67 Written Answers

- 1. IS 2052 : 1979 Compounded feeds for cattle and
- 2. IS 5560 : 1970 Compounded feeds for young stock.

regarding the use of the ingredients of animal origin like fish meal, meat meal, blood meal etc.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Shri Laxmi Narain Modi, Managing Trustee, Bharatiya Cattle Resources Development Foundation has sent letters recently regarding deletion of the ingredients of animal origin from the cattle feed standards referred to above in view of the possibility of resulting in mad cow disease and other harmful effect on animals.

(d) The matter is under examination by the Government.

[Translation]

Train from Dehradun to Kathgodam

2126. SHRI BACHI SINGH RAWAT 'BACHDA' : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) the reasons for not introducing a direct train service from Dehradun to Kathgodam, inspite of existing of broad gauge track there; and

(b) whether the Government propose to introduce a direct train service on this route keeping in view the convenience of the people and necessity for the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ) : (a) and (b). Introduction of a direct train between Dehradun and Kathgodam is presently not feasible due to lack of traffic justification and operational/resoure constraints.

Women Cell in Police Stations

2127. SHRI MOHAMMAD ALI ASHRAF FATMI Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether women cells have been constituted in all the Police Stations of each district in order to stop atrocities on women;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the names of the districts where such cells have not been constituted?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MOHD. MAQBOOL DAR) : (a) to (c). Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

[English]

Alleged Irregularities in NAFED

2128. SHRI B.L. SHARMA 'PREM' : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government have received

complaints regarding the alleged financial irregularities in NAFED;

(b) whether preliminary inquiries has substantiated the allegations; and

(c) if so, name of the agency being entrusted with the further probe and action taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (EXCLUDING THE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING) (SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). The complaints received have been examined and it has been decided to entrust the enquiry to the Financial Adviser, Department of Agriculture and Cooperation to probe into the alleged irregularities.

[Translation]

Development of Jamalpur Railway Factory

2129. SHRI JAGDAMBI PRASAD YADAV : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government propose to develop one of the oldest Factory at Jamalpur, Eastern Railway which is in a pitiable condition;

(b) whether in the past about twenty two thousand persons worked here and training was also provided from special category to third category and many Members of Railway Board were trained here; and

(c) the steps proposed to be taken by Government to develop this factory?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The work of Jamalpur workshop modernisation is in progress at an anticipated cost of Rs. 9.62 crores. An outlay of Rs. 2.85 crores has been proposed during 1996-97.

[English]

Gauge Conversion between Hotgi and Bijapur

2130. SHRI B.R. PATIL : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) the progress of gauge conversion work between Hotgi-Bijapur;

(b) whether sufficient funds have been provided for the project;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the conversion work between Bijapur Gadag would be taken up immediately; and

(f) if so, the tune of funds to be provided by the Government for the purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ) : (a) The progress on this project is 87%. It is targetted to be completed within this financial year. (b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Rs. 25.00 crores.

(d) The work will be completed within this financial year.

(e) Yes, Sir.

(f) Will be decided and indicated in the Railway Budget for 1997-98.

Integrated Watershed Management

2131. SHRI E. AHAMED : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the "Integrated Watershed Management in the Catchments of Flood Prone Rivers" scheme has been implemented in different States; (b) if so, the details and names of the States where the schemes has already been implemented; and

(c) the Central assistance given to each State under the scheme during each of the last three years and the progress made so far?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (EXCLUDING THE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING) (SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA) : (a) to (c). Yes. Sir. A Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Soil Conservation in the Catchments of Flood Prone Rivers is being implemented in eight States. The State-wise Yearwise, details of Central assistance released in the last three years and the amount utilised so far are given in the Statement.

STATEMENT

Statement showing State-wise release during last three Years and amount utilised so far under Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Soil Conservation in the Catchment of Flood prone Rivers

	•				Rupees in lakt
S.No.	Name of State	·	Release		Amount utilised so fai
		1993-94	1994-95	1995-96	(1993-94 to 1995-96)
1.	Bihar	3.03.00	NIL	Nil	1,88.88
2.	Haryana	17.00	90.00	138.00	197.98
3 .	Himachal Pradesh	386.00	3 07.50	219.00	926.44
4.	Madhya Pradesh	340.00	469.00	230.00	950.24
5.	Punjab	Nit	50.00	50.00	50.00
6.	Rajasthan	622.00	719.00	957.00	2202.99
7.	Uttar Pradesh	93 0.00	1251.50	1445.00	3301.48
8.	West Bengal	92.00	103.00	101.00	215.64
	Headquarters	10.00	10.00	10.00	30.00
	Total	2700.00	3000.00	3150.00	8063.65

[Translation]

New Railway Lines in Bihar

2132. SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether a proposal for laying new railway lines in Bihar during the Ninth Five Year Plan is under consideration of the Government; and

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The details have not yet been finalised.

[English]

Rail Link of Tourist Places of Orissa

2133. SHRI ANCHAL DAS : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether all the tourist and pilgrim places of Orissa are connected by rail;

(b) if not, the steps proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard; and

(c) whether Government propose to link Jaipur Road and Jaipur town with the Railway network and make Jaipur-Road a junction under the Southern-Eastern Railway Zone?