

availability of requisite financial resources within the overall priorities.

निम्नर, सुरत में टेलीफोन एक्सचेंज का स्थापित किया जाना

4079. श्री छोटू भाई गामित : क्या संचार मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सुरत टेलीफोन डिब्बीजन में निम्नर में टेलीफोन एक्सचेंज स्थापित करने के लिए कोई मांग की गई है और क्या सरकार ने इसे मंजूरी दे दी है और यदि हा, तो कब ;

(ख) कितने टेलीफोन कनेक्शनों की मंजूरी दी गई और टेलीफोन एक्सचेंज का कार्य कब शुरू हो जाएगा इसका यह शुरू हो गया है ; और

(ग) निम्नर के लोगों को टेलीफोन सेवा का लाभ कब से मिलने लगेगा ?

संचार मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री नरहरि प्रसाद मुखर्जी साह) : (क) से (ग). सुरत जिले के निम्नर में तारीख 7-1-78 को 25 लाइनों का एक छोटा प्राटोमेटिक एक्सचेंज चालू कर दिया गया है जिसमें 15 कनेक्शन काम कर रहे हैं ।

**Enquiry into the state of Affairs of Aluminium Corporation of India Ltd. Asansol**

4080. SHRI ROBIN SEN: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Ministry of Labour instituted an Enquiry into the state of affairs of Aluminium Corporation of India Ltd., Asansol, Jaykay Nagar, few years back; and

(b) if so, the broad out lines of the Enquiry report?

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI KARIA MUNDA):** (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

**Aid to Third World Countries**

4081. SHRI VIJAY KUMAR MALHOTRA: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) in which and how many aid giving countries has the name of India been used in propaganda/advertisements etc., used by foreign governments to enhance awareness of the need to increase aid to 3rd World countries in a similar way as was done in certain West German magazines as brought out in reply to Starred Question No. 42 on the 23rd February, 1978 in Lok Sabha;

(b) will the Minister lay on the Table of the House copies (xeroxed or photostat copies) of advertisements inserted in West German magazines by the F.R.G. to promote the cause of aid to third World countries which have been brought to Government's notice as per reply to above mentioned Starred Question; and

(c) will the Minister lay on the table copies of other similar advertisements use by other aid giving countries to achieve similar objectives and which have come to the notice of the Indian embassies abroad?

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI S. KUNDU):** (a) According to information received from concerned Indian missions abroad it appears that no other aid giving foreign Government has issued propaganda material or inserted any advertisements in any newspaper with a view to enhancing awareness of the need to increase aid to developing countries, including India, in the way it was done in some journals in the Federal Republic of Germany.

(b) According to information available with Government, a number of advertisements were placed by the Ministry of Economic Cooperation of the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany in journals like