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4.	Madhya Pradesh	2	(i) Bori (ii) Singpur (Tal)	30,000 35,000
5.	Orissa	4	(i) Kadalipalli (ii) Saba (iii) Samartha (iv) Jamudiha	55,000 55,000 55,000 70,000
6.	Punjab	3	(i) Sangatpura (ii) Dhanansu (iii) Palahi	1,00,000 1,00,000 1,10,000
7.	Uttar Pradesh	4	(i) Karsan (ii) Jagmaljoti (iii) Chandesuwa (iv) Malahpurwa	50,000 35,000 45,000 40,000
8.	West Bengal	3	(i) Bondanga (ii) Baidyapur-Rathtala (iii) Bongopalpur	45,000 1,00,000 45,000

Increase in Steel Prices

2420. SHRI SYDIAH KOTA :
SHRI RAMASHRAYA PRASAD SINGH:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state :

(a) the reasons of increase in steel prices and its impact on production and demand of steel;

(b) whether the Government propose to decrease the prices of products of SAIL, ESSAR, TISCO and other private steel companies; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINISTER OF MINES (SHRI BIRENDRA PRASAD BAISHYA) : (a) The main producers of Steel namely, SAIL, TISCO and RINL have had to increase the prices of some of their steel products due to various reasons including increase in the prices of petroleum products, railway freight, power supplied by State Electricity Boards, and increase in the price of coal etc. Demand for steel being a derived demand, is dependent on the growth of the economy in general and growth of industrial production and infrastructure sector in particular. Both demand and production of steel and driven by market forces after the liberalisation of the steel sector.

(b) After deregulation of pricing and distribution of iron and steel w.e.f. 16.1.92, Government has no role to play in pricing of steel produced by main producers. Secondary producers were free to fix their own prices even prior to this date.

(c) Does not arise in view of (b) above.

Substitution of 'Mumbai' for 'Bombay'

2421. SHRI RAM NAIK : Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government are aware that in the maps published by the Surveyor General of India, the word "Bombay" has still been used instead of "Mumbai" in the English version; and

(b) if so, the action taken or proposed to be taken to rectify the error?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI YOGINDER K. ALAGH) : (a) The Govt. is aware that the maps published before the formal approval of change of name by the Govt. from 'Bombay' to 'Mumbai' retain the name 'Bombay'. However, all maps published by Survey of India after the approval of change in name by the Govt. indicate the town as 'Mumbai'.

(b) Does not arise.

J.R.Y. in Andhra Pradesh

2422. SHRI G.A. CHARAN REDDY : Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether the State Government of Andhra Pradesh has brought structural changes in the implementation of Jawahar Rozgar Yojana in the state;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and