

lonies. This body is at present looking into the entire question of regularisation of unauthorised colonies.

Vocational Oriented subjects taken by Graduates in the Country

4387. SHRI B. RACHAIAH: Will the Minister of EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of graduates produced year-wise in 1975, 1976 and 1977; and

(b) how many of them took up vocational oriented subjects?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE (DR. PRATAP CHANDRA CHUNDER): (a) and (b). According to the information furnished by the University Grants Commission, the compilation of data relating to the number of graduates produced each year takes about two years or more to complete. This information for the years 1975 onwards is not therefore available at present. The total number of graduates produced during the years 1972, 1973 and 1974 were 4,82,813.5, 30,804, and 6,06,117 respectively. Out of these, the number of those who have graduated in various professional fields like Agriculture, Engineering, Law, Medicine, Teachers' Training etc. during those years are 1,07,310, 108,178 and 1,19,619 respectively.

Unauthorised Colonies touching the Border of Delhi and Haryana on Mathura Road

4388. SHRI M. V. CHANDRASHEKHARA MURTHY: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of unauthorised colonies touching the border of Delhi and Haryana on Mathura Road;

(b) Government's proposals, if any, to regularise them; and

(c) whether, Government propose to acquire them?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION (SHRI SIKANDAR BAKHT): (a) to (c). Information is being collected and will be placed on the Table of the House.

Pilferage of Foodgrains in Depots

4389. SHRI A. R. BADRI NARAYAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

(a) the security measures taken by his Ministry against pilferage of the foodgrains in the depots; and

(b) the thefts that occurred in the depots, giving value year-wise during last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION (SHRI BHANU PRATAP SINGH): (a) Food Corporation of India have reported that regular watch and ward staff of the Food Corporation of India is deployed for protection of foodgrains against theft and pilferage in FCI depots. The Central Industrial Security Force has been inducted in the Eastern Zone at Mokameh, Gaya, Phulwarisharif, Dighaghat, New Jalpaiguri and also at Ujjain (Madhya Pradesh) in the Western Zone. At other vulnerable places where C.I.S.F. has not been inducted, armed police guards, particularly for CAP Storage and abandoned Air Fields are deployed.

(b) The number of thefts in the Depots year-wise and value thereof for the last three years is as under:—

Year	Number of thefts	Value (Amount in Rupees)
1974-75	109	4,00,623.30
1975-76	127	2,95,199.04
1976-77	91	2,23,488.21