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these pumps are proposed to be set up; and

(c) when the proposals are likely to be finalised?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURU-PADASWAMY): (a) to (c). Currently, the oil companies have three proposals for setting up dealerships (Petrol/Diesel) in Bhilwara district of Rajasthan at the following locations:

- 1. Kanesan
- 2. Ladpura
- 3. Tikar

Letters of Intent in respect of all the three locations have been issued.

However, in view of the various steps preceding commissioning of the retail outlets, it is not possible to indicate by when the above dealerships will be made operational.

Development of Trivandrum Airport

6180. SHRI T. BASHEER: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government have formulated a scheme for the development of Airport terminals and parking aprorr at Trivandrum;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there is a proposal to acqurie more land for the development of Trivandrum Airport; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?
 THE MINISTER OF ENERGY AND
 MINISTEROF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ARIF
 MOHAMMAD KHAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) 1. INTERNATIONAL BLOCK

- (i) Extending "Custom" arrival and departure areas towards apron and city sides on ground and first floor.
- (ii) Providing mezzanine floor to facilitate shifting of the offices from the ground floor.
- (iii) Air conditioning of the building.

2. DOMESTIC BLOCK

- (i) Provision of escalator and stair-case
- (ii) Further extension of departure areas on ground and first floor.
- (iii) Extension of the building towards the city side.
- (iv) Expansion of the car park.
- 3. EXPANSION OF APRON.
- 4. INSTALLATION OF CATE-GORY-I APPROACH LIGHTING SYSTEM
 - (c) Yes, Sir.
- (d) The State Government of Kerala has been requested to acquire land measuring 1282 x 100 metres for Category-I approach lighting system.

Vayudoot Service to Jeypore, Orissa

- 6181. SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:
 - (a) whether the Vayudoot service to

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Jeypore (Koraput) has been discontinued;

- (b) if so, since when and the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps taken to restore the Vayudoot services on this route?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY AND MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ARIF MOHAMMAD KHAN): (a) and (b). Yayudoot services to Jeypore were discontinued with effect from 24th September, 1989 following the loss of an aircraft in an accident.

(c) While Vayudoot are anxious to restore the services, they have not been able to do so because of shortage of aircraft.

Linking of Hoshiarpur with other Towns

6182. SHRI KAMAL CHAUDHRY: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government have any proposal to connect directly Hoshiarpur by railway line with Ropar or Nangal Dam on one side and with Tanda-Urmar or Dasuya or Mukerian on the other; and
- (b) if so, the time by which the proposal is likely to be finalised and the work started?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES): (a) No; Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Air flight between Bombay and Goa

6183. SHRI GOPALRAO MAYEKAR: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to increase the air flights between Bombay and Goa: and

(b) if so, the action proposed to be taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY AND MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ARIF MOHAMMAD KHAN): (a) and (b). Severe capacity constraints do not permit Indian Airlines and Vayudoot to increase air flights between Bombay and Goa, at present.

[Translation]

Proto Development Training Centres in Punjab

6184. S. ATINDER PAL SINGH: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government propose to set up Proto Development Training Centres in Punjab for testing electric equipments;
- (b) if so, the names of places where these are being set up and when these will start functioning; and
- (c) the other details of the proposed scheme?

SHRI MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI AJIT SINGH): (a) and (b). The Government has approved setting up of a Design, Quality upgradation and Training Centre for electrical appliances, at Rajpura by National Small Industries Corporation. The Centre will start functioning as soon are land and building as provided by the Punjab Government.

- (c) The centre will provide the following services:
 - Technology up-gradation of the existing small scale in electrical appliances.
 - (ii) Common facility service in testing and assistance in