

गई 60 एकड़ भूमि के सम्बन्ध में दिल्ली दुग्ध योजना द्वारा विचार किया जा रहा है।

(ग) जब दूसरी डेरी स्थापित हो जाएगी, तो दिल्ली दुग्ध योजना दिल्ली की अधिक जनता की सेवा करने से समर्थ हो सकेगी।

#### Labour-Intensive Projects

\*254. SHRI LOBO PRABHU : Will the Minister of LABOUR AND REHABILITATION be pleased to state :

(a) whether he proposes to advise the Planning Commission for having more labour-intensive projects in view of the increase in the registration at the end of 1968 and the decrease in placement from 3.25 lakhs to 3.19 lakhs ;

(b) whether in view of the increase in unemployment among educated persons from 10.87 lakhs to 13.00 lakhs during the same period, his Ministry has sought the help of the Ministry of External Affairs for employment opportunities in other countries ;

(c) whether in view of the decrease by 2.4 per cent in comparison to the decrease of 1.9 per cent during the previous year in the private sector, Government propose to engage the idle capacity in factories by tax concessions ; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR, EMPLOYMENT AND REHABILITATION (SHRI BHAGWAT JHA AZAD) : (a) Planning Commission have already laid stress on labour-intensive projects in the Fourth Plan which includes, roads minor irrigation, soil conservation, area development programmes, cooperation, irrigation, flood control, rural electrification, village and small scale industries housing and urban development. There will be a step-up of the outlays under labour intensive schemes in the Fourth Plan as compared to the average annual level of investments on such schemes in the three annual plans 1966-69 and the Third Five Year Plan 1961-66.

(b) The External Affairs Ministry are making efforts through our missions abroad to send out technical experts to friendly

developing countries to assist in their development programme.

(c) and (d). The industrial programmes and policies for the Fourth Plan (1969-74) have been conceived keeping in view the need to correct imbalances in the industrial structure and to bring about conditions within which the maximum utilisation of capacity already built up is achieved.

#### Land Under Cultivation

\*255. SHRI P. M. SAYEED : Will the Minister of FOOD AND AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the total acreage of land which is under cultivation for growing food in the country ;

(b) the acreage of land out of the above so far brought under cultivation under the high yield varieties and the land under multiple crops ; and

(c) whether any special efforts are being made to bring more land under high yielding varieties during the year 1969-70, if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD, AGRICULTURE, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND COOPERATION (SHRI ANNASAHIB SHINDE) : (a) The latest land utilisation data is available for the year 1967-68. During that year the total area under food-grain crops in the country was estimated at about 300 million acres.

(b) Out of the above area, the High-Yielding Varieties Programme covered an area of 14.92 million acres and the Multiple Cropping Programme covered an area of 9.25 million acres during 1967-68.

(c) Yes. During the year 1969-70, it is planned to cover a total area of 27 million acres under the High-Yielding Varieties Programme. The details are being finalized by the Central Teams in consultation with State Governments.

#### खाद्य क्षेत्रों का समाप्त किया जाना

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