

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (PROF. P. J. KURIEN): (a) and (b) 69 Letters of Intent were issued during the period 1st January, 1990 to 1st April, 1991, for setting up of industries in Madhya Pradesh.

Details, such as name and address of the Undertaking, location, item(s) of manufacture and capacity in respect of all Letters of Intent are published regularly by the Indian Investment Centre in their "Monthly Newsletter". Copies of this publication are being sent to the Parliament Library regularly.

Beneficiaries of Food Distribution

1992. SHRI VIJAY NAVAL PATIL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have plans to reduce the number of beneficiaries of food distribution through the Public Distribution System; if so, the details thereof;

(b) the criteria fixed for providing benefits through Public Distribution System; and

(c) whether the Government propose to safeguard the interest of Government servants, middle and low income groups due to reduction of beneficiaries in the Public Distribution System; if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED): (a) No, Sir.

(b) The Public Distribution System is universal in nature. Central Government makes allotments to State Governments/UT Administrations, keeping in view factors like availability of stocks, demand of States/UTs market availability, inter-se requirements of States/UTs etc.

(c) Does not arise.

Construction of Roads under JRY

1993. SHRI RAMESH CHENNI-THALA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the total kilometers of roads constructed under Jawahar Rozgar Yojana during the last year;

(b) the total number of mandays created; and

(c) the total amount allotted and spent, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI G. VENKAT SWAMY): (a) On the basis of reports received from the States and Union Territories so far, about 92150 kilometers of road were constructed under Jawahar Rozgar Yojana (JRY) during the year 1990-91.

(b) About 8750 lakh mandays were generated under JRY during 1990-91.

(c) Financial allocation for the year 1990-91, inclusive of matching share of States was Rs. 2627.80 crores. Reports furnished by the States and Union Territories indicate that the expenditure during the year was Rs. 2571.76 crores. State-wise details are given in the Statement.

STATEMENT

Construction of Roads under JRY

State-wise allocation of resources and amount spent under JRY during the year 1990-91

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	State/U.T.	Amount allocated	Amount Spent
1	2	3	4
1.	Andhra Pradesh	19166.20	18032.89
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	330.67	208.77
3.	Assam	5114.59	5648.57

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4.	Bihar	38466.78	42645.86
5.	Goa	357.27	277.12
6.	Gujarat	8090.71	7513.03
7.	Haryana	1926.82	2085.43
8.	Himachal Pradesh	1135.28	1270.68
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	2000.00	1636.30
10.	Karnataka	12059.70	10684.41
11.	Kerala	6396.19	6819.92
12.	Madhya Pradesh	26402.50	24102.41
13.	Maharashtra	20424.84	19254.92
14.	Manipur	423.83	482.45
15.	Meghalaya	495.91	339.35
16.	Mizoram	208.90	833.41
17.	Nagaland	610.00	617.46
18.	Orissa	13094.93	12845.26
19.	Punjab	1675.65	1222.63
20.	Rajasthan	12805.28	17029.54
21.	Sikkim	198.54	183.48
22.	Tamil Nadu	17223.66	19661.60
23.	Tripura	550.49	525.40
24.	Uttar Pradesh	51093.28	45773.98
25.	West Bengal	21786.94	16998.84
26.	A & N Islands	156.56	102.02
27.	Chandigarh	38.81	12.29
28.	D & N Haveli	84.99	66.53
29.	Daman & Diu	50.07	15.46
30.	Delhi	184.18	56.84
31.	Lakshadweep	78.49	64.30
32.	Pondicherry	153.25	164.48
	All India	262780.27	257175.63

[Translation]

Funds to Bihar for Rural Development

1994. SHRI VIJAY KUMAR YADAV: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the villages of Bihar are the worst-affected in the matter of backwardness and unemployment in the country;

(b) if so, the steps being taken for their development;

(c) whether the Government propose to allocate funds to Bihar for rural development on the basis of population; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI UTTAM-BHAI H. PATEL): (a) and (b) As