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टूंडला से दिल्ली तक रेलवे लाइन का विद्युतीकरण न किया जाना

283. श्री ग्रज्न सिंह भवौरिया: श्री चित्रका प्रसाद:

क्यारेल बेमंत्री यह बताने को कृपा करेंगे कि:

- (क) क्या यह सब है कि कलकत्ता से दिल्ली तक उत्तर रेलके का प्रस्तावित विद्युती-करण प्रव केवल टूंडला तक ही किया जायेगा प्रीर टूंडला से दिल्ली तक रेलवे लाइन की कजाय तमिलनाडु में किसी प्रन्य रेलवे लाइन का विद्युतीकरण किया जायेगा; धौद
- (ल) यदि हां, तो दिल्ली तक रेलवे के विद्युतीकरण की योजना को, जो पहले ही स्वीकार हो चुकी है, स्विगत करने के क्या कारण हैं?

रेलवे मंत्री (थी नण्डा): (क) जी नहीं। शेव लण्ड धर्यात ट्रंडला-विल्ली लण्ड का विश्वतीकरण धरी भी विचाराधीन है।

(ख) सदाल नहीं उठता।

Fall in Production of Industries in Calcutta

284. SHRI ARJUN SINGH BHADO-RIA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND INTERNAL TRADE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the production in the factories located in Calcutta and adjoining areas has fallen during the last three months;
- (b) if so, the extent to which it has fallen and the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the action proposed to be taken by Government in this regard?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELO-PMENT AND INTERNAL TRADE (SHRI M.R. KRISHNA): (a) to (c). Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Pilferage in wagons and godowns on the Railways

285. SHRI ARJUN SINGH BHADO-RIA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that pilferage in wagons and godowns is on the increase on the Railways; and
- (b) if so, the steps being taken by Government to stop such pilferage?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI NANDA): (a) Yes,

- (b) The following steps are being taken on the Railways to stop the pilferages:-
 - in order to avoid tampering with the consignments loaded in wagons, they are sealed, rivetted, pad-locked or E.P. locked and provided with dunnage (in consignments susceptible to bleeding);
 - In order to localise thefts, seal checking is done at every checking point.
 - (3) Yards and Goods sheds etc. are watched round the clock by the R.P.F.
 - (4) Trains carrying valuable commodities are escorted by the R.P.F.
 - (5) Vulnerable sectors, yards/spots are patrolled by the R.P.F. with or without arms or by R.P.F. Dog Squads.
 - (6) In order to localise bad spots, a pilot scheme has also been introduced to select Pairs of stations on different railways, which