

(b) if so, the break-up, State-wise, of the number of trainees recruited vocation-wise; and

(c) if reply to (a) is in the negative, the reasons advanced for the same?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE (SHRI D. P. YADAV): (a) to (c). The scheme is administered by the Planning Commission. The information obtained from the Planning Commission on (a), (b) and (c) is as follows:—

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The proposals received from the various State Govts. and Union Territories are being scrutinised by the Planning Commission and sanction in respect of some States and Union Territories have been issued. The remaining proposals are under scrutiny. It will take some time before the scheme records progress.

(c) Does not arise.

Construction of Houses for Working People in the Fifth Plan

*13 SHRI SARJOO PANDEY: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Fifth Plan proposals for construction of houses for the various categories of working people have been finalised;

(b) if so, the main features thereof; and

(c) the estimated cost involved?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI BHOLA PASWAN SHASTRI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Sen Committee Report on Salary Scales of University College Teachers

*14. PROF NARAIN CHAND PARASHAR: Will the Minister of EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Sen Committee Report on Salary Scales of University College Teachers has been examined by the University Grants Commission;

(b) if so, the decisions of the U.G.C. and Government on this report; and

(c) if not, the reasons for the delay in taking the decision and the likely date by which Government would announce this decision?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE (PROF S NURUL HASAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). The recommendations of the University Grants Commission on report of the Sen Committee in regard to the scales of pay of teachers in the universities and colleges, are being examined by the Government.

Import of Foodgrains during 1973

*15 SHRI K S. CHAYDA:

SHRI P A SWAMINATHAN:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) total quantity of foodgrains actually imported since January, 1973;

(b) the quantity of foodgrains to be imported to meet the country's demand for the current year;

(c) the countries from which wheat is to be imported; and

(d) estimated financial outlay in this regard during the period?