

	<i>Male</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Total</i>
	1	2	3
Foreigners	9	3	12
Total	37	11	48

(f) and (g). 13 identified Government hospitals/medical colleges in the country are providing treatment to AIDS patients.

[*Translation*]

Telephone Calls by C.P.W.D. Offices

411. SHRI JANARDAN TIWARI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the amount of payment made from Government account for the telephone calls made from abroad to New Delhi by the Chief Engineer of Central Public Works Depart-

ment, New Delhi Zone-I and other CPWD Officers during their recent visit to Japan, in connection with International Garden and Greenery Exposition and to other countries; and

(b) the justification therefor?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MURASOLI MARAN): (a) The expenditure incurred for the telephone calls made from abroad to New Delhi by the Chief Engineer, New Delhi Zone I and other officers of CPWD during recent visit to Japan is indicated below:

Chief Engineer, New Delhi Zone-I

— Yen 1592 equivalent to about Rs. 183.00

Other officers of C.P.W.D.

— Yen 1,47,084 equivalent to about Rs. 16,867.00.

The Chief Engineer, New Delhi Zone-I has not visited any other foreign country during the recent past.

(b) The calls were made in connection with procurement of material, labour etc. for the International Garden and Greenery Exposition at Osaka.

(a) the number of major and medium centrally sponsored schemes being implemented in Bihar;

(b) the time by which these schemes are likely to be completed; and

(c) the details of expenditure incurred on these schemes so far?

Major and Medium Irrigation Projects of Bihar

412. SHRI JANARDAN TIWARI: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI MANUBHAI KOTADIA): (a) None please.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.