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[Translation]

Discretionary Quota for Allotting Petrol/ Dissel Pumps and LPG Agencies

179. SHRI HARSH VARDHAN: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any discretionary quota of the Minister for allotting LPG agencies and petrol/diesel retail outlets; and

(b) if so, the details of such allotments made during the last seven months?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURU-PADASWAMY): (a) LPG distributorships and petrol/diesel dealerships are also allotted on compassionate grounds.

(b) 24 petrol/diesel retail outlet dealerships and 25 LPG distributorships have been allotted during the period 1st January, 1990 to 31st July, 1990

Funds for Konkan Railway Project

180. SHRI HARSH VARDHAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether many foreign Governments and Rail companies have shown interest in Konkan Railway Project and have also offered to provide funds for this project; and

(b) if so the details in this regards?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI AJAY SINGH): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Recommendations of Ramdas Committes

181 SHRI HARSH VARDHAN: SHRIMATI CHENNUPATI VIDYA SHRI SANAT KUMAR MAN-DAL: SHRI KUSUMA KRISHNA MURTHY PROF YADUNATH PANDEY SHRI PARASRAM BHARD-WA.I SHBIG. M. BANATWALLA: SHRI S. KRISHNA KUMAR: SHRI MADAN LAL KHUR-ANA: PROF. K. V. THOMAS: PROF. RUPCHAND PAL: SHRI HANNAN MOLIAH: SHRIP. M. SAYEED: SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO: SHRI YAMUNA PRASAD SHASTRI: SHRI SUKHENDRA SINGH: SHRI GANGA CHARAN LODHI:

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state

(a) whether the Ramdas Committee which was appointed to look into the problems in regard to A-320 airbuses has submitted its report;

(b) if so, the salient features of the Report and recommendations/observations made therein; and

(c) the details of recommendations that have been accepted by Government and the reasons for not accepting the others?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY AND MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ARIF MOHAMMAD KHAN): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. copies of the report have been placed in the