profile of the areas to be covered under the proposed World Bank assisted malaria project alongwith constraints facing the programme. These States were give asked to long term commitments for implementing sustaining the malaria control strategies during and after the project period. This information has been received from most of these States.

## Cancellation of World Bank Projects involving corruption

348. PROF. RAM KAPSE: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the President of World Bank has declared that World Bank would cancel the projects involving corruption in implementation;
- (b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto;

- (c) the details of the World Bank projects underway and their present status;
- (d) whether Government are aware that the World bank has offered "advice, encouragement and support" to its borrower countries to fight corruption; and
- (e) if so, whether Government have approached the World Bank for such "advice, encouragement and support"?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. However the topic of corruption was not raised with Government of India by Mr. James D. Wolfensohn. President, World Bank or any other Bank official during the President, World Bank's visit to India.

- (c) Information is given in the attached statement.
  - (d) No, Sir.
  - (c) Does not arise.

Statement
Status of on going World Bank aided project

S. N	o. Name of the Project	Year of approval	IBRD	IDA Cumulative drawal as on 31.10.96 (in US \$ million)	
1.	ICDS 1 (Orissa & A.P.)	1991		85.811	52.265
2.	Maharashtra Rural WS	1991		117.276	47.661
3.	Gas Flaring Reduction	1991	450.00		428.506
4.	CSSM	1992		240.374	232.278
5.	Maharashtra Forestry	1992	_	138.307	37.580
6.	West Bengal Forestry	1992	_	37.084	22.285
7.	Aids Prevention & Con.	1992		91.230	38.258
8.	Maharashtra Power-II	1992	350.00		111.742
9.	ADP-Rajasthan	1993		113.415	46,766
10.	Bihar Plateau	1993		126.159	19.318
11.	Renewable Resources	1993		128.272	21.002
12.	Jharia Mine Fire Con.	1993		13.487	5.747
13.	PGC Power System	1993	350.00	_	99.690

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S. N	o. Name of the Project	Year of approval	IBRD	IDA Cumulative drawal as on 31.10.96 (in US \$ million)	
14.	Karnataka WS & Env/S	1993		103.794	15.473
15.	Private Power Devt TA	1993	20.00	103.794	0.502
16.	NTPC Power Generation	1993	400.00	_	56.675
17.	NATL Leprosy Elimination	1993	400.00	94.106	25.842
18.	Forestry Research Edu.	1994		52.323	10.071
19.	Andhra Pradesh For.	1994	_	87.282	13.154
20.	Blindness Control	1994		134.212	12.820
21.	Population IX	1994		98,606	7.371
22.	Madras water Sup. II	1995	275.80		5.994
23.	Indus. Pollution Prev.	1995	_	27.887	1.005
24.	Indus. Pollution Prev.	1995	93.00		5.000
25.	Indus. Pollution Prev.	1995	50.00	_	_
26.	District Primary Ed.	1995	_	283,490	29.620
27.	Tamil Nadu WRCP	1995		282,900	12.438
28.	Bombay Sewage Disposal	1996	25.00		18.027
29.	Bombay Sewage Disposal	1996	167.00		
30.	UP Rural Water	1996	59.60	_	
31.	Hydrology Project	1996		142.000	4.003
32.	AP 1st Ref. Health S.	1995	_	142.936	2.586
<b>3</b> 3.	Agri. Human Res. Dev.	1995	_	59.000	3.444
34.	MP Forestry	1995		58.000	5.657
<b>3</b> 5.	Assam Rural Infra.	1995	_	126.000	2.000
36.	Orissa WRCP	1996		290.900	17.511
37.	Financial Sector Dev.	1995	350.00		150.000
38.	Financial Sector Dev.	1995	150.00	_	6.000
39.	Gujarat Rural Roads	1981	_	116.704	99.862
40.	Mah. Earthquake Reh.	1994		246.822	92.496
-41.	Orissa Power Sector	1996	350.00	<u></u>	
42.	District Prim. Edu. 2	1996	_	425.200	
43.	State Health Sys-II	1996		350.000	11.637
44.	2nd Nat. Agri. Research	1986		77.174	75.122
<b>45</b> .	3rd National Seeds	1988	_	155.851	151.658
46.	Coal Env. & Social Mit.	1996		63.000	<del>-</del> ',

