

“स्पाई क्रोकोडाइल इन इण्डियन वाटर्स”
शीर्षक समाचार

*343. डा. सुब्रह्मण्यम स्वामी :
श्री एम रामगोपाल रेड्डी :

क्या गृह मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार का ध्यान दिनांक 6 अक्टूबर, 1982 के इंडियन एक्सप्रेस में “स्पाई क्रोकोडाइल इन इंडियन वाटर्स” शीर्षक समाचार की ओर दिलाया गया है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो चंपारण जिले के घाथा गांव में निकाले गए विदेशी ट्रांसमीटर युक्त घड़ियाल के विषय में ब्यारा क्या है ;

(ग) क्या सरकार ने इस विषय में कोई जांच कराई है ;

(घ) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यारा क्या है ?

गृह मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री पी. वेंकटसुब्बाय्या) : (क) जी हां, श्रीमान।

(ख) से (घ) . एक विवरण संलग्न है ।
विवरण

उपलब्ध सूचना के अनुसार 5 अक्टूबर, 1982 को बिहार के पूर्वी चम्पारन जिले के घाथा गांव में गंडक नदी से निकाले गए एक मगरगच्छ की पीठ से छोटे आकार का एक उपकरण प्राप्त हुआ था। बताया जाता है कि इस उपकरण में अन्य चीजों के साथ ले आउटपुट का एक ट्रांसमीटर था। स्थानीय प्राधिकारियों ने उपकरण को अपने अधिकार में किया और उसे अपराध विज्ञान प्रयोगशाला पटना को परीक्षण के लिए भेज दिया। जांच के परिणाम के बारे में सूचना प्रत्याशित है।

Safeguarding the Traditions Culture and Languages of Tribals

*344. SHRI BHEEKHABHAI:
SHRI PIUS TIRKEY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to bring forward legislation to safe-

guard the traditions, culture and languages of tribals on the lines of laws for minorities;

(b) if so, the time by which it will be done; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. VENKATASUBBIAH):

(a) No Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) It is felt that constitutional safeguards and national policies for protection and promotion of the interests of the scheduled tribes take care of these aspects of tribal life.

Shortage of raw materials affecting production in Northern Region

*345. DR. KRUPASINDHU BHOI: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether shortage and non-availability of raw materials continue to affect industrial production in the northern region according to a survey conducted by the PHD Chamber of Commerce covering firms from the rubber products, sugar, vanaspati, fertilizers, chemicals; ceramics and engineering sectors.

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto; and

(c) the action taken or proposed to be taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY AND STEEL AND MINES (SHRI NARAYAN DATI TIWARI): (a) to (c). A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement

A survey carried out by the PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry on shortage of coal, furnace oil,

diesel oil, cement and power in the Northern region during the period April—June 1982 has come to the notice of Government. The Survey covered a limited number of units classified under the industry groups food products, rubber products, sugar, vanaspati, fertilizers, chemicals, ceramics and engineering, in the States of Punjab, Haryana and Uttar Pradesh and the Union Territory of Delhi.

The Survey has indicated that there has been considerable improvement in the supply position of cement and marginal improvement in the availability of coal and power to the industrial units in the Northern region. Production of the industrial units covered by the Survey was, however, affected in varying degrees on account of the gap between the requirement and supply of coal, furnace oil and diesel oil.

The Ministry of Industry monitors the availability of industrial inputs and takes up the reported production snags with the concerned departments for an early remedial action. The Departments of Coal, Petroleum, and Power in the Ministry of Energy have taken steps to remove the shortages of industrial inputs. The production of petroleum products has gone up and these are now freely

available. The production of coal has been augmented and the generation power has increased as compared to the same period in the previous year.

Glut in Motor Vehicle industry

*346. SHRI M. M. LAWRENCE: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to lay a statement showing:

(a) the production of motor vehicle industry (heavy and light vehicles separately) in the years 1980-81 and 1982 upto the month of August, industry-wise;

(b) if so, whether there is a glut in the above industry; and

(c) if so, the reasons and the remedy therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY AND STEEL AND MINES (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI): (ε) A Statement indicating production of Motor Vehicle Industry i.e. Medium and Heavy Commercial Vehicles Light Commercial Vehicles and Passenger Cars for the period 1980, 1981 and 1982 upto August is laid on the Table of the House.

(b) There is hardly any glut in regard to motor Vehicles. Some of the makes are now more easily available.

(c) Does not arise.

Statement

(i) Medium and Heavy Commercial Vehicles :

	1980	1981	1982 (up to August)
(i) Telco.	31,768	45,054	29,032
(ii) Ashok Leyland	12,857	15,018	11,826
(iii) Simpson & Company	591	820	19
(iv) Hindustan Motors	2,571	2,872	634
(v) Premier Automobiles	794	2,097	1,302
	48,581	65,861	42,813