

<i>State</i>	<i>No. of Mills Closed</i>	<i>No. of workers affected</i>
6. Kerala	1	1,015
7. Madhya Pradesh	2	2,636
8. Maharashtra	17	36,665
9. Rajasthan	7	5,554
10. Tamil Nadu	27	14,352
11. Uttar Pradesh	7	14,929
12. West Bengal	7	13,754
13. Delhi	1	5,803
Totals	124	1,65,610

Clearance to Inter-State Inchampalli Project of Andhra Pradesh

1405. SHRI J. CHOKKA RAO: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Andhra Pradesh Government has proposed to the Central Water Commission for clearance of the inter-State Inchampalli Project;

(b) if so, whether the project has been cleared;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) whether there is any proposal to take up this project in Central Sector on the lines of Bhakra-Nangal Project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI

MANUBHAI KOTADIA): (a) Yes, Sir. The Inter-State Inchampalli Project report prepared by the State Government was received in October 1988.

(b) and (c). The report has been returned to the State Government to get the report prepared by a joint Inter-State Task Force, as agreed to.

(d) No, Sir.

Yarn Price

1406. SHRI BANWARI LAL PUROHIT: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether one lakh powerloom and two lakh handloom units in the country are on the verge of closure on account of sudden rise in the price of cotton yarn due to Government's export policy on the yarn;