

gets for the afforestation/tree planting activities proposed for the year 1990-91 are given below:

Area to be covered: 55,000.00 ha.

Farm Forestry : 29,000.00 lakh seedlings.

The total outlay is likely to be of the order of Rs. 560 crores.

(c) The targets and achievements for afforestation/trees planting activities under the 20-Point Programme in the Seventh Plan period are given below:

(in million ha.)

Year	1985-86	1986-87	1987-88	1988-89	1989-90
Targets	1.45	1.71	1.79	2.00	1.71
Performance	1.51	1.76	1.77	2.12	*
Achievement	104.1%	102.9%	98.0%	106.0%	

* Final figures are awaited, but the target is expected to be achieved.

Use of Titanium

6072. SHRI ERA ANBARASU:
SHRI MANORANJAN
BHAKTA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether any survey has been made to find out the total quantity of titanium in the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof; statewise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(PROF. M.G.K. MENON) (a)
Yes, Sir.

(b) Atomic Minerals Division of the Department of Atomic Energy has been carrying out reconnaissance survey in coastal sands both in eastern as well as western coasts and inland placer sands since early 1950s. Workable concentrations of Ilmenite, Leucoxene and Rutile, the principal mineral sources of titanium are confined to the coastal and inland placers in the States of Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Orissa, Andhra Pradesh, Maharashtra, West Bengal and Bihar. State-wise break-up of the reserves of ilmenite, Leucoxene and Rutile are given below:-

Sl.No.	State	Ilmenite (Tonnes)	Leucoxene (Tonnes)	Rutile (Tonnes)
1.	Kerala	27,546.00	577,000	2,012,000
2.	Tamil Nadu	68,893.00	4,546,000	4,320,000

<i>Sl.No.</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Ilmenite (Tonnes)</i>	<i>Leucosene (Tonnes)</i>	<i>Rutile (Tonnes)</i>
3.	Orissa	35,902,000	-	1,338,000
4.	Andhra Pradesh	9,377,000	311,000	321,000
5.	Maharashtra	1,797,000	590,000	-
6.	West Bengal	2,087,000	-	192,000
7.	Bihar	744,000	-	11,000

Bird Sanctuaries

6073. SHRI M. M. PALLAM RAJU: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number, location and area of the bird sanctuaries in the country;

(b) whether any of the species of birds face imminent danger of extinction due to various reasons;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the steps initiated by the govern-

ment towards conservation of these birds?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRIMATI MANEKA GANDHI): (a) There are 50 sanctuaries in the country primarily managed for birds. Details of these sanctuaries are given in the statement below:-

(b) and (c). The details of species threatened with extinction are as below:-

<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Name of species</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Reasons for being threatened with extinction</i>
1	2	3	4
1.	Grus leucogeranus (Siberian Crane)	Keoladeo National Park, Rajasthan	(i) Inadequate protection in migratory route which includes Pakistan, Afghanistan a and U.S.S.R. (ii) Inadequate availability of water in Keoladeo Ghana National Park.