

**SHRI G. M. BANATWALLA.** The reply of the hon. Minister is that there is no concrete proposal for any additional assistance. I would like to have a clarification that in case there are no concrete proposals, whether any general or broad indications have been given by the Government of Vietnam to the Government of India for any further assistance. Further, I want to know what was the total quantum of assistance sought by Vietnam and how much we have been able to give to them.

**SHRI SAMARENDRA KUNDU:** As I said earlier, about the additional aid to Vietnam. Are there any concrete proposals. Casually, here and there, they have mentioned it. I can also tell the House that one of the Vice Foreign Ministers who met me sometime back also said that they may need help. That is all. He kept the matter there. So, unless there is a definite proposal, you cannot quantify it.

**SHRI HARIKESH BHADUR.** The Government of India is giving some aid to Vietnam. Are there any countries which are reacting adversely because of this aid which is being given to Vietnam and, if so, what are the names of those countries and what is the reaction of the Government of India thereto?

**SHRI SAMARENDRA KUNDU:** I do not know; not to my knowledge, if any country has reached.

**MR. SPEAKER:** That does not arise out of the Question.

**श्री राज किशोर :** अध्यक्ष महोदय, यह विद्युतनाम को जो कर्ज दिया गया है, उसकी अदायगी की पहली किस्त कब चुक होगी ? दूसरा सवाल येरा यह है कि इसकी व्याज दर क्या है ? तीसरा वेग प्रश्न यह है कि क्या प्रायकी जानकारी में है कि दक्षिण पूर्वी एशिया के देशों को चीन किस प्रकार से ऋण दे रहा है और जिसकी सरल शर्तों पर दे रहा है, उसको ध्यान में रखते हुए क्या भारत सरकार ने भी उसी प्रकार की कर्ज रखी है ?

**श्री समरेन्द्र कुन्दु :** वह जो कर्ज है, वह दो टाउप का कर्ज है । एक सरकारी कर्ज है, दूसरा कमिश्नल कर्ज है । यह जो कमिश्नल कर्ज दिया जा रहा है, उसकी अदायगी दो साल के बीच शुरू होगी ।

**एक माननीय सदस्य :** अदायगी शुरू होगी ।

**श्री समरेन्द्र कुन्दु :** हिन्दी में बोलने में हम लोगों को तकलीफ होती है । (स्वभाषान)

**MR. SPEAKER:** Wherever you find difficulty, you use English words.

**श्री समरेन्द्र कुन्दु :** हिन्दी बोलने से महिला मन्त्र पुरुष मन्त्र बन जाता है । (स्वभाषान)

**श्री समरेन्द्र कुन्दु :** माननीय सदस्य ने जो कहा कि एशियाई देशों को हम जो देते हैं उसके लिए हमें सरल व्यवस्था करनी चाहिये, मैं कहना चाहता हूँ कि हम इसके बारे में बहुत सोचते हैं और गिनना हो सकेगा इसकी सरल व्यवस्था हम करेंगे ।

#### Criteria for selecting sites for Telephone Industries

\*366. **SHRI S S. SOMANI:** Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have adopted any criteria for selecting sites for the telephone industries proposed to be established in the country during the Sixth Five Year Plan; and

(b) if so, the details thereof regarding their location?

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI NARHARI PRASAD SUKHDEO SAI):** (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. The main criteria for the selection of sites for the location of the proposed telephone equipment producing units are:—

- (i) Availability of trained skilled and semi-skilled workers.
- (ii) Facility for transport of raw materials and finished products from the factory by railway or road as well as for the transport of workers.

- (iii) Availability of suitable land and assured supply of adequate quantities of water and power.
- (iv) Potential for ancillaries.
- (v) Availability of housing and other facilities for workers and staff.
- (vi) Suitable climate—extremely hot or cold and dusty climate is to be avoided.

In the draft Five Year Plan 1978—83 provision has been included for setting up of two new units of Indian Telephone Industries Ltd., namely one Switching Factory and one Transmission Factory. The question regarding the location of these two new units is under consideration.

श्री एन० एन० सोमन्नी : सामान्यतः यह होता है कि जहाँ पहले से ही उद्योग स्थापित हैं वहाँ पर नए उद्योग भी लगा दिए जाते हैं। क्या नयी महोदय बताएंगे कि ये उद्योग नए स्थानों पर लगाए जाएंगे ?

श्री मन्हरि प्रसाद लुब्धक शर्मा : इनके लिए एक कमेटी बैठी थी साइट सिलेक्शन और लगाने की मान्यता है उस पर विचार करने के लिए मार्च 1978 में। उसकी रिपोर्ट आ गई है। अब मन्हरि ने उस पर विचार कर रही है और इस पर भी विचार कर रही है कि कहा इनको लोकेशन किया जाए।

श्री एन० एन० सोमन्नी : जो मानव संसाधन महोदय ने बताया है उनके अनुसार राजस्थान और मध्य प्रदेश में भी इसके लिए काफी उपयुक्त स्थान हैं। क्या सरकार वहाँ इस प्रकार की टेक्निकीय इंडस्ट्रीज लगाने का विचार कर रही है, यदि हाँ तो किस किस स्थान पर ?

संसार मंत्री (श्री बुधलाल वर्मा) : सभी प्रान्तों से मांग आई है। हमारे एक्सपर्ट लोग कहेंगे कि ये ये सब से ज्यादा सुविधाजनक स्थान हैं, वहाँ पर लगाए जाएंगे।

SHRI JAGANNATH RAO: May I know, the other things being equal, whether these units will be established in backward States and backward areas and whether there is any proposal to instal one unit in Orissa?

SHRI BRIJLAL VERMA: All these things will be considered.

SHRI B. RACHAIAH: According to the criteria mentioned by the hon. Minister for this question, a Committee was set up to look into the question of location for the establishment of two factories in the Five-Year Plan 1978—83, namely, one Switching Factory and one Transmission Factory. May I know the main recommendation of the Committee? According to those criteria, what are the places that the Committee has recommended now?

SHRI BRIJLAL VERMA: It has not come to the final conclusion as yet

Disparity among families in matter of employment

\*367. SHRI SURENDRA JHA SUMAN: Will the Minister of PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that there are such families in the country most of whose members are in employment whereas large number of families have hardly any member in employment; and

(b) whether Government propose to conduct any study to ascertain the correct position in this regard and formulate labour policy in right direction on the basis of the concrete data thus obtained so as to remove this disparity?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND LABOUR (SHRI RAVINDRA VARMA): (a) and (b). A Statement is placed on the Table of the House.

#### Statement

There is no census of the number of families wherein not even one member is employed. There is no proposal to undertake such a census or study but the Government is well aware of the widespread unemployment and under-employment in the country. It is the aim of the present Government