs
1963-64			Rs.	6.75	lakhs
1064-65			Rs.	11.13	lakhs
1965-66	·	•	Rs.	17. 0 0	lakhs
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(c) Does not arise.

Major Bridges in Orlssa

4403. Shri Ramachandra Ulaka: Shri Dhuleshwar Meena:

Will the Minister of Transport, Aviation, Shipping and Tourism be pleased to state:

(a) the number of major bridges on National Highways completed in Orissa State during the Third Five Year Plan period; and

(b) the target fixed and the allocation made and utilised?

The Minister of Transport, Aviation, Shipping and Tourism (Shri Sanjiva Reddy): (a) Seven major bridges each costing over Rs. 5 lakhs were completed on National Highways in Orissa in the Third Five Year Plan period. Construction is in advanced stage on another six bridges which will be completed during the current year.

(b) Information is being collected. It will be laid on the table of the Lok Sabha shortly.

Bombay-London Air Service

4404. Shri D. C. Sharma: Will the Minister of Transport, Aviation, Shipping and Tourism be pleased to state:

(a) whether Air India propose to operate a new jet flight between Bombay and London with a halt at Teheran from October, 1966; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

The Minister of Transport, Aviation, Shipping and Tourism (Shri Sanjiya Reddy): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. Air-India propose to operate an additional service to London with a halt at Teheran from October, 1966. The time-table and other details have not yet been finalised.