

Central Projects under Implementation

4981. SHRI KAILASH MEGHWAL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) The Central projects which are at present under implementation and whether there is any proposal to review and recast them; if so, the details thereof;

(b) the amount involved in each of these projects;

(c) whether there is any system of monitoring and to check their implementation; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRIMATI MANEKA GANDHI): (a) and (b). The central projects costing more than Rs. 20 crore each are on the monitoring system of the Ministry of Programme Implementation. The list of such central sector projects presently under implementation alongwith their estimated cost is given in the Annual Report of the Ministry, circulated in the Parliament during the Budget Session. Generally all the projects are reviewed from time to time, and necessary changes made in scope and parameters to optimise their implementation.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) As indicated above, the Ministry of Programme Implementation monitors the implementation of all on-going central sector projects costing more than Rs. 20 crore each. Monitoring of projects costing more than Rs. 100 crore each is done on monthly basis and of projects costing between Rs. 20 crore to 100 crore each is done on quarterly

basis, through the monthly Flash Report (FR) and the Quarterly project Implementation Status Report (QPISR) systems respectively. The problem areas are highlighted for appropriate and timely action by the concerned authorities. The Ministry also acts to resolve the problems of inter-ministerial nature faced by the projects to expedite their implementation.

{ Translation }

Amount Allocated to Bihar Under Plan Expenditure

4982. SHRI RAMESHWAR PRASAD: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the total amount allocated to State Government of Bihar under the plan expenditure during the current financial year;

(b) whether the said amount has been allocated on the basis of population; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE PRIME MINISTER (SHRI VISHWANATH PRATAP SINGH): (a) Plan outlay of Rs. 1805 crores has been agreed for the annual plan 1990-91 of Bihar

(b) No, Sir.

(c) the size of the Plan outlay of a State is determined on the basis of available financial resources, which include (a) State's own resources and (b) Central Assistance. Central Assistance is allocated to the States on the basis of the modified Gadgil Formula, as approved by the National Development Council in August, 1980. For the purpose of allocation of Central Assistance the States are divided into two categories viz. Special Category States and Non-Special Category States. The Central Assistance for Special Category States is pre-empted from the total

divisible pool and the remaining amount is allocated among the Non-Special Category State like, Bihar on the basis of various

principles embodied in the modified Gadgil Formula as will be seen from below:

<i>Item</i>	<i>Weightage</i>
1. Population	60%
2. Per Capita tax effort	10%
3. For States having per capita income below national average	20%
4. Special problems	10%
	100%

Adult Education Centres in Rajasthan

4983. SHRI BEGA RAM CHAUHAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of villages in Rajasthan where adult education centres were opened during the last three years; and

(b) the number of teachers appointed in adult education centres in each village?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. M. G. K. MENON): (a) and (b). According to the information furnished by Government of Rajasthan the number of villages in the State where adult education programme was implemented and the number of instructors appointed in these villages during the last three years were as under:

<i>Year</i>	<i>Number of villages</i>	<i>Number of instructors appointed</i>
1987-88	4845	14537
1988-89	5805	19344
1989-90	6670	20016

[English]

Cost Escalation of Public Sector Projects

4984. SHRI KAMAL NATH: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) The details of the projects in public sector which were under construction during the Seventh five Year Plan and which could not be completed within the prescribed time limit;

(b) the reasons for the delay in comple-