

**MINING AND ALLIED MACHINERY CORPORATION**

1157. **SHRI BABURAO PATEL** : Will the Minister of **INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND COMPANY AFFAIRS** be pleased to state :

(a) the names of ten top officials of the Mining and Allied Machinery Corporation who went abroad during the last 3 years from July 1965 to July 1968;

(b) the reasons for their foreign trips, the countries, they visited and the duration of their stay in each country;

(c) the cost to Government by way of air fare and foreign exchange; and

(d) the exact benefits to the country that accrued from these trips ?

**THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI F. A. AHMED)** : (a) to (d). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

**INTERNATIONAL FAIR AT BAGHDAD**

1158. **SHRI BABURAO PATEL** : Will the Minister of **COMMERCE** be pleased to state :

(a) the names of the Indian firms which took part in the fifth International Fair held in Baghdad during the month of October, 1968, with the names of the persons who went abroad in this connection;

(b) the types of Indian goods displayed at the fair;

(c) the expenditure met by Government of India and the Indian firms for participating in the fair; and

(d) the exact benefits to the country for taking part in this fair ?

**THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI MOHD. SHAFI QURESHI)** : (a) and (b). A statement showing the names of the Indian firms that took part in the Fair, the names of persons who were permitted to go abroad to attend the Fair and the types of Indian goods displayed at the Fair is placed on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-2178/68]

(c) Rs. 3.30 lakhs approximately. Actual expenditure is not yet known.

(d) The exact benefits to the country in terms of business transacted and export possibilities generated are being assessed. It has, however, been reported that licences worth Rs. 21 lakhs for import of Indian capital goods & Rs. 2 Lakhs for import of consumer goods are expected to be issued shortly by the Govt. of Iraq.

**ROLLING STOCK ON N. G. KANGRA VALLEY RAILWAY**

1159. **SHRI HEM RAJ** : Will the Minister of **RAILWAYS** be pleased to state :

(a) the number of overaged wagons, coaches and engines on the N. G. Kangra Valley Railway in 1967-68 and the number of each kind replaced in the said period; and

(b) the number of such rolling stock on that N. G. section in 1968-69 and the number that has been replaced in this year ?

**THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C. M. POONACHA)** : (a) Number of overaged rolling stock as on 31-3-1968 :

Wagons	26
Coaches	12
Engines	5

Number replaced in 1967-68 :

Wagons	Nil
Coaches	Nil
Engines	Nil

(b) Number of overaged rolling stock as on 31-3-1969 :

Wagons	26
Coaches	12
Engines	5

Number replaced in 1968-69 :

Wagons	Nil
Coaches	Nil
Engines	Nil

**INDUSTRIAL LICENSING POLICY**

1160. **SHRI VIRENDRA KUMAR SHAH** : Will the Minister of **INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND COMPANY AFFAIRS** be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are considering drastic changes in the industrial licensing policy with a view to keeping down the

(a) whether any new industries are proposed to be set up in Punjab and Haryana during the Fourth Five Year Plan period;

(b) whether any suggestions have been received from those State Governments in this regard; and

(c) if so, the decision taken thereon ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI F. A. AHMED) : (a) to (c). Proposals have been received from the Governments of Punjab and Haryana in regard to the industries to be set up in the respective States during the Fourth Five Year Plan period. These are under consideration and no decision has yet been taken on them, as the formulation of the Fourth Plan is still in hand.

कैपिटल एक्सप्रेस रेलगाड़ियों का चलाया जाना

\* 194. श्री रामस्वरूप बिद्यारथी :

श्री भारत सिंह चौहान :

श्री श्रद्धाकर सूफकार :

क्या रेलवे मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि दिल्ली से विभिन्न स्थानों को कुछ कैपिटल एक्सप्रेस रेलगाड़ियां चलाने का निर्णय किया गया है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो ये रेलगाड़ियां किन-किन स्थानों को चलाई जायेंगी तथा इनकी रफ्तार कितनी होगी; और

(ग) क्या इन रेलगाड़ियों में यात्रा के लिए भी अन्य मेल तथा एक्सप्रेस गाड़ियों जितना ही किराया लिया जायेगा ?

रेलवे मंत्री (श्री च० म० पुनावा) :

(क) और (ख). जी हां। फिलहाल केवल हावड़ा और नयी दिल्ली के बीच 120 किलोमीटर प्रति घंटे की अधिकतम अनुमत गति से एक तीव्र-गामी रेलगाड़ी चलाने का प्रस्ताव है।

(ग) इसका किराया वर्तमान डाक और ए. ए. टी. गाड़ियों के किराये से अधिक होगा।

C. I. AGENTS IN H.E.C., RANCHI

\*200. SHRI K. LAKKAPPA : Will the Minister of INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the C.I. Agents are active in Heavy Engineering Corporation, Ranchi; and

(b) if so, the main features of their activities and Government's reaction thereto ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI F. A. AHMED) : (a) The Government have no such information.

(b) Does not arise.

EXPORT PUBLICITY ADVISORY COMMISSION

\*201. SHRI HARDAYAL DEVGUN : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Export Publicity Advisory Commission has submitted to Government a report bringing out the causes of failures in the matter of exports and has made certain recommendations in regard thereto;

(b) if so, the salient features thereof; and

(c) the reaction of Government thereto?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI MOHD. SHAFI QURESHI) : (a) to (c). The Standing Export Publicity Advisory Committee was constituted to advise in planning and implementing export publicity programmes through the various media and not to bring out the causes for failure in the matter of exports. The Committee after going into the present position has made recommendations for formulation of effective and practical export publicity programmes and their implementation in a coordinated manner. These are being processed.

PANDE COMMITTEE ON DURGAPUR STEEL PLANT

\*202. SHRI KAMESHWAR SINGH :  
SHRI SHIV CHARAN LAL :  
SHRI KEDAR PASWAN :

Will the Minister of STEEL, MINES AND METALS be pleased to state :