

[*Translation*]**Production Capacity of TAFCO**

917. SHRI KESRI LAL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the details of production capacity of Tannery and Footwear Corporation of India located at Kanpur for the last three years;

(b) whether the products of TAFCO are exported also;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the steps taken by Government for making TAFCO more viable and efficient?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI P.K. THUNGNON): (a) The production details for the last three years are given in the Statement-I annexed.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Details of exports are given in the Statement-II annexed.

(d) Govt. have been releasing funds to TAFCO for implementing various schemes to make the unit more viable. During the last 5 years (upto 31-3-91), funds to the extent of Rs. 2.05 crores under plan and Rs. Rs. 19.53 crores under Non-plan had been released.

**STATEMENT***Actual Production figures of Tafco for the Last Three Years**(Figures in lakhs)*

<i>Product</i>	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Actual Production</i>		
		1988-89	1989-90	1990-91 <i>(provisional)</i>
Footwear	Pairs	4.25	3.58	3.13
Bark Leather	Kg.	5.00	4.37	2.10
Chrome Leather	Sq.m.	1.65	1.52	1.34
Leather Board	Sheet	0.17	0.26	0.16
Rubber Goods	Kg.	2.00	2.15	1.01
Shoe Finishes	Rs.	33.17	27.53	24.61

**STATEMENT - II***Exports of Taico Products During the Past Three Years**(Rupees in lakhs)***1. DIRECT EXPORTS:**

Product	1988-89	1989-90	1990-91
Footwear	2.27	-	-
Bark Leather	27.18	23.127	0.88
Chrome Leather	4.35	1.09	1.90
Industrial Leather	-	1.40	-
Closed Upper	-	-	29.14
Saddlery	0.29	-	-
Cut Sole	0.78	-	-

**ii) EXPORT THROUGH EXPORT HOUSES:***(Rupees in Lakhs)*

Product	1988-89		1989-90		1990-91	
	Qty.	Value	Qty.	Value	Qty.	Value
	(Pairs)	(Rs.)	(Pairs)	(Rs.)	(Pairs)	(Rs.)
Army Combat	-	-	106155	179.06	58513	106.80

*[English]***Recognition to the Trade Union of Indian Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Limited**

918. DR. ASIM BALA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Federation of Medical & Sales Representatives Association of India (FMRAI) was recognised as the sole bar-

gaining Trade Union for the Medical & Sales Representatives of Indian Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Limited by the Indian Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Limited Management and also by the Government of India;

(b) whether FMRAI has been derecognised; if so, the reasons thereof, which law gives provision for derecognition;

(c) whether the International Labour Organisation wrote to the Government of