

*[English]***Publication of Writings of Dr. Ambedkar**

10008. SHRI HET RAM : Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether all the writings of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar have been published by Maharashtra Government;

(b) whether any book has not been published so far;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(d) if so, whether Government are considering to publish the same; if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR AND WELFARE (SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN):

(a) to (d). The information is being collected from the State Government of Maharashtra.

*[Translation]***Flood Control Technology Mission**

10009. SHRI M.J. AKBAR : Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether a Flood Control Technology Mission was set up in the past;

(b) whether this Mission is operative in all the districts of Punea division especially in Arariya district;

(c) if so, the details of work done by this Mission in this area so far; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor and the time by which it is likely to be executed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI MANUBHAI KOTADIA): (a) No, Sir.

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

(d) No decision has been taken.

*[English]***Sanjay Sagar Medium Irrigation Project of Madhya Pradesh**

10010. SHRI DILEEP SINGH BHURIA: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Sanjay Sagar Medium Irrigation Project of Madhya Pradesh has been deferred by the Ministry of Environment and Forests; and

(b) if so, the steps being taken to review the project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI MANUBHAI KOTADIA): (a) and (b). The Project has been rejected by the Ministry of Environment and Forest under Forest (Conservation Act, 1980 on grounds of inadequate rehabilitation plan and its adverse environmental impact. It is for the State Government to modify the project.

Research on Anti-Cancer, Anti-Aids and Anti-Tuberculosis

10011. PROF. RAMGANESH KAPSE: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Institute of Chemical technology (IITC) has been actively considering to undertake research for finding out highly specialised drugs with minimum side effects;

(b) whether the research on anti-Cancer, Anti-Aids and Anti-Tuberculosis were showing promising results;

(c) if so, by when production of such drugs will start; and

(d) by when these drugs will be made available to hospitals and doctors for treatment of such patients?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI RASHEED MASOOD): (a) to (d). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table the Sabha.

Sick Sugar Factories

10012. **SHRI SHANTILAL PURUSHOTAM DAS PATEL:** Will the Minister of HEALTH AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) the details of sugar mills which have become sick and or closed down since 1987, year and State-wise;

(b) the action being taken to re-open those mills; and

(c) the names of sugar units where letters of intent were issued but the units

have not gone into production during the aforesaid period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI RAM PUJAN PATEL): (a) and (b). The following two sugar mills have closed down since 1987-88 and have yet to re-start:—

(i) Maharashtra Sugar Mills Limited, Tilak Nagar, Distt. Ahmednagar (Maharashtra).

(ii) Belapur Sugar and Allied Industries Limited, Harigaon, Distt. Ahmednagar (Maharashtra).

A proposal to shift the Tilak Nagar Sugar Factory to Tasgaon, Distt, Sangli (Maharashtra) has been received from the State Government. No Proposal regarding second mill has been received from the State Government.

(c) The names of Sugar units which were issued letters of intent but have not gone into production so far are given in the Statement below.