

In the Idamalyar project, the first 37.5 MW unit has been rotated. The second Unit is expected to be commissioned by September, 1986 which will increase the installed capacity of the project to 75 MW.

Increase in Prices of Semi-Synthetic Penicillin Antibiotic

*693. SHRI BAL RAM SINGH YADAV : Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that his Ministry has increased the prices of all semi-synthetic penicillin antibiotic;

(b) if so, what was the earlier price and what is the revised price of each; and

(c) the percentage increase in each drug ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI) : (a) The prices of Ampicillin Trihydrate, Ampicillin Anhydrous and Amoxycillin Trihydrate which are indigenously produced have been revised by the Government under the Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 1979 recently.

(b) and (c). A Statement giving the earlier price, revised price and percentage increase is attached.

Statement

Sl. No.	Name of the Bulk Drug	Earlier price (Rs./Kg)	Revised price (Rs./Kg)	Percentage increase
1.	Ampicillin Trihydrate	1677.00	1859.00	10.85%
2.	Ampicillin Anhydrous	2107.00	2368.00	12.39%
3.	Amoxycillin Trihydrate	2229.00	2495.00	11.93%

Delay in despatch of allotment letters to allottees by Maruti Udyog Ltd.

*698. SHRI K. D. SULTANPURI : Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Maruti Udyog Ltd. has cleared the Waiting List for allotment of Flat Roof Van upto 7000 numbers on 1st March, 1986;

(b) if so, the reasons why allotment letters have not been despatched to the applicants so far; and

(c) the action Government propose to take in the matter ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI) : (a) Yes, Sir. For 1983 booking customers in Delhi have been cleared for delivery upto 7000 numbers.

(b) The Company have informed that all customers have been individually intimated regarding their allotment number.

(c) Does not arise.

Imports of Drug Intermediates for Production of Bulk Drugs Produced by IDPL

*699. DR. PRABHAT KUMAR MISHRA : Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 1228 on 4 March, 1986 regarding rehabilitation and revival of ailing drug units and state :

(a) whether imports of drug intermediates are allowed freely for the production of bulk drugs which are being produced by Indian Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Limited from basic stages;

(b) whether a number of private companies are importing penultimates and intermediates; and

(c) the names of the private companies which are importing these drugs from intermediates/penultimates along with the name of bulk drug for which each is used ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI) : (a) and (b). No, Sir. Imports of drug inter-