

**Production of Paddy at Government Agricultural Farm**

2563. SHRI RAJ KRISHNA DAWN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is producing paddy in their agriculture farms;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

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Year (July-June)	Area sown (Hec.)	Production (qtl.)	Average yield per hec. (qtl.)
1976 . . .	3280	118662	36.19
*1977 . . .	3407	123500	36.25

\*Provisional.

(c) The farms of the State Farms Corporation of India produce paddy primarily for seed purposes, the cost of which comes to Rs. 79.38 per quintal.

(d) The procurement price of coarse varieties of paddy for 1977-78 marketing season is Rs. 77.00 per quintal.

**Residual problem of Refugees from former East Pakistan**

2564. SHRI SAMAR GUHA: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have made any assessment regarding the remaining problem of rehabilitation of refugees from former East Pakistan;

(b) if so, facts thereabout;

(c) whether Government have received any complaints/report/memorandum/request from the Government of West Bengal, Tripura and other

(c) cost per quintal of paddy; and

(d) what is the Government paddy procuring rates per quintal from farmers?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION (SHRI SURJIT SINGH BARNALA): (a) Yes, Sir. The States Farms Corporation of India produces paddy at various farms.

States facing with the problems of rehabilitation of former East Pakistan refugees;

(d) if so, facts thereabout;

(e) whether Government have or will have consultation with the concerned State Governments regarding rehabilitation of East Pakistan refugees; and

(f) if so, facts thereabout?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION (SHRI RAM KINKAR): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. At present, the total number of families awaiting resettlement is 9,749. According to the plans formulated, all these families are proposed to be resettled by 1982-83.

(c) and (d). The Central Government has received communications only from the Governments of West Bengal and Tripura regarding the residuary problems of rehabilitation of migrants from former East Pakistan. Information about the contents of the West Bengal Government's communication have already been laid