

information on 63 further cases is awaited from the Pakistan authorities.

(c) These cases may be broadly classified as follows.

- (i) Detention of passports.
- (ii) Refusal of extension of visas.
- (iii) Non-renewal of visas.
- (iv) Arrest on suspicion of smuggling
- (v) Assault by local police and others.
- (vi) Harassment at the time of Customs inspection

(d) In each case the Pakistani authorities have been asked to take necessary steps to remove the hardship

#### **Industrial Estate at Agra**

22 **Shri D. C. Sharma:** Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No 3382 on the 22nd April, 1959 and state the further progress made in the construction work of Industrial Estate in Agra?

**The Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri):** A statement is laid on the Table [See Appendix I, annexure No. 6]

#### **Industrial Estate at Batala**

23 **Shri D. C. Sharma:** Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No 1512 on the 6th March, 1959 and state the up-to-date progress made in constructing buildings for the Industrial Estate at Batala in district Gurdaspur?

**The Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri):** Steps are being taken by the State Government for acquisition of the land under the emergency provision of the Land Acquisition Act. The land will be taken possession of during this month. The State Public Works De-

partment are preparing the site plan, layout plan and estimates for the construction of workshops in the Industrial Estate at Batala. The construction is expected to be completed by the end of the current financial year

#### **Tungsten Carbide**

24. **Shri D. C. Sharma:** Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 1519 on the 6th March, 1959, and state the progress made so far in regard to the manufacture of tungsten carbide by private entrepreneur?

**The Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri):** A number of schemes for the manufacture of Tungsten Carbide have been received and are under consideration of the Government

#### **Central Assistance to Punjab**

25. **Shri D. C. Sharma:** Will the Minister of Planning be pleased to state

(a) the Central assistance given to the Punjab State for the fourth year of the Second Five Year Plan;

(b) whether there was any shortfall in the plan expenditure of the State Government during the year 1958-59; and

(c) if so, to what extent?

**The Deputy Minister of Planning (Shri S. N. Mishra):** (a) For the State Plan for 1959-60 Rs. 19 crores have been allotted

(b) The figures of actual expenditure in 1958-59 are awaited

(c) Does not arise

#### **Textile Fabrics**

26 **Shrimati Ila Palchoudhuri:** Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) whether the attention of Government has been drawn to a news