

**Direct Flight between Patna and Delhi**

2313. SHRI RAGHUVANSH PRASAD SINGH: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is not direct flight between Patna and Delhi;

(b) if so, whether the Government propose to provide a direct flight between Patna and Delhi;

(c) if so, the time by which it is likely to be commenced; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ANANTH KUMAR) (a) to (d) Indian Airlines, at present, operates a daily service on Delhi/Patna/Ranchi/Delhi route. The runway restriction and high temperature do not permit carriage of full load ex-Patna. The flight is, therefore, operated via Ranchi to fill the aircraft. Besides, Alliance Air operates a four times weekly service on Delhi/Lucknow/Patna/Calcutta and return route.

**Survey for laying of new Rail Lines in Madhya Pradesh**

2314. SHRI CHANDRAMANI TRIPATHI:  
SHRIMATI SURYAKANTA PATIL:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the proposal received from the Government of Madhya Pradesh and other organisations for laying the new rail lines;

(b) the details of the surveys conducted for laying of new rail lines during the Eighth Five Year Plan;

(c) the details of the new rail routes out of the above proposed new rail lines found remunerative;

(d) the funds allocated for the constructions of new rail line during each of the last three years;

(e) the time by which these new rail lines are likely to be laid;

(f) whether the Government have proposed to conduct surveys for laying of new rail lines in Madhya Pradesh during the Ninth Five Year Plan; and

(g) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI RAM NAIK): (a) to (g) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha.

[English]

**Model Villages under Rural Sanitation Programme**

2315. COL. SONA RAM CHOUDHARY:  
SHRI A.C. JOS:

Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of villages in the country developed as a model village under the Centrally Sponsored Rural Sanitation Programme during each of the last three years, State-wise;

(b) the amount earmarked for this purpose during 1998-99;

(c) the specific projects sent by the Kerala Government to the Union Government for approval and release of the funds under CRSP;

(d) whether the Union Government have approved all the projects of the Kerala Government; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI BABAGOUDA PATIL): (a) to (e) The States are assisted to develop model villages under the rural sanitation programme covering facilities like sanitary latrines, conversion of dry latrines, garbage pits, soakage pits, drain smokeless chullahs, sanitary latrines in Anganwadis, schools, panchayat ghars, Health Centres, etc. Funds are released for the development of model villages under the Centrally sponsored Rural Sanitation Programme (CRSP) after the scrutiny of the proposals received from the State Government. No fund under CRSP has been earmarked for this purpose.

The details regarding the number and names of the villages in the country developed as model villages under the Centrally Sponsored Rural Sanitation Programme during each of the last three years, Statewise is given in the enclosed Statement.

**Statement**

*Number and name of villages in the country developed as model villages under the Centrally Sponsored Rural Sanitation Programme during 1995-96, 1996-97 and 1997-98, Statewise.*

**1995-96**

1.	Karnataka	—	(I) Gurudeverahally (ii) Doda Banaswadi (iii) Muddenahalli (iv) Hampi (v) Sringeri
2.	Kerala	—	(I) Kilikolloor (ii) Thurayur (iii) Thikodi
3.	Orissa	—	(I) Nagpur (ii) Navgaon
4.	Rajasthan	—	(I) Ratnapura (ii) Chhoti Badrel (iii) Sidhmukh (vi) Sahwa

**1996-97**

1.	Karnataka	—	(I) Kaginele (ii) Siddaganga
2.	Kerala	—	(I) Vengloa (ii) Tanur Block (iii) Pallipad (iv) Pilicode (v) Mattatur (vi) Vattavade
3.	Rajasthan	—	(i) Sri Mahaveerji Complex (ii) Kailadevi

**1997-98**

1.	Kerala	—	(I) Kandalloor
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