

RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI BHAKTA CHARAN DAS): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Misuse of Research Funds by Jawaharlal Nehru University

6847. SHRI P. PENCHALAI AH: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Council for Scientific and Industrial Research has received any report about misusing of research project funds by the Jawaharlal Nehru University;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the remedial steps contemplated in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (PROF. M.G.K. MENON): (a) No, Sir.

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

Defence production Installations in Kerala

6848. SHRI S. KRISHNA KUMAR: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the defence production installations under construction in Kerala at present;

(b) whether Government have any proposal to set up any new installation in the State during the Eighth Plan; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (DR. RAJA RAMANNA): (a) There is no defence production installation under construction in Kerala, at present.

(b) There is no proposal to set up any new defence production installation in Kerala during the Eighth Plan.

(c) Does not arise.

Selection Grade for K.V. Principals

6849. SHRI MANDHATA SINGH: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have decided to grant selection grade to the Principals of Kendriya Vidyalayas to the tune of 20 per cent of the sanctioned strength;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the decision has since been given effect to; and

(d) if so, since when?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA): (a) Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has adopted the revised pay scales for school teachers w.e.f. 1.1.1986 as per instructions contained in the Department of Education letter dated 12.8.1987. In accordance with these orders, there is no provision for grant of selection grade to the Principals of Kendriya Vidyalayas.

(b) to (d). Do not arise.

[*Translation*]

Pattern of Central Assistance to States

6850. SHRI HARISH RAWAT: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to revise the existing pattern of Central assistance in regard to backward areas in the Eighth Five Year Plan; and