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सम्मिलित करने के लिए एक समय्बद्ध कार्य योजना तैयार करें।

(ii) पुनः प्रशिक्षण तथा विशेष प्रशिक्षण शिविरों, उनके प्रयासों को महत्व प्रदान करके उनकी प्रशंसा के माध्यम से साक्षरता कार्यक्रमों से जुड़े स्वयंसेवकों की प्रेरणा को बढाने के लिए उपाय किए गए हैं।

(iii) अप्रत्याशित रूप से साक्षरता कार्यक्रमों को कार्यान्वित करने में पंचायती राज संस्थाओं को अधिकाधिक रूप से शामिल किया जा रहा है।

(iv)साक्षरता कार्यक्रम तथा स्वास्थ कार्यक्रमों,जवाहर रोजगार योजना,डी.डब्ल्यू. , एस.सी.आर.ए. , आदि जैसे अन्य विकास कार्यक्रमों के बीच बेहतर तालमेल बिठाने पर विशेष बल दिया गया है।

(v) राज्य साक्षरता मिशनों के कार्यान्ववन के लिए राज्य सरकारों को अधिकार विकेन्द्रित करना तथा उन्हें अधिकार सौंपना।

(vi) राष्ट्रीय साक्षरता मिशन द्वारा निर्धारित किए गए दिशानिर्देश के अनुसार निगरानी तथा मूल्यांकन तंत्रों को पुनर्गठित करना तथा उन्हें मजबूत बनाना । राज्य प्रौढ़ शिक्षा निदेशालय इन साक्षारता कार्यक्रमों का बडी बारीकी से निरीक्षण करते हैं ।

(vii) इन कार्यक्रमों के कार्यान्वयन में आनेवाली कमियों का पता लगाने तथा समय — समय पर सुधारात्मक उपाय शुरू करने के लिए साक्षरता कार्यक्रमों का संगामी मूल्यांकन कड़ाई से लागू किया जा रहा है।

(viii) विभिन्न अपरिहार्य कारणों से बन्द पड़ी हुई परियोजनाओं को पुनर्गठित तथा पुनः आरंभ करने के लिए आपरेशन रेस्टोरेशन शुरू किया गया है

News report on purchase of dubious Artefacts

3742. DR. MOHAN BABU: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the newsitcm appearing in the "Indian Express" dated

15th March, 1997, captioned, "Dubious artefacts worth crores find way into National Museum";

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto; and

(c) the steps proposed to get the artefacts examined in the museum laboratory at an early date?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI S. R. BOMMAI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) In this news item, a number of allegations have been made against the National Museum regarding the purchase of art objects. The National Museum acquires art objects for its collection only the recommendations of Art Acquisition Committee, duly constituted by Department of Culture, Ministry of Human Resource Development, consisting of eminent experts of national and international repute in the field of art and culture.

(c) The National Museum has a fully equipped conservation laboratory with expert conservators and scientists of national and international repute. While acquiring the art objects, the scientific examination is always conducted by them and *on* their recommendation regarding the genuineness of the art objects, they arc acquired.

Besides, after the acquisition, a detailed study of the art objects is always being done by the Curators of the National Museum. Most of them are experts in their own field. They also take the help from various scholars visiting the Museum or locally available in studying these objects academically and historically. Further, there is a provision in the purchase procedure that if anything is found wrong in any of the objects within three years of purchase, the same is returnable to the sellers/dealers and the money paid, if any, is recovered from them. An agreement to this effect is invariably made with the sellers/dealers when their art objects are purchased. While resorting to the procedure, a

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Committee of experts examines the art objects in question for the purpose.

Schemes launched for upliftment of rural women 3743. SHRI SHIV CHARAN SINGH: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the different schemes which have been launched by Government for upliftment of rural women during the preceding five years in Assam, Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh, alortgwith the allocations made each year for each scheme;

(b) whether there is any fixed criteria to determine the launching of these schemes; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI S. R. BOMMAI): (a) A Statement showing the scheme/year-wise release of grants/loans under various schemes hunched by the Department of Women and Child Development during the last five years in the States of Assam, Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh for upliftment of rural women is attached. *(See* Below)

(b) and (c) Grants/loans are sanctioned on the basis of complete applications received from the eligible institutions.

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Details of grants/loans released under various schemes launched by Department of Women & Child Development for upliftment of rural women during the last five years in the States of Assam, Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh.

S. No.	Scheme	State	Year-wise		grants/loans released		
			1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96	1996-97
1.	Mahila Samriddhi Yojana.	Assam	_	3.17	1.58	1.65	9.45
	-do-	Rajasthan	_	5.40	2.70	2.70	16.19
	-do-	Madhya Pradesh	_	8.09	4.04	4.04	24.27
2	Indira Mahila Yojana.	Assam				30.50	—
	-do-	Rajasthan				61.00	
	-do-	Madhya Pradesh				85.40	
3.	Rasluriya Mahila Kosh.	Assam	—	—	—	—	—
	-do-	Rajasthan	—	—	—	—	137.44 (cumulative) (loan)
	-do-	Madhya Pradesh	—	—	—	—	(loan) 27.50 (cumulative) (loan)

3744. SHRI SHIV CHARAN SINGH: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to refer to answer

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(a) the details of Trained Graduate Teachers who had been promoted to the posts of Post Graduate Teachers in Kcndriya Vidyalayas during the last three

21st March, 1997 and state:

(Rupees in lakhs)