

T.V Programme relating to Parliamentary and Legislative Work

3432 SHRI R MOHANARANGAM Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state.

(a) the steps taken by the Madras Station of the TV to educate the people on the Parliamentary and Legislative work,

(b) whether the Bureau for Parliamentary Work, Madras, has written to them about it in 1978, and

(c) the steps taken on the representation?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI L K ADVANI) (a) Madras Door darshan Kendra is putting out a Weekly Review of the proceedings in Parliament The proceedings of the Tamil Nadu Legislature are also suitably covered in the News Bulletins

(b) and (c) One Shri R K Bala subramaniam who claims to be the Chief Executive of the Bureau of Parliamentary Work wrote to the Director, Doordarshan Kendra, Madras, suggesting a programme for educating the legislators in regard to their parliamentary duties and responsibilities It is not considered necessary or feasible to introduce a feature on the television to educate legislators on their duties and responsibilities

Study undertaken by Polish Team re: Underutilisation of Coal Mines

3433 SHRI P S RAMALINGAM
SHRI K A RAJAN

Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state

(a) whether the study of the Polish team has discovered gross underutilisation of the capacity of coal mines, and

(b) the salient features of the study and the action taken or proposed to be taken to remedy the situation?

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THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI P RAMACHANDRAN): (a) and (b) The Central Mine Planning and Design Institute Ltd with Polish Collaboration has submitted a feasibility report covering a master plan for the reorganisation of mines in the Jharia coalfield of B C C L This report in six volumes, was received in July 1978 It recommends the division of Jharia coalfield into different mining blocks and combines both underground and opencast mining methods It further recommends implementation of mechanised opencast mining method in the reserves lying at shallow depths This report is intended to serve as a guide for detailed mine-planning and designing for their construction of the individual mines The report is under study

It is not possible to state at this stage whether there is any under-utilisation of capacity of coal mines

अध्य प्रदेश में व्यापार केन्द्रों की स्थापना

3434 डा० लक्ष्मीनारायण पाण्डेय
जी कचरवल्ल हेमराज जी :

क्या उद्योग मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि

(क) क्या देश में (मन्त्रालय के अधीन) व्यापार केन्द्र स्थापित करने के निर्णय को भारत सरकार द्वारा क्रियान्वित किया जा रहा है,

(ख) क्या मध्य प्रदेश सरकार ने उस राज्य में ऐसे केन्द्र स्थापित करने का प्रयत्न किया है, और

(ग) यदि हा तो इस पर सरकार ने क्या कार्यवाही की है कितने केन्द्र स्थापित किये जायेंगे तथा तत्सम्बन्धी अन्य व्यौरा क्या है ?

उद्योग मन्त्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमति ज्ञाना मयति) (क) जी, हाँ ।

(ख) जी, हाँ ।

(ग) भोपाल के साथ साथ अन्य स्थानों पर एक-एक व्यापार केन्द्र की स्थापना करने के स्थापित पर विचार किया गया था तथा वित्तीय वर्ष 1978-79 के दौरान निम्नलिखित पाँच स्थानों पर व्यापार केन्द्र स्थापित करने का निर्णय किया गया है —

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