

1	2	3	4	
Mahadeopuri	UG	84	93	101
Gajandoh	UG	110	121	124
Shivpuri	UG	105	110	122
Chhinda	UG	58	57	58
Thesgora	UG	116	76	54
Mathani	UG	124	100	88
Vishnupuri-I		82	93	70
Vishnupuri-II	UG	81	67	56
Kukurunda/ Shivpuri-I Patch	OC	120	136	135
Rawanwara Patch	OC	260	263	200
New Sethia/ Vishnupuri Patch	OC	111	261	200
Pench East	OC	71	125	40
Haranbhata	OC	149	83	0
<b>Kanhan Area</b>				
Mohan	UG	126	184	174
Ambara	UG	132	126	141
Sukri	UG	0	24	38
Ghorawari+ Jharna	UG	281	322	312
Damuaa	UG	61	68	111
Nandan-I	UG	226	240	243
Nandan-II	UG	180	158	173
Rakhikol	UG	0	0	35
Bansi	UG	101	76	62
Tandsi	UG	170	161	131
Damua East	UG	0	0	0
Mouri	UG	118	0	0
Mohan	OC	106	62	35
Ambara	OC	5	42	49
Ghorawari+ New Patch+		156	29	116
Datla	OC		78	66
<b>Northern Coalfields Limited</b>				
Jhingurda		3,692	3,542	3,230
Gorbi		97	445	816

1	2	3	4
Jayaant	9,420	9,401	7,535
Amlohri	3,432	3,422	4,080
Gorbi 'B'	805	601	540
Nigahi	4,000	4,202	4,200

[English]

V.R.S. in I.T.D.C.

2694. SHRIK. KRISHNAMOORTHY : Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal being worked out to introduce Voluntary Retirement Scheme for ITDC officials in view of proposed disinvestment of ITDC shares and reduce the staff; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF TOURISM (SHRI MADAN LAL KHURANA):  
(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

[Translation]

Bihar Spun Silk Mill

2695. SHRI PRABHASH CHANDRA TIWARI : Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government of Bihar has sent a proposal to the Union Government for the economic assistance to review the Bihar Spun Silk Mill, Bahadurpur in Bhagalpur district;

(b) if so, the action taken by the Government thereon, so far;

(c) the time by which the Union Government contemplate to provide economic assistance for revival and modernisation of the said mill;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether two other Spun Mills based on Japanese technology in Assam and Karnataka are earning profit; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI KASHIRAM RANA) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

(e) and (f) There is one spun silk mill, and 4 spun silk mills located in Assam and Karnataka respectively based on Japanese technology. As per available information one mill in the private sector, M/s. Raheem Spun Silk Mills located in Karnataka is earning profits.

[English]

### Tourism in Sikkim

2696. SHRI BHIM DAHAL : Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state :

(a) the number of tourists who visited Sikkim during each of the last three years;

(b) the amount spent on the development of tourism in Sikkim during the last three years, year-wise, project-wise;

(c) whether the Union Government have drawn up an Integrated Tourism Development Plan for Sikkim; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF TOURISM (SHRI MADAN LAL KHURANA):

(a) According to the statistics available from the Government of Sikkim, total number of tourists who visited Sikkim during the years 1995, 1996 and 1997 are as follows:

Year	Tourist Arrival
1995	104421
1996	100801
1997	122821

(b) The details of the amount sanctioned and released for various projects/schemes by the Union Ministry of Tourism to the Government of Sikkim for the development of tourism during the last three years are as follows :

S.No.	Name of the Project/ Scheme	(Rs. in lakhs)	
		Amount Sanctioned	Amount released
1	2	3	4
<i>During 1995-96</i>			
1.	Wayside amenities at Labrang	7.70	3.75
2.	Refurbishment of Lachung Monastery	6.19	4.10
3.	Flower Festival 1995	5.00	4.00
4.	Production of Film	10.72	5.36
<b>Total</b>		<b>29.61</b>	<b>17.21</b>

*During 1996-97*

1. Phensong Monastery (Refurbishment) 30.00 4.00

1	2	3	4
2.	Phodong Monastery (Refurbishment)	30.00	4.00
3.	Publicity material	1.10	0.55
4.	Flower Show Festival	2.00	1.00
5.	Construction of Tourist Lodge at Chungthang (North Sikkim)	29.99	9.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>93.09</b>	<b>18.55</b>

*During 1997-98*

1.	Wayside amenities at Toong	2.70	0.32
2.	Tourist Information Centre at Namchi	10.00	5.00
3.	Wayside amenities/public convenience at Deorali Chorten Sikkim	3.50	1.05
4.	Tourist Information Centre at Gayzing	10.00	3.00
5.	Tourist Information Centre Gangtok	10.00	2.68
6.	Refurbishment of Pamayantse Monastery	10.00	3.00
7.	Refurbishment of Tashiding Monastery	10.00	3.00
8.	Flower Festival	2.00	1.00
9.	Handicrafts Exhibition	4.00	4.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>62.20</b>	<b>23.05</b>

(c) and (d) The State Government has prepared a Master Plan for the development of tourism in the State. The Union Ministry of Tourism provide financial assistance to State Governments on the basis of specific proposal received from them as per guidelines.

[Translation]

### Pending Trade Disputes with WTO

2697. SHRI SURENDRA PRASAD YADAV (JAHANABAD) : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether some cases of trade disputes of India with other countries are lying pending with the Dispute Settlement Body of World Trade Organisation;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the details of the negotiations held in this regard; and

(c) the steps taken to ensure the decision of the settlement body in favour of our country?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE (SHRI RAMKRISHNA HEGDE) : (a) Yes, Sir.