

(c) and (d). The Government have not provided any financial assistance to States/ Union Territories for implementation of the vocationalisation programme during the Sixth Five Year Plan. As such, the question of diversion of funds meant for vocationalisation to other sectors does not arise.

Banned Contraceptive for use of Women of Third World

6932. DR. T. KALPANA DEVI : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Multi-national Drug Corporations are using women of Third World as guinea pigs by dumping the dangerous and banned contraceptive device known as 'Dalkon Shield'; and

(b) if so, the corrective steps taken/proposed ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) and (b) Drug Controller of India has not approved marketing of the contraceptive device 'Dalkon Shield'. It is, therefore, not available for commercial use in the country.

Steps to Curb spread of Alcoholism

6933. DR. T. KALPANA DEVI : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state whether Government propose to take steps on war footing to curb widely spreading alcoholism in the country as have been taken in other countries like USSR etc. ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : Necessary information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the Sabha.

[Translation]

Expansion of Faizabad Junction

6934. SHRI NIRMAL KHATRI : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are aware that Lucknow Division of Northern Railway has prepared a scheme for the expansion of Faizabad junction station;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the amount involved therein; and

(c) the time by which this programme is likely to be implemented ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) A work for provision of block rake handling facilities at Faizabad Station costing Rs. 60.32 lakhs has been included in Budget 1985-86. The scope of the work includes provision of Block rake handling, siding, levelling of surface for unloading of the goods and approach road.

(c) Completion of the work will depend upon the availability of funds in the succeeding years.

N. T. P. C. Units in U. P.

6935. SHRI NIRMAL KHATRI : Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state :

(a) the names of places where National Thermal Power Corporation have set up their units in Uttar Pradesh so far;

(b) the generating capacity and the power actually being generated by each of them; and

(c) the quantum of power being supplied to Uttar Pradesh by the National Thermal Power Corporation from its units which are located in Uttar Pradesh ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER (SHRI ARUN NEHRU) : (a) Singrauli Super Thermal Power Station (2000 MW) and Rihand STPS Stage-I (1000 MW) are being set up by National Thermal Power Corporation in Uttar Pradesh.

(b) Five units of 200 MW each at the Singrauli STPS have been commissioned so far. The total energy sent out in 1984-85 was about 46005 lakh units.

(c) According to NTPC, during 1984-85 Uttar Pradesh consumed about 36180 lakh units of electricity.

Daily Running of Kisan Express Stopping it at Rudauli Station

6936. SHRI NIRMAL KHATRI : Will