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Bihar	69.26	
Gujarat	40.72	—	...	
Haryana	
Himachal Pradesh	7.00	
Jammu & Kashmir	
Karnataka	3.45	15.15	...	
Kerala	2.86	18.65	...	
Madhya Pradesh	137.44	...	...
Maharashtra	33.20	24.19	...	
Manipur	8.65	...	...
Meghalaya	...	...	...
Nagaland	...	...	...
Orissa	66.32	...	...
Punjab	...	...	...
Rajasthan	32.99	...	...
Sikkim	1.22	...	...
Tamil Nadu	5.36	13.65	21.81	
Tripura	8.09	...	...
Uttar Pradesh	1.01	...	350.00	
West Bengal	21.73	...	29.85	
Total	482.82	71.64	473.24	381.15

[Translation]

Expenditure incurred on Prime Minister's Foreign Visit

2584. SHRI KALI PRASAD PANDEY : Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state the expenditure incurred by Government on the Prime Minister's visit to five countries from 14th to 28th October, 1985 on air tickets, transport, boarding, reception, literature etc. ?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI B.R. BHAGAT) : The information is being collected from our Missions abroad and will be laid on the

Table of the House as soon as the same is available.

[English]

Production of heart valves by Sri Chitra Medical Centre, Kerala

2585. DR. K. G. ADIYODI : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Sri Chitra Medical Centre, Kerala, have undertaken production of heart valves and instruments for transfusion of fluids including blood on commercial basis; and

(b) if, so, when are these products expected to be released for public (Institutions and Doctors) use ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI SHIVRAJ V. PATIL) : (a) and (b). Sri Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Science and Technology (Kerala), as part of its R&D activity, developed the technology for producing disposable blood storage and transfusion device (blood bags) and also implantable heart valves made of specific materials. The technology developed for blood bags was transferred to a joint sector company in Trivandrum for pilot production subsequent to clinical trials. The commercial production is expected to begin in 1986.

A limited trial production of 1000 heart valves is likely to take place in early 1986. Controlled clinical trials are expected to be conducted in 1986. The commercial production of heart valves may start in 1987 after the clinical trials are successfully completed.

Voluntary Organisations Recognised by Government for Plan Implementation

2586. SHRI HUSSAIN DALWAI : Will the MINISTER OF PLANNING be pleased to state :

(a) which are the voluntary organisations recognised by Government for the purpose of implementation of Plan schemes of Government;

(b) what is the proposal in the Seventh Five Year Plan for utilizing the services of these voluntary organisations; and

(c) which are the areas of operation earmarked for seeking the assistance of such voluntary organisations ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI A.K. PANJA) : (a) Some of the Ministries/Departments are channelising a part of the funds relating to Plan Schemes through

Voluntary Organisations. No Central list of such Organisations has been maintained.

(b) and (c). In the Seventh Five Year Plan a significant role has been envisaged for the voluntary agencies in the implementation of rural development, minimum needs, and poverty alleviation programmes. It is proposed that about Rs. 100-150 crores of Plan expenditure in the Central and State sectors would be earmarked for use in active collaboration with voluntary agencies.

Withdrawing of Diplomatic Relation by Morocco

2587. PROF. NIRMALA KUMARI SHAKTAWAT : Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Morocco has severed diplomatic links with India;

(b) whether India took Morocco into confidence before giving recognition to Sahwari Arab Democratic Republic; and

(c) whether there is any move or steps taken to improve relations with Morocco including restoration of diplomatic link ?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI B.R. BHAGAT) : (a) and (b). Yes, Sir.

(c) Government have always endeavoured to strengthen the ties of friendship and understanding between Morocco and India and accordingly we have regretted the fact that Morocco chose to break off diplomatic relations with India.

12.00 hrs.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

[English]

Seventh Five Year Plan, 1985-90
Volumes I and II

THE PRIME MINISTER (SHRI RAJIV GANDHI) : I beg to lay on the Table a copy of 'Seventh Five Year Plan 1985-90'