

and petrol are given below. The prices being administered, are not necessarily related to

the cost of production only.

<i>Product</i>	<i>ex-storage point price</i> <i>(Rs./litre)</i>		
	<i>July 1990</i>	<i>before</i> <i>25.7.91</i>	<i>after</i> <i>25.7.91</i>
Diesel	3.64	4.55	4.55
Petrol (MS87)	8.95	11.18	13.42

Conversion of Railway Lines

2835. SHRI RAJVEER SINGH: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the names of zones and divisions under which the Government propose to convert metre gauge lines into broad gauge;

(b) the estimated expenditure likely to be incurred on these projects; and

(c) the time by which this work is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALIKARJUN) : (a) No proposal has been finalised for converting any MG line to BG, other than those where work is already in progress.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

[English]

National Policy on Tourism

2836. SHRI BRAJA KISHORE TRIPATHY: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are con-

templating to formulate a national policy on tourism; and

(b) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA) : (a) and (b). The Government are in the process of formulating an Action Plan for Tourism which may necessitate some policy changes.

[Translation]

Recovery of Railway Dues

2837. KUMARI VIMLA VERMA : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the extent of Railway dues outstanding from non government agencies, government organisations and public sector undertakings for the last five years, year-wise;

(b) action taken to recover the dues; and

(c) the details of bad-debt written off during that period ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALIKARJUN) : (a) to (c). The information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the Sabha.