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8.	Himachal Pradesh	6.84
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	8.70
10.	Karnataka	42.03
11.	Kerala	22.64
12.	Madhya Pradesh	45.46
13.	Maharashtra	78.64
14.	Manipur	6.98
15.	Meghalaya	1.40
16.	Mizoram	2.25
17.	Nagaland	3.54
18.	Orissa	22.18
19.	Punjab	18.95
20.	Rajasthan	69.64
21.	Sikkim	1.07
22.	Tamil Nadu	38.13
23.	Tripura	1.11
24.	Uttar Pradesh	72.57
25.	West Bengal	7.49
Total		554.53

Pesticides

4736. SHRIMATI PURNIMA VERMA :
SHRI RAMESHWAR PATIDAR :

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether resistance capacity has been developed in several insects against D.D.T. paracvet, Linden and other pesticides;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the environmental and other problems created by the use of these pesticides?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (EXCLUDING THE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING) AND MINISTER OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION AND MINISTER OF FOOD (SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA) :
(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Resistance is now known in 31 pest species in India out of which 19 are pests of medical and veterinary

importance, 7 are pests of stored commodities and 5 are of pests of field crops. Insecticide resistance has been reported against all major groups of pesticides including organochlorines such as DDT, BHC, Lindane and endosulfan; organophosphates such as malathion, dichlorvos and quinolphos; and synthetic pyrethroids such as cypermethrin and deltamethrin.

(c) The injudicious and inappropriate use of chemical pesticides may lead to a number of environmental and health problems as follows:

(i) Direct toxicity to applicator or consumer;

(ii) development of strains of pests resistant to pesticides;

(iii) destruction of non-target organisms such as parasites and predators of pests; honeybees and other pollinators; fishes, birds and other wildlife;

(iv) resurgence of pest leading to exceptionally high population in absence of natural enemies.

(v) Outbreak of secondary pests that are no longer controlled by their natural enemies;

(vi) accumulation of harmful residues on crop, plant, man, domestic animals, wildlife and the environment.

[English]

M.S. Gore Committee

4737. SHRI CHURCHILL ALEMAO : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have accepted the recommendation given by the Prof. M.S. Gore Committee on the Police Training;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken to ensure the implementation to these recommendations by all the States and Union Territories?

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.

Aircraft Flying at Low Altitude in Tripura

4738. SHRI MOHAN RAWALE : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether foreign aircraft was sighted flying at a low altitude over the disturbed areas or Tripura twice during the night of April 19, 1997;