

काफी पुरानी हो, वहां इस समस्या की व्यापकता को जांचने के लिए कार्य सम्बन्धी अध्ययन शुरू किया जाय, (iii) फालतू कर्मचारियों को दूसरे स्थानों पर लगाने के उपाय किये जाय और (iv) प्रायोजनाओं के निर्माण के दौर में उनके निर्माण सम्बन्धी कार्य को कम करने की दृष्टि से निर्माण का काम करने वाले निगमों को अधिक काम दिया जाय। सरकार ने ये सिफारिशें स्वीकार कर ली हैं और सरकारी क्षेत्र के उपक्रमों को इनकी सूचना भेज दी गयी है। सरकारी उद्यम कार्यालय ने सरकारी क्षेत्र के उपक्रमों को यह सुझाव भी दिया है वे स्वैच्छिक सेवा-निवृत्ति की वंसी योजनाएं तैयार करें, जैसी कुछ उपक्रमों में पहले से ही चल रही हैं ताकि इन योजनाओं से फालतू कर्मचारियों की संख्या में कमी करने में सहायता मिल सके।

Manufacture of Synthetic Rubber at Koyali in Gujarat

1939. ✓ SHRI MADHU LIMAYE :
SHRI C. JANARDHANAN :

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS AND MINES AND METALS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have decided to put up a unit to manufacture synthetic rubber in Gujarat at Kayall :

(b) if so, the capacity and cost of the project ; and

(c) when the project is likely to go into production ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS AND MINES AND METALS (SHRI D. R. CHAVAN) : (a) The matter is under consideration.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

10-Point Programme of A. I. C. C.

1940. SHRI S. K. TAPURIAH :
SHRI P. C. ADICHAN :

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) the details of the 10 point programme of the All India Congress Committee as accepted by Government ; and

(b) whether some action has been taken on the suggestions ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI P. C. SETHI) : (a) and (b). A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [*Placed in Library. See No. LT-1497/69*].

Closure of Manganese ore Mines

1941. SHRI D. N. PATODIA :
SHRI S. K. TAPURIAH :

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS AND MINES AND METALS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that more than 30 per cent manganese mines in the country remain closed and many more are facing closure in the near future ;

(b) if so, what is the total loss in production suffered as a result of the closure ; and

(c) whether there is any prospect of their re-opening and if not, in what way Government propose to put the manganese ores to a profitable use ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS AND MINES AND METALS (SHRI JAGANATH RAO) : (a) As per the returns received by the Indian Bureau of Mines, only 50 mines were temporarily discontinued and 2 mines closed permanently in 1968. This constituted 13.5% of the mines reporting production of manganese in 1967.

(b) The loss in production during 1968 was 21,166 tonnes.

(c) Efforts are being made to step up exports of manganese ore, as also internal sales.

Shifting of Central Government Offices from West Bengal

1942. SHRI INDRAJIT GUPTA :
Will the Minister of HEALTH AND