S. No. Name of the Project		Year of approval	IBRD	IDA Cumulative drawal as on 31.10.96 (in US \$ million	
<b>47</b> .	Watershed Plains	1990	· <del></del>	65.189	35.246
48.	Nathpa Jhakri Hydro	1989	485.00	_	219.339
49.	Container Transport	1994	94.00		11.490
50.	Tamil Nadu Urban	1988	_	264.889	200.308
51.	Dam Safety	1991		148.884	27.823
52.	Watershed Hills	1990		86.237	44.543
53.	Petrochemicals	1991	12.00		6.181
54.	Petrochemicals	1991	202.700	_	121.91
55.	Power Util. Effic. Imp.	1992	265.00	_	123.430
56.	Hyderabad Water sup.	1990		95.293	54.96
57.	Maharashtra Irrig. 1	1986		187.652	185.289
58.	Technology Development	1990		66.697	27.81
59.	Technology Development	1990	135.00		97.62
60.	Upper Krishna Phase-II	1989	_	169.208	151.08
61.	Upper Krishna Phase-II	1989	45.00	_	
62.	Ind. Pollution Control	1991	_	36.617	5.25
63.	Ind. Pollution Control	1991	124.00	_	85.38
64.	Population VI	1989		83.025	61.34
65.	Shrimp & Fish Culture	1992		98.475	10.25
66.	Talcher Thermal	1987	295.100	_	268.86
67.	Second TN Nutrition	1990	_	77.657	53.57
68.	Pop. Training (VII)	1990		73.054	52.47
69.	Maharashtra Power	1989	354.00	_	185.04
70.	National Highways II	1992		181.942	72.05
71.	National Highways II	1992	153.00	_	_
72.	U.P. Basic Education	1993		181.636	65.48
73.	Electronics	1989	8.00		7.34
74.	Agri. Dev. I (TN)	1991	_	96.914	62.10
75.	Agri. Dev. 1 (TN)	1991	20.00	_	_
76.	Rubber	1993	_	103.905	12.19
77.	UP Sodic Lands Pec.	1993		61.851	14.97
78.	Population VIII	1992		79.000	5.48
	Water Res. Con. Haryana	1994		294.289	46.21

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		Year of approval	IBRD	or	drawal as 31.10.96 million)
80.	Punjab Irri. & Drainage	1990	·	171.429	110.330
81.	State Roads I	1989	115.00	_	93.592
82.	ICDS II (Bihar & MP)	1993		221.813	22.490
83.	Cement Industry Res.	1990	300.00		249.580
84.	Northern Region Trans.	1990	293.180		153.757
85.	Technician Edu. II	1991		274.334	96.571
86.	Tech. Education I	1990	_	239.490	140.370
87.	Vocational Training	1989	_	182.409	94.030
88.	Private Power Utility	1991	200.00		178.788
89.	National Sericulture	1989		148.875	105.796
90.	Madras W S Sanitation	1987	53.00		48.249
91.	IIIrd Bombay WS	1987		145.000	123.508

## Fiscal Deficit

349. SHRI JANARDHANA POO-JARY: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government have resolved to ensure that fiscal deficit does not cross five per cent;
- (b) whether Government have taken measures to achieve the target; and
  - (c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) to (c) The fiscal deficit for the current year 1996-97 (RE) is Rs. 62,266 crore which works out to 5% of GDP. The Government would endeavour to contain the fiscal deficit by maximising receipts and controlling expenditure.

## Financial Irregularities including FERA Violations

350. SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA: SHRI N. GIRI PRASAD:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government have received evidence of involvement of certain important private companies in financial irregularities including FERA violations; and
- (b) if so, the details and what steps are proposed to be taken to check such violations and to safeguard the interest of shareholders in such companies?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) and (b) The question does not refer to specific cases and efforts involved in collecting data from the field formations all over the country will not be commensurate with the objectives likely to be