

*[Translation]***Construction of Railway Stations**

6942. SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV:
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CHOUHDHARY:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS
be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received any request from the people for constructing Railway Stations under the South-Eastern Railway;

(b) if so, the time by which construction work is likely to be started in this regard; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C.K. JAFFER SHARIEF): (a) to (c). Yes, Sir. During 1993-94, 26 proposals have been received. Out of these, seven passenger halts have been sanctioned, two of which have since been commissioned, construction work of two others has been taken up and the work in respect of the remaining three will be taken up after the completion of necessary formalities.

No decision has been taken as yet in respect of other 19 proposals.

*[English]***Development of Catchment Areas**

6943. SHRI SOBHANADDRESS WARA RAO VADDE: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received any proposals regarding develop-

ment of catchment areas of Tunga-bhadra, Nizamsagar and Nagarjuna Sagar under the Centrally Sponsored Soil Conservation Project from Government of Andhra Pradesh for approval and seeking financial assistance;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government thereon ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ARVIND NETAM): (a) to (c). The Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Soil Conservation in the Catchment of River Valley project is being implemented by covering the catchments of Machkund-Sileru, Nagarjunasagar, Nizamsagar and Pochampad in Andhra Pradesh. In the Tunga-bhadra catchment, only the Karnataka State areas are being covered. Proposals for 94-95, under this scheme are still awaited. During 93-94 an amount of Rs. 300 lakhs had been released for treating 8213 ha. area.

*[Translation]***Gur and Khandsari Control Order**

6944. SHRI ANAND RATNA MAURYA: Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) the States which have refused to accept the Gur and Khandsari Control Order;

(b) the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) whether this order has badly affected the production of sugarcane;

(d) whether the Union Government