(b) and (c). The electronic units manufacturing Black & White TV picture tubes have no foreign collaboration. Three Electronic Units manufacturing Colour TV picture tubes are using foreign technology as no indigenous technology is available. Most of the raw materials required for manufacture of picture tubes are not being manufactured indigenously at present, mainly because the requirement is small and setting up of production facilities is not commercially viable. However, with increase in demand, progressive, indigenisation of materials is taking place. In the case of B &W TV picture tubes, a main component, the glass shell, is manufactured by Bharat Electronics Limited at its Taloja plant.

## STATEMENT

- A. List of Electronic Units Manufacturing Black & White TV Picture Tubes
- M/s. Bharat Electronics Limited, Bangalore.
- M/s. Teletube Electronics Limited, Ghaziabad.
- M/s. JCT Electronics Limited, SAS Nagar, Punjab.
- 4. M/s. Webel Video Devices Limited, Calcutta.
- M/s Samtel (India) Limited, Bhiwadi, Rajasthan
- M.s Fenovision Limited, Medak, Andhra Pradesh.
- 7. M/s. Mullard Tubes Pvt. Limited, Ludhiana, Punjab.
- 8. M/s Prakash Pipes & Industries Limited, Kashipur, U.P.
- 9. M/s Qualitron Components Limited,

Ahmedabad.

- M/s Suchitra Teletubes Limited, Hyderabad.
- B. List of Electronic Units Producing Colour TV. Picture Tubes:
- M/s. JCT Electronics Limited, SAS Nagar, Punjab.
- M/s Uptron Colour Picture Tubes Limited, Sahibabad, U.P.
- M/s. Samtel Color Limited, Dadri, Ghaziabad.

## **Delinking of Jobs From Degrees**

6955. SHRI RAM SAGAR (Saidpur): Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether degree was not be linked to employment as per the revised education policy of the Government and only such of the boys and girls were required to go for further higher education who were fairing well in the examinations and the others were to be given opportunities/avenues for employment or to settle down in life;
  - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) reasons for not providing avenues of employment to not-so-brilliant students to settle down in life by allotting them shops or giving them some sort of other avenues?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DE-VELOPMENT (SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA): (a) to (c). The National Policy on Education-1986 envisages that a beginning will be made in delinking Degrees from Jobs in selected areas. The Policy also visualises that the introduction of systematic, well-planned and rigorously implemented pro389

grammes of vocational education is crucial in the proposed educational reorganisation. These elements are meant to enhance the employability of an individual, to reduce the mis-match between the demand and supply of skilled manpower, and to provided an alternative for those pursuing higher education without particular interest or purpose. In pursuance of these objectives efforts have been made to establish linkages with employment sectors. Course in Insurance have been introduced in collaboration with General Insurance Corporation. Collaborative efforts are also under consideration with other Departments/Organisation.

2. 'cational education cannot create employment opportunities but tries to facilitate employment by making the student employable. Under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Vocationalisation of Secondary Education, States/UTs are requested to carry out vocational survey to determine the employment potential in the area so as to match the vocational courses with the need.

## **Defence Exports**

6956. SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) the value of defence exports during the year 1989 and in 1990 so far; and
- (b) the steps Government are taking to boost exports?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (DR. RAJA RAMANNA): (a) Defence exports from production units in the Government and Public Sector were valued at Rs. 18.99 crores in 1988-89 and Rs. 23.66 crores in 1989-90.

(b) Various measures have been initiated toward review of policy and procedures relating to export of defence stores. Coun-

tries to which exports can be channelised and items which can be supplied have been identified. The Defence PSUs have been directed to prepare short and long term corporate export strategies. The Ordnance Factories Board has been authorised to export directly. The Heads of our Missions abroad have also been asked to evince interest in defence exports. The products of Defence PSUs and the ordnance Factories are being exhibited in Defence Exhibitions abroad. Bharat Earth Movers Ltd., Bangalore has been declared as an Export House to enable this Company as well as other defence PSUs to gain a better foothold in the export arena.

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## Pollution by Sugar Mills and Distilleries in Uttar Pradesh

6957. SHRI HARI KEWAL PRASAD: Will the MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any measures are being adopted to prevent the dying of fishes and spread of epidemic due to effluents being released by the sugar mills and distilleries of Uttar Pradesh; and
  - (b) if so, the details thereof:

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN TO EMINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FOIL-ESTS (SHRIMATI MANEKA GANDHI): (a) and (b). A number of measures are being taken to check pollution from sugar and distillery units. These include:

- Notification of standards prescribing leavels for discharge of effluents from sugar and distillery units.
- ii) The sugar and distillery units have been directed by the Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board to set up