

(b) Yes. A field station of Malaria Research Centre was opened in Nadiad Taluka, Kheda District, Gujarat in 1983.

(c) The field station is engaged on the demonstration of (i) Bioenvironmental control of malaria, (ii) research on the control of mosquito breeding, (iii) training of staff of the health department and collaborative agencies, (iv) transfer of technology to the health department, (v) development of a monitoring system to ascertain the impact of intervention measures and (vi) preparation of action plan for the entire district.

[Translation]

**Lord Jagannath Temple, Orissa**

789. **Shri Govinda Chandra Munda** : Will the Minister of Human Resource Development be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government have received information from Orissa Government during the last three years regarding development of cracks in the Lord Jagannath Temple :

(b) if so, the details thereof and the total amount proposed to be sanctioned by the Government during the current year for reconstruction and repair of the temple ; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

**The Minister of Human Resource Development (Shri Arjun Singh)** : (a) to (c) : The Archaeological Survey of India has not received any specific information from the Government of Orissa regarding the development of cracks in the main temple of Lord Jagannath, Puri during the last three years.

As per the recommendations of the Experts, the Conservation works on Lord Jagannath Temple, Puri and the subsidiary shrines within are in progress, for which an allocation of Rs. 6.75 lakhs has been made in the current financial year

[English]

**P. G. Allowance to ISM Post-Graduates**

790. **Shri Roshan Lal** : Will the Minister of Health and Family Welfare be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Post-Graduate doctors of the Indian Systems of Medicines working in C.G.H.S. are paid Post-Graduate Allowance ;

(b) if not, the reasons therefor ?

(c) whether the Government propose to give Post-Graduate Allowance to such doctors ; and

(d) if so, the details therefor ?

**The Minister of State in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (Shrimati D. K. Thara Devi Siddhartha)** : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) : In view of (a) above question does not arise.

**Poor Result of CBSE**

791. **Dr. Kripasindhu Bhoi** : Will the Minister Human Resource Development be pleased to state :

(a) whether the result of Central Board of Secondary Education for X standard was extremely poor for the year 1990-91 ;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor :

(c) whether Government propose to compensate such students who failed marginally by promoting them to the next class, provisionally ;

(d) whether Government are aware that the failed students are being denied admission by the schools from where they appeared as regular candidates particularly in Government Girls Senior Secondary School, Ashok Vihar, Delhi ; and

(e) if so, the steps taken by Government to ensure readmission to the failed students in the same school from where they appeared ?

**The Minister of Human Resource Development (Shri Arjun Singh):** (a) No Sir. The pass percentage for Secondary (class X) School Examination, 1991 conducted by the CBSE was 62.8% as against 65.6% in 1990.

(b) Not applicable.

(c) There is no such proposal under the consideration of the Government.

(d) and (e): Reports regarding refusal of admission to the failed students by some of the schools were received by the Directorate of Education, Delhi Administration. On 19-7-91, a circular was issued by the Director of Education, Delhi Administration to the Principals of all the recognised private and Government schools of Delhi/New Delhi directing them to ensure that no failed student is refused readmission in his or her parent school. In so far as Government Girls Senior Secondary School, Ashok Vihar, Delhi is concerned, the concerned Area Education Officer, Delhi Administration visited the school and assured all concerned that no failed student would be refused admission in the school.

#### **Village Health Guides in Rural Areas**

**792. Shri Satyagopal Misra:** Will the Minister of Health and Family Welfare be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have taken any decision to encourage Village Health Guides in the rural areas for the benefit of the rural people,

(b) if so, the details thereof

(c) whether the Union Government have taken any decision to enhance the honorarium of Village Health Guides paid hitherto;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

**The Minister of State in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (Shrimati D. K. Thara Devi Siddhartha):** (a) and (b): The Village Health Guide Scheme continues to be in operation. The Village Health Guides are voluntary workers selected by the village community and provide elementary health and family welfare services in rural areas. They are paid an honorarium of Rs. 50 per month.

(c) to (e): It has not been possible to enhance the honorarium and make provision of medicine kits due to financial constraints.

#### **Clearance of Orissa Projects**

**793. Shri Braja Kishore Tripathy:** Will the Minister of Urban Development be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Orissa had submitted any proposal to the Union Government for clearance of projects under Integrated Urban Development Programme;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the amount proposed to be allocated for the purpose?

**The Minister of State in the Ministry of Urban Development (Shri M. Arunachalam):** (a) to (c): The Government of Orissa had submitted a preliminary project proposal for urban development at an estimated cost of Rs. 1892 crores to be posed for external assistance. The proposal was examined by this Ministry. It was found that the institutional capability as also capability of the State Government to provide counterpart funding had not been clearly brought out in the proposal. The proposal was, therefore, returned to the Govt. of Orissa for preparing a realistic project. Revised project report from the Government of Orissa has not been received.