THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI A. P. SHARMA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Hitherto the Credit Guarantee Scheme for Small scale industries covered only such industrial undertakings in which the investment in plant and machinery was not in excess of Rs. 7.5 lakhs in line with the general definition of "small scale industries". The general definition of "small scale industries" and "ancillary industries" was revised in May, 1975. by raising the ceiling on investment in plant and machinery to Rs. 10 lakhs and Rs. 15 lakhs in the case of "small scale industries" and "ancillary industries" respectively. The facility of Credit Guarantee Scheme was, however extended in August 1975 to all undertakings having investment in plant and machinery not exceeding Rs 10 lakhs irrespective of the fact whether the unit is 'small scale industry' or 'ancillary industry'. On the facility of further consideration Credit Guarantee Scheme has been extended to cover 'ancillary units' with investment in plant and machinery beyond Re. 10 lakhs but not exceeding Rs. 15 lakhs in line with the general definition of 'ancillary industries'!

केन्द्रीय सरकार की सेवाओं में 'पुर्वितपुरत' भारतीय प्रकारतिक तेवा के सेवा निवृत्त प्रविकारी

3322. जी जूस कवा शाना: नया प्रचान संत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) वर्ष 1975 से केन्द्रीय सरकार की सेवाओं में बारतीय प्रजासनिक सेवा के कितने सेवा निवृत्त प्रधिकारी पुर्वनियुक्त किने नवे और वे किन-वित्त पर्दों पर पूर्वनियुक्त किने नवे ; भीर

(ख) उन्हें उनके बेतन के रूप में किसनी धनशांकि घटा की नहें तथा वे कितने समय से किनियुक्त हैं और उन्हें रखने की क्या धावश्यकता है ?

पृह मंत्रालय में कार्रियक और प्रवासिक सुवार विभाग तथा संस्वीय कार्य विभाग में राज्य संत्री (भी जीम मेहता): (क) और (क): मूचना एकत्रित की चा रही है और इसे समा पटल पर रख दिया आएगा।

Orissa's Irrigation Plan

8323. SHRI RAM BHAGAT PAS-WAN: Will the Minister of PLANN-ING be pleased to state;

- (a) whether Government have accorded approval to Orissa's irrigation plan; and
 - (b) if so, the main features thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI SANKAR GHOSE): (a) and (b): The Annual Plan 1976-77 of Orissa has been approved by the Planning Commission at Rs. 124.67 crores. This outlay includes Rs. 25.90 crores for Irrigation, the details of which are indicated below:

A. Major and Medium Irrgation Projects

(a) Continuing Sci I. Major Schemes										(Rs-	ctotes)
r. Mahanadi de	lta					•				5100	
2. Salamili .				٠			•	•		0.21	
3. Anantpur		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	0.52	5.76
II. Medium Schemes (18 No			s.)	•	•		•	•		7-82	7·8a
Total:									13-58		

								(Rs. crores)		
(b) New Schemes I. Major Schemes I. Rengali Multipurpose Sche	me							1.90		
2. Upper Koleb						•		1.00	2.90	
II. Medium Schemes			•			•		2.46	2.46	
				To	5.36					
(c) Survey & Investigation		•		•				0.40		
(d) Flood restoration works .								0.26		
				Total (a), (b), (c) &				(d):	19.90	
B. Miner Irrigation	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		45.00 6.00	
Potential likely to be created during					(000 F	lectares)				
Major and Medium Irrigation		•	•						40.00	
Minor Irrigation									83.00	

Television Centre in Kerala

3324. SHRIMATI BHARGAVI THA-NKAPPAN: Will the Minister of IN-FORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Kerala State Government have made a representation for setting up of a television centre in Kerala; and
- (b) if so, Government's decision thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI VIDYA CHARAN SHUKLA):
(a) Yes, Sir. In September 1975, the State Government had suggested extension of SITE programmes to Kersland also the setting up of a studio and 3 Transmitting Stations during the Fifth Plan in the vicinity of Trivandrum, Cochin and Calicut.

(b) The feasibility of extending the SHTE programmes to Kerala was examined. It was, however, found that it would not be possible to do so for technical reasons such as the strength of the signal, limited capacity of programme production facilities in edditional languages and other aspects of

the Instructional TV Experiment. As regards the second part of the State Government's suggestion, it was not found possible to set up any TV Centre during Fifth Plan in Kerala State due to constraints in resources.

Television Centres in Maharashtra

3325. SHRI ANNASAHEB GOTKHI-NDE. Will the Minister of INFORMA-TION AND BROADCASTING he pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is a proposal for setting up additional television centres in Maharashtra:
- (b) if so, the particulars thereof; and
- (c) the time by which they are likely to start functioning?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI VIDYA CHARAN SHUKLA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Does not arise.