

In addition 8 projects for augmentation of PPCs PGF Centres are also under implementation. Locations for establishment of additional TV transmitters to be set up during the remaining period of VIII Plan i.e. 1993-97 have not been finalised.

(b) On commissioning of the TV Transmitter projects about 90-95% population of the country (inclusive of population in fringe areas) is expected to be brought under TV coverage.

(c) INSAT IB is no longer in operation.

People of Indian Origin In Myanmar

6759 SHRI RAM PRASAD SINGH Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state

(a) whether the Government have taken up with Myanmar the issue of grant of citizenship to the stateless persons of Indian origin in that country and

(b) if so the response of that country thereto?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI DINESH SINGH) (a) Yes Sir The matter has been taken up with the Government of Myanmar on several occasions.

(b) We have been assured by the concerned Myanmar authorities that the issue will be resolved in due course.

Air Crashes, Bombay

6760 SHRI SUDARSHAN RAYCHAUDHURI Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state

(a) the number of accidents of Air—India taken place in Bombay during each of the last three years

(b) the details of casualties and extent of

damage to aircraft and property in each case

(c) whether compensation has been paid to the victims and

(d) if so the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD) (a) There has been no accident to Air India aircraft in Bombay during the last three years.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

Film on Veer Sawarkar

6761 DR. K. D. JILSWANTI Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state

(a) whether the Dooradarshan Propose to telecast documentary film on the life of Veer Sawarkar and

(b) if so the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI P. SINGH DEO) (a) Presently there is no proposal to telecast a documentary film on the life of Veer Sawarkar.

(b) Does not arise.

Selection of TV Serials

6762 SHRI MADAN LAL KHURANA
SHRI PRABHU LAL RAWAT
SHRI CHITTA BASU
SHRI LALITORAON

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state

(a) the details of the A plus category proposals approved by the Dooradarshan

(b) whether the CBI has since submitted its