

Thadou Kuki as medium of instruction at primary stage for the school children belonging to respective linguistic groups. The State Government has not made any distinction between different dialects of Manipuri language. In matters of medium of instruction and teaching of language subjects in schools, the State Governments enjoy full autonomy and the Government of India does not issue any directive to the State Governments in such matters.

### **Mysore and Hubli Workshop**

356. SHRIMATI CHANDRA PRABHA URS: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Mysore Workshop has been converted into broadgauge workshop;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the time by which the workshop is likely to be converted into broadgauge workshop?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C.K. JAFFER SHARIEF): (a) The work of conversion of the Mysore Workshop into broadgauge is in progress.

(b) Conversion of the Mysore Workshop into broadgauge was approved in the Railway Budget 1993-94 at an anticipated cost of Rs. 11.50 crores. An outlay of Rs. 2.48 crores has been provided for the same in Railway Budget 1994-95.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) The conversion of the workshop into broadgauge is likely to be completed by March, 1996.

### **Egg Production**

357. SHRI SOBHANADREE-SWARA RAO VADDE: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the estimated production of eggs during 1993-94, State-wise;

(b) the targets fixed in regard to production of eggs for the current year and per-capita availability of eggs at present; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to increase the production of eggs?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ARVIND NETAM): (a) and (b): The anticipated production of eggs during 1993-94 and the targets for production of eggs during 1994-95 statewise is given in the attached *Statement*. The anticipated per capita availability of eggs in the country during 1993-94 is around 27.

(c) The following major steps are envisaged to increase the egg production:

- (i) Increasing the availability or quality clicks to poultry farmers.
- (ii) For the overall development of poultry, establishment of an apex body at the national level.
- (iii) Organisation of poultry units on cooperative basis will be encouraged to benefit small farmers.

(iv) Training facilities will be strengthened so that appropriate technology and knowledge is disseminated to workers and farmers on a wide front.

products will be fully exploited by providing the required incentives and logistic support.

(v) The potential of export of poultry

(vi) Market intervention operations will be expanded.

### STATEMENT

#### *Egg Production - Statewise*

(lakh Nos.)

Sl. No.	State/Union Territories	1993-1994 (Anticipated Achievement)	1994-95 (Target)
<b>States</b>			
1.	Andhra Pradesh	41000	43000
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	320	325
3.	Assam	5790	6090
4.	Bihar	14500	15000
5.	Goa	920	940
6.	Gujarat	4750	5000
7.	Haryana	5278	5460
8.	Himachal Pradesh	620	700
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	3170	3200
10.	Karnataka	14450	16510
11.	Kerala	18450	19500
12.	Madhya Pradesh	10900	11200
13.	Maharashtra	24400	25700
14.	Manipur	940	1080
15.	Meghalaya	720*	740
16.	Mizoram	25	28
17.	Nagaland	430	480
18.	Orissa	5300	5600
19.	Punjab	23000	24000

Sl. No.	State/Union Territories	1993-1994 (Anticipated Achievement)	1994-95 (Target)
20.	Rajasthan	3400	3500
21.	Sikkim	135	145
22.	Tamil Nadu	29200	30660
23.	Tripura	400	420
24.	Uttar Pradesh	9000	13090
25.	West Bengal	25500	27000
	<b>Total</b>	<b>242598</b>	<b>259368</b>
<b>Union Territories</b>			
26.	A & N Islands	510	570
27.	Chandigarh	370	370
28.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	70	75
29.	Daman & Diu	30	35
30.	Delhi	650	700
31.	Lakshadweep	45	50
32.	Pondicherry	130	135
	<b>Total U.Ts.</b>	<b>1805</b>	<b>1935</b>
	<b>Grant Total</b>	<b>244403</b>	<b>261303</b>

### Pass Percentage in Kendriya Vidyalaya

358. DR. SUDHIR RAY: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the pass percentage of students of Kendriya Vidyalayas at CBSE examinations held in 1994 has been poorer than that of 1993 and also in comparison with the students of non-Kendriya Vidyalayas;

(b) if so, the details thereof, region-wise;

(c) whether any remedial steps have been taken in this regard;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA): (a) and (b). A preliminary analysis indicated by Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), in respect of schools located in