स्वास्थ्य तथा परिवार नियोजन और निर्माण, आवास तथा नगरीय विकास मंत्रासय में राज्य मंत्री (डा० श्रीपति चन्द्रशेखर): (क) जी नहीं। भारत में परिवार नियोजन आन्दोलन सभी समुदायों पर लागू है और सभी को उपलब्ध है। यह आन्दोलन बौद्धिक, वैज्ञानिक और स्वेच्छिक आधार पर चलाया गया है। यह कार्यक्रम सभी समुदायों के लोगों के गामा-जिक और आधिक विकास से सम्बन्धित है।

(ख) से (घ). अखित भारतीय आधार पर कार्यक्रम के अपनाने सम्बन्धी आंकड़ों का समुदायवार हिसाब नहीं रखा जाता है, फिर भी अनेक स्थानीय अब्ययनों से उपलब्ध सूचना से पता चलता है कि सभी समुदायों के लोग लगभग अपनी जनसंख्या के अनुपात के अनुरूप ही परिवार नियोजन सेवाओं का लाभ उटा रहे हैं और जनसंख्या के सन्तुलन पर कोई उल्लेखनीय प्रतिकृत प्रभाव नहीं पड़ा है।

Damages Caused by recent Floods in Rajasthan

174. SHRI S. C. SAMANTA: SHRI YASHPAL SINGH:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

- (a) the findings of the study team sponsored by the Central Government in connection with the damages caused by recent floods;
- (b) whether there are any recommendations by the team and if so the action Government propose to take on them; and
- (c) the money already spent by Government in various flood affected areas, particularly in Rajasthan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI P. C. SETHI): (a) to (c). During the current financial year, Central study teams have so far visited Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Kerala, Orissa, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal to assess the requirement of funds

for various flood relief measures for purposes of Central assistance to the State Governments concerned. The Government of India have adopted the following ceilings of expenditure recommended by the Central teams for the current year:—

Written Answers

State	Rs, in crores
Andhra Pradesh	15.60
Assam	3,55
Kerala	2,16
Orissa	3.64
Rajasthan	2.93
Uttar Pradesh	2.90
West Bengal	5.33

Central assistance towards natural calamities relief expenditure is released in the light of the progress of expenditure to be reported by the State Governments concerned, subject to the ceilings adopted. The total assistance released to the States affected by floods this year in this manner so far (upto 15th November, 1969) amounts to Rs 10.20 crores. No amount has so far been sanctioned to the Government of Rajasthan since they have not yet reported the progress of expenditure incurred on various flood relief measures.

Denture Facilities for General Public in

- 175. SHRI S.C. SAMANTA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING AND WORKS, HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:
- (a) whether it is a fact that the so called dental clinics, dental surgeons and quacks have roaring business in Delhi for lack of adequate facilities provided by Governments; and
- (b) the steps being taken to provide facilities to the general public for availability of denture at reasonable cost?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING AND WORKS, HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI B. SMURTHY): (a) and (b). There is no evidence to suggest that quacks have roaring business in Delhi. It is an offence under