

proposal to start new 'Axle and Wheel' factory;

(b) whether representations from Vidarbha Industries Association Nagpur have been received to select some suitable site from Vidarbha; and

(c) if so, whether the Government propose to open this factory in Vidarbha?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-LIKARJUN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

Sheds at Kalaikunda Station

2127. SHRISATYAGOPAL MISRA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is no shed on the Kalaikunda railway station (South Eastern Railway) where unloading of cement takes place;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the steps taken or propose to be taken to provide shed on the said station?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-LIKARJUN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) As the Goods siding at Kalaikunda is used for handling Block Rakes from which unloading is directly done into the consignee's transport, provision of covered shed is not considered necessary.

(c) Does not arise.

Cancellation of Fast Moving Train from Rangia to Murkong

2128. SHRI BOLIN KULI:
SHRI PROBIN DEKA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the only fast moving train from Rangia to Murkong Selek (Assam) has been cancelled;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) the time by which the train is likely to be restored; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-LIKARJUN): (a) to (d) 5713/5714 Guwahati-Rangia-Murkongselek Arunachal Express has been cancelled due to difficult law and order situation in Assam and will be restored on getting security clearance from the State Government of Assam.

[Translation]

Students Sent Abroad for Study

2129. SHRI GULAM MOHAMMAD KHAN: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the criteria laid down by the Government for sending students abroad for study;

(b) whether the selection of students for the purpose is done by the Government or by the private institution; and

(c) the number of students sent abroad for studies during the last three years, country-wise?