

24. Tonk
25. Udaipur
- IV. **UTTAR PRADESH:**
1. Agra
2. Allahabad
3. Aligarh
4. Banda
5. Bareilly
6. Bijnor
7. Etah
8. Fatepur
9. Ferozabad
10. Farukhabad
11. Ghaziabad
12. Hamirpur
13. Hardoi
14. Jalaun
15. Jhansi
16. Kanpur Dehat
17. Kanpur Nagar
18. Lalitpur
19. Mainpuri
20. Mathura
21. Meerut

22. Moradabad
23. Muzzafarnagar
24. Rae Bareilli
25. Shahjahanpur
26. Sultanpur
27. Unnao.

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[*Translation*]

**Cooperation Between India and Portugal**

7336. SHRI RAJVEER SINGH: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the issues which are under consideration at present between India and Portugal for extending bilateral cooperation; and

(b) the extent to which both the countries are likely to be benefitted as a result of cooperation in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI I.K. GUJRAL): (a) and (b). India and Portugal are interested in strengthening bilateral cooperation in all fields, including political, economic, commercial and cultural for mutual benefit. Contacts between the two countries are taking place on a continuing basis in these different fields.

[*English*]

**Development of Fisheries in Maharashtra**

7337. SHRI VASANT SATHE: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether special financial assistance is proposed to be provided to Maharashtra State during 1990-91 for promotion and development of fisheries; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI NITISH KUMAR):

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

#### **Review of Central Sector Centrally Sponsored Scheme**

7338. SHRI VASANT SATHE: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to review the Central Sector sponsored

schemes currently in operation in the field of Agricultural and Rural Development with a view to avoid over lapping and for greater integrated planning; and

(b) if so, the action taken/proposed in this regard and the tentative allocation of funds for the current years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI NITISH KUMAR):

(a) and (b). Both Central Sector and Centrally Sponsored Schemes in operation in the field of agriculture and rural development are being regularly reviewed by the respective Departments in consultation with State Governments and Planning Commission.

The current allocation of funds for Central and Centrally Sponsored Scheme for the year 1990-91 is as follows:

1.	Department of Agriculture and Cooperation	—	Rs.905.00 crore
2.	Department of Rural Development	—	Rs.3033.75 crore

#### **Opening of Post Offices in Rajasthan**

7339. SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Post Offices opened, upgraded in Rajasthan during the Seventh Plan;

(b) the number of new Branch Post Office proposed to be opened and existing Post Office proposed to be upgraded in that State during the Eighth Plan;

(c) the number out of them proposed to be opened in Dholpur and Jhalawar Dis-

tricts; and

(d) the details of locations thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA): (a) 175 Post Offices were opened and 10 post offices upgraded in Rajasthan during the Seventh Plan period.

(b) The draft Eighth Plan of the Department has not yet been approved by the Planning Commission.

(c) and (d). Do not arise at this stage.