

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE AND SUPPLY (SHRI CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK) : (a) and (b). The matter is under detailed examination and consideration by all the concerned organs of the Government.

#### Industries in Manipur

1139. SHRI M. MEGHACHANDRA : Will the Minister of INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, INTERNAL TRADE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) the names of industries both big and small proposed to be set up in the Union Territory of Manipur during the Fourth Five year Plan; and

(b) the financial allocations made for both big and small industries (separately and industry-wise) for the aforesaid industries ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, INTERNAL TRADE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI F. A. AHMED) : (a) and (b). The Fourth Five Year plan proposals of the States and Union Territories including Manipur are still under consideration. Details regarding the industrial units to be set up in Manipur, the financial allocations therefore etc., will be available after the Plan is finalised.

#### अल्प विकसित तथा पिछड़े क्षेत्रों का विकास

1140. श्री नाथूराम अहिरवार : क्या औद्योगिक विकास, आंतरिक व्यापार तथा समवाय-कार्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) अल्पविकसित और पिछड़े क्षेत्रों का विकास करने की कोई योजना सरकार के विचाराधीन है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसका व्यौरा क्या है; और

(ग) किन-किन क्षेत्रों में उस योजना को क्रियान्वित करने का विचार है ?

औद्योगिक विकास, आन्तरिक व्यापार तथा समवाय-कार्य मंत्री (श्री फखरुद्दीन अली अहमद) : (क) से (ग). अविकसित तथा पिछड़े हुए क्षेत्रों के विकास का पूरा मामला जिसमें उद्योगों का क्षेत्रों में बांटना भी सम्मिलित है अभी सरकार के विचाराधीन है।

#### Trade with Bulgaria

1141. SHRI D. N. PATODIA :  
SHRI P.C. ADIHAN :

Will the Minister of FOREIGN TRADE AND SUPPLY be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Prime Minister of Bulgaria during his recent visit held discussions to explore avenues of trade between India and Bulgaria;

(b) if so, the outcome thereof; and

(c) the extent to which it is likely to improve the trade relations between the two countries ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE AND SUPPLY (SHRI CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK) : (a) to (c). Prospects of bilateral trade between India and Bulgaria came up for discussion with the Prime Minister of Bulgaria in a general way. Both the sides expressed satisfaction at the encouraging growth and diversification of mutual trade in 1968 and noted the prospects of further growth in the coming years. The need of exploring possibilities of industrial cooperation was also stressed.

#### Export of Cement

1142. SHRI SHIVA CHANDRA JHA : Will the Minister of FOREIGN TRADE AND SUPPLY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that India's Cement Export has gone up;

(b) If so, the total quantity of cement exported in the year 1968 *vis-a-vis* during the year 1967 to each country separately