

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM, CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI H. N. BAHUGUNA): (a) No Company by the name of M/s. Allenbury had merged with M/s. Glaxo.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Does not arise.

Vigilance Case against the Director General, Geological Survey of India

3160. SHRI HALIMUDDIN AHMED: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there was vigilance case against the Director General, G.S.I.;

(b) if so, the details thereof and whether Government propose to change the Director General of Geological Survey of India; and

(c) if not, the reasons in detail thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI KARIA MUNDA): (a) No, Sir. The case was against some subordinate officers.

(b) There is no proposal to change the Director General.

(c) In view of the answer to clause (a); this does not arise.

Starting of a T.V. Station in Bihar State

3161. SHRI HALIMUDDIN AHMED: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to start a T.V. Centre in Bihar State;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons in detail?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI L. K. ADVANI): (a) to (c). A TV transmitting centre is already functioning at

Muzaffarpur in Bihar. The programmes for this centre are produced at the Base Production Centre in Delhi. During the Sixth Plan, it is proposed to set up a programme production centre at Muzaffarpur itself. Besides, the TV relay centres proposed to be set up at Varanasi and Asansol during the Sixth Plan are also expected to cover certain parts of Bihar. However, due to the constraint on resources, there is no proposal for the present to set up another TV station in the State.

Nagarjuna Fertilizer Factory

3162. SHRI P. RAJAGOPAL NAIDU: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM, CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Nagarjuna fertilizer is going ahead as per schedule;

(b) whether the estimated cost of the fertilizer has gone up; and

(c) if so, by how much?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM, CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI H. N. BAHUGUNA): (a) Work on the Nagarjuna Fertilizer project is in progress. There has, however, been some slippage in the project schedule due to a delay in placing orders for long delivery critical equipment pending finalisation of long-term financing arrangements.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The project is now estimated to cost Rs. 232 crores as against Rs. 189.60 crores estimated at the time of the initial approvals.

Planes purchased this Year

3163. SHRI P. RAJAGOPAL NAIDU: Will the DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has purchased any plane this year; and