

(c) the expenditure incurred on each one of these projects and the amount (in rupees) of average annual benefit therefrom; and

(d) the expenditure incurred on the 'drainage' component of each one of the above projects ?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) :

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The expenditure incurred till 1984-85 on Kosi Project is Rs. 131.56 crores., Gandak Project Rs. 373.48 crores, Tawa Project Rs. 102.08 crores and Mahandi Project Rs. 70.53 crores. In the absence of such evaluation, no information with regard to benefits is available.

(d) The expenditure incurred on drainage component of Gandak (Bihar) Project is Rs. 34.51 crores and Kosi (Bihar) Project is Rs. 20.78 crores upto March, 1986. Expenditure figures on the drainage component of Tawa (Madhya Pradesh) and Mahanadi (Orissa) Projects are not available separately.

STATEMENT CORRECTING REPLY TO PART (B) OF THE USQ NO. 1098 DATED 24-7-86 RE : MEETING OF CHIEF MINISTERS TO DISCUSS TELUGU GANGA PROJECT

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) : In Part (b) of the reply the following is added as second sentence :—

"The Chief Minister Maharashtra had also informed of his inability to attend the meeting".

12.00 hrs.

(Interruptions)

[English]

MR. SPEAKER : Nothing goes on record till all the Members take their seats.

This is not the proper way. All of you getting up—this is not way, and I am not going to listen. There are certain rules and regulations, and if you are going to infringe all of them, I am not going to allow.

(Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER : Why are you all others sitting ? You also get up. This is not going to be a sitting House, this is going to be a standing House !

(Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER : Look around, how can I listen to anything ?

(Interruptions)**

MR. SPEAKER : I have not allowed them. Please do not record.

(Interruptions)**

SHRI BASUDEB ACHARIA (Bankura) : Sir, you call us one by one.

(Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER : If hon. Members try to infringe all the rules, what can I do about it ?

(Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER : There are certain rules in this House. I can only say this much that when I am open to any suggestion, when I never bar any discussion, what is the use of all of you getting up at once together and doing all this sort of a thing ? I don't bar any discussion, but it should be properly done. If one man says, I can reply. I can reply one by one. There might be three or four things which are of paramount importance. I can tell them, I will look into it or I can see to it or I am getting some information. But if you all get up together and try to talk together, then you have your way. I will sit down. What can I do ?

PROF. MADHU DANDAVATE (Rajapur) : Sir, if you are the first to get up, there will be no difficulty.

(Interruptions)