

(viii) **Setting up of a Super Zinc Smelter Plant in Chittorgarh**

श्री वृद्धि चन्द्र जैन (बाड़मेर) : राजस्थान औद्योगिक दृष्टि से देश का पिछड़ा क्षेत्र है। राज्य के औद्योगीकरण में केन्द्रीय पूंजी निवेश बहुत कम है।

राज्य में कच्चे खनिज पदार्थों की बाहुल्यता है। राज्य में जिक के नए भंडार मिले हैं, जिन की जांच हो चुकी है और इसके परिशोधन का कारखाना लगाने की बात भी मानी जा चुकी है।

राज्य के मुख्यमंत्री ने इस कारखाने की स्थापना छठी पंचवर्षीय योजना में प्रारम्भ करने के लिए योजना आयोग एवं केन्द्र सरकार को सिफारिश की है।

वतः केन्द्रीय सरकार से आग्रहपूर्वक निवेदन है कि राज्य के औद्योगिक विकास की दृष्टि से इस पिछड़े प्रांत में छठी पंचवर्षीय योजना में राज्य के मुख्यमंत्री की सिफारिश के अनुसार चित्तौड़गढ़ जिले में सुपर जिक स्मेल्टर की स्थापना की जाये।

(ix) **'Uvati' Irrigation Project in Assam.**

SHRI BHUBANESWAR BHUYAN (Gauhati): The 'Uvati' Irrigation Project over Batha rive in Rampur Development Block, Kamrup District, Assam was constructed in 1974. But the said project became a total failure due to defective planning. The canals from the Irrigation Project have all dried up long back and no water flows through them. This has also caused loss of several lakhs of rupees and led to the frustration and consequent resentment among the people of the area, who are mostly extremely poor people of the Rabha Community of the plain tribals and Rajbanshis. Besides poor people, whose land had been acquired by government for

the project have not yet been paid their due compensation. Now the project stands as an epitome of bad planning and an eyesore to the people.

Nevertheless the Project 'Uvati' can be revived and revitalised and thereby the hopes and aspirations of the people of the area can be fulfilled to a great extent if the proposal for a small scale multi-purpose project by constructing a dam over the Kulsri River near Kulsri Forest Inspection Bungalow is accepted. The water will then be kept in reserve in the famous "Chanddubi Bill" wherefrom the water for irrigation purpose may be drained out through the 'Uvati' Irrigation Project. If the scheme is executed water will be available throughout the year through the canals of the 'Uvati' River Irrigation Project.

I would like the Government of India to consider the matter in all its aspects and take an early decision.

(x) **Demand for an Electronic Telephone Industry at Bhubaneswar.**

SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI (Bhubaneswar): The State Government of Orissa has been requesting the Government of India for setting up a unit of Electronic Telephone Industry at Bhubaneswar for a long time. A site selection team of the Government of India had gone round various areas at Bhubaneswar for finalising the site.

The Electronic Industry is conspicuously absent in the eastern region and particularly in Orissa. The Government of India have taken a decision to remove the regional imbalances in respect of setting up of electronic industry in the country. The setting up of a telephone industry at Bhubaneswar will go a long way in removing this regional imbalances. Bhubaneswar is ideally suited for the location of the telephone industry. It has not only got all infrastructural advantages, but its clear climate is immensely suitable for setting up any type of electronic industry. The State being industrially backward in general and with regard to the electronic industry in particular, the setting up of this industry at