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23.	West Bengal	Bankura	1. Chhatna
		Birbhum	2. Rajnagar
		Darjeeling	3 Garubathan
		Jalpai <b>g</b> uri	4. Mainaguri
		Midnapur	5 Binpur II
		Purulia	6. Arsha
		Siliguri	7. Khoribari
24.	A and N Islands	Nicobar	1. Nancowry
25.	D and N Haveli		1. D and N Haveli
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## **Economic Packages for Kashmiries**

3800. SHRI CHAMAN LAL GUPTA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have announced any package for the development and upliftment of Jammu & Kashmir: and
- (b) if so, the progress made in this regard so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI S.R. BALASUBRAMONIYAN): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. Follow-up action is being taken for implementation the economic package announced by the Prime Minister in both Houses of the Parliament in July/August, 1996.

## Calcutta Circular Railway

3801. SHRI PRADIP BHATTACHARYA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Port Trust of Calcutta has agreed in principle to allot land for the construction of Calcutta Circular Rallway; And
- (b) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto and the time by which it is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE, MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. U. VENKATESWARLU): (a) and (b). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

[Translation]

## Setting up of Industries in Food Processing Sector

3802. DR. RAMKRISHNA KUSMARIA: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the U.S. trade delegation has evinced any interest in the setting up of small and medium industrial units in the food processing sector;
- (b) if so, whether any agreement in this regard has been reached; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof alongwith terms and conditions of the agreement?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI DILIP KUMAR RAY): (a) Under the Indo-US Commercial Alliance, both Indian and U.S. companies have expressed intent of greater collaboration with each other.

(b) and (c). The Ministry does not set up industrial units in food processing sector directly. Hence, no specific agreement has been signed in this regard. However, the Government encourage and permit setting up of industries with foreign technical/financial/marketing collaborations with various countries including U.S.A. According to available information 68 technical/financial collaboration proposals between India and U.S. companies have been approved between 8/91 to 8/96.

## Indian Travellers

3803. SHRI DATTA MEGHE: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Indian registered trawlers confiscated during the last two years and till date