[Translation]

## Man-made polyester yarn and Nylon Factories

4500. SHRI KASHIRAM RANA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of man-made polyester yarn and nylon factories registered during the last three years;
- (b) the installed capacity of those factories and the annual production thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to put an end to the monopoly of the factoryowners and to make the yarns available to the weavers at a genuine price?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (PROF.P.J. KURIEN): (a) to (c). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

[English]

## Far Eastern Bureau Hostel for working Women

4501 SHRIMATI GEETA MUKHER-JEE:

SHRI VIYAYKUMAR YADAV: SHRIMADANLAL KHURANA: SHRI M.V. CHARDRASEKHARA MURTHY:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOP-MENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the attention of the Government has been drawn to the news item captioned "Working girls" hostel sans safety" appearing in the Statesman of November 25, 1991;
  - (b) if so, whether the Far Eastern Bu-

reau Hostel for Working Women at Kasturba Gandhi Marg is in dilapidated condition and there is inadequate security;

- (c) whether representations have been received in this regard;
- (d) if so, the steps taken to construct a high boundary wall to remove security hazards;
- (e) the other steps taken to improve the general condition of the Hostel;
- (f) whether a public telephone is installed inside the Hostel premisses which gives an excuse to the outsiders to enter the Hostel; and
- (g) If so, the action proposed to be taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) to (e). Yes Sir, The building was constructed during 1943-44 as war time accommodation with specification of temporary structures. The Blocks were however strengthened during 1984-85 and are structurally sound and are persently in proper habitable condition due to the regular maintenance done by CPWD. As regards security there is a proposal to raise the parts of the compound wall around the campus for better security.

(f) and (g). Yes, Sir. Public Telephone installed inside the Hostel is for the bonafide use of the occupants of the Hostel and no outsider/visitor is allowed to us the facility of public telephone.

## Investment in Public Sector in Eighth Plan

4502. SHRIMATI GEETA MUKER-JEE: SHRI VIJAY KUMAR YADAV:

Will the Minister of PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state: