

**Direct Airlink between Delhi-Jabalpur**

\*342. SHRI MOHAN LAL JHIKRAM: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to introduce a direct to and from-air service between Delhi and Jabalpur; and

(b) If not the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) No, Sir.

(b): Indian Airlines is providing convenient connections at Bhopal, in both the directions, for passengers travelling between Delhi and Jabalpur on six days in a week. Indian Airlines cannot operate with B-737 to Jabalpur as the airport at Jabalpur is not suitable for Boeing operations.

[English]

**Reclassifications of Govt. Accommodation**

\*344. DR. B.L.SHAILESH: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) Whether as a sequel to the revision of pay scales of Central Government officers and staff as per recommendations of the Fourth Pay Commission and enhancement of the House Rent Allowance payable, Government have by now taken any decision to re-classify or re-categorise the various types of Government residences in the capital and elsewhere;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) If not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF

URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Revision of pay scales and reclassification or recategorisation of various types of Government residences are not inter-related matters, nor has the Pay Commission made any recommendation regarding reclassification or recategorisation of Government residences.

**Manufacture of Luxury Coaches**

\*345. SHRI. A. JAYAMOHAN: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) Whether Government propose to give special incentives to the transport industry to encourage manufacture of luxury coaches to attract foreign tourists; and

(b) If so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) and (b). In order to improve the quality of tourist vehicles in India, Government have agreed to allow import of airconditioners to be fitted into coaches for use of tourists.

**Sugarcane Production**

\*346. SHRI YASHWANTRAO GADAKH PATIL: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) The average productivity of sugarcane per hectare and recovery percentage in the country;

(b) Whether any research work has been done to increase the productivity and the recovery percentage comparable to other major sugarcane producing countries; and