

amount of credit drawn and outstanding.

Statement

List of projects with WB Assistance for the Development of Intensive Agriculture in India

Name of the project	Date of signing/ closing	Credit Amount	Utilisation as on 30.6.96	Undrawn Balance as on 30.6.96	Utilisation in last six months
1. TN ADP	11.1.91 30.6.97	86.23	40.10	46.13	6.035
2. RAJ ADP	17.12.92 30.9.99	113.41	41.26	72.15	8.971
3. Bihar Plateau Dev.	17.12.92 30.6.98	126.15	16.40	109.73	2.301
4. Assam Rural Infrastructure & Agri. Services	6.6.95 31.12.2003	126.00	2.00	124.00	0.000

Phenomenal growth of Cities in India

2904. SHRIMATI JAYAPRADA NAHATA:
DR. D. VENKATESHWAR RAO:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the growth of cities in India is phenomenal where out of the 14 mega cities of the world with a population of over 10 million, two are Indians;

(b) if so, whether Mumbai has population of 14.5 million and Calcutta has 11.5 millions;

(c) whether by the year 2000, Mumbai is expected to be the second largest city of the World, Tokyo being the first;

(d) if so, what are the other points made by the World Health Organisation, UNICEF or the United Nations Fund for population activities;

(e) whether Government have examined their new areas; and

(f) if so, what steps are being taken to check this growth?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SALEEM IQBAL SHERVANI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) According to the 1991 Census Mumbai and Calcutta Urban Agglomeration's Population is 12.6 million and 11.0 million

respectively. However, as per the United Nations estimates of Population for the year 1995, Mumbai & Calcutta have a population of 14.5 million and 11.5 million respectively.

(c) Yes, Sir, according to the United Nations Publication "World Urbanization Prospects, The 1994 Revision".

(d) to (f) According to the United Nations Report mentioned at (c) above, percentage of Urban population in India will be 28.6 in 2000. Population programmes in the country are being reoriented to focus on quality of care. This in turn is expected to lead to greater acceptance of family planning.

A centrally sponsored scheme named Integrated Development of Small and Medium Towns is under implementation for strengthening infrastructure facilities in selected small and medium towns to enable them to emerge as centres of growth and employment, thereby reducing the incentive for population living in interlands to migrate to large cities, by the Ministry of Urban Affairs and Employment.

Ill effects of refractive surgery

2905. MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that several