Action Taken on M.Ps. Letters by Ministry of Food and Civil Supplies

1539. SHRI MADAN LAL KHURANA: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUP-PLIES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of letters received from the Members of Parliament by his Ministry and the Super Bazar during 1989 and 1990;

(b) how many of them are pending re-

plies, with reasons thereof; and

(c) the steps taken to deal promptly with letters of M.Ps.?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI NATHU RAM MIRDHA): (a) and (b). Information in regard to number of letters received from Members of Parliament is as follows:---

Ministry of Food and Civil Supplies		Super Bazar	
1989	1990	1989	1990
631	123	77	5
The No. of letters per	dıng:		
52	53	_	

They are pending for reasons like information being awaited from State Governments/Union Territories and the public sector organizations to which the issues relate. Some of the pending references relate to vigilance cases and their disposal is time consuming.

(c) Instructions already exist to deal promptly with letters of MPs. These cases are also reviewed periodically to ensure their disposal as early as possible.

Opening of Primary Health Centres in Maharashtra

1540. Srimati JAYAWANTI NAV-INCHANDRA MEHTA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Primary Health Centres opened in Maharashtra since December, 1989;

(c) how many of these Centres have X-Ray facility?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI NILAMANI ROUTRAY): (a) According to information received from the State Government, 132 Primary Health Centres have been sanctioned and out of these 106 Primary Health Centres have started functioning in Maharashtra during the period December, 1989 to date. All these 106 Centres have a full time Medical Officers.

(c) No Primary Health Centre has X-ray facility.

[Translation]

Rajasthan's Demand for Tehri Dam Water

1542. SHRI GIRDHARI LAL BHAR-GAVA: Will the Minister of WATER RE-SOURCES be pleased to state: