Financial assistance for crocodile sanctuaries

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PATNAIK: Will the Minister of
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be
pleased to state:

- (a) the number of crocodile sanctuaries in the country;
 - (b) the state-wise location thereof;
- (c) whenver the Central Government have been extending financial assistance to different States for the proper preservation and growth of crocodiles; and
- (d) if so, the year-wise details of financial assistance extended to the State of Orissa and other States for the purpose during the Seventh and Eighth Plan period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (CAPT. JAI NARAYAN PRASAD NISHAD): (a) and (b) There are no "Crocodile Sanctuaries" in the country as such. However, certain 'sanctuaries have given special emphasis to conservation of crocodiles. These are:

National — Madhya
 Chambal Pradesh

| | Sanctuary | Rajasthan Uttar Pradesh |
|----|---------------------------|--|
| 2. | Ken Ghariyal | — Madhya Sanctuary Pradesh |
| 3. | Son Ghariyal | — Madhya Sanctuary Pradesh |
| 4. | Bhitarkanika sanctuary | — Orissa |
| 5. | Katarniaghat Sanctuary | Uttar Pradesh |

In 1975 Government of India launched crocodile bredding and management project in coordination with FAO/UNDP. The project provided impetus to crocodile breeding in the country and led to setting up of 26 breeding and rehabilitation centres in the country.

- (c) Yes, Sir. Financial assistance is provided under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of "Development of National Parks and Sanctuaries", for conservation of wildlife which also include crocodiles.
- (d) The year-wise financial assistance extended to the 7 listed sanctuaries in the State of Orissa and other states during the VII and VIII Plan period is given in the Statement (see below). These assistance arc also being utilised for preservation and growth of crocodiles.

Statement Financial Assistance provided during the VIIth and VUIth Plan.

| | | | | | | Rs. in lakhs | |
|----------|--------------|--|-------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--|-------------------------|
| Year | Bhitarkanika | Madhya Pradesh Ken Ghariyal, WLS | | Natioinal Chambal wis | Rajasthan Chambal WLS | Uttar Pradesh National Chambal WLS | Katernia Ghat WLS |
| VII Plan | | | | | | | , |
| Plan | | | | | | | |
| 85-86 | 2.22 | _ | _ | _ | _ | 3.74 | _ |
| 86-87 | 0.975 | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| 87-88 | 2.50 | _ | _ | _ | _ | 2.17 | _ |
| 88-89 | _ | _ | _ | 0.40 | —1.75 | 2.92 | _ |
| 89-90 | _ | _ | 1.093 | 0.90 | 1.56 | 2.00 | 1.00 |
| 90-91 | 4.00 | 0.90 | 0.20 | 1.65 | 0.50 | 19.48 | 3.02 |

| | | | | | Rs In | | | | |
|-----------|---|------|--|-------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|--|------------------|--|
| Year | - | | Madhya Pradesh Ken Ghariyal. WLS | Son Ghariyal. WLS | | Rajasthan Chambal WLS | Uttar Pradesh National Chambal WLS | Kalernn a WLS | |
| 91-92 | | 4.30 | 4.70 | 0.60 | 3.10 | 2.07 | 9.55 | | |
| VIII Plan | | | | | | | | | |
| 92-93 | | 4.90 | _ | _ | 4.16 | _ | 5.37 | _ | |
| 93-94 | | 9.54 | _ | 2.30 | _ | 0.50 | 4.07 | 14.35 | |
| 94-95 | | 9.50 | 3.75 | _ | _ | 2.05 | 2.50 | 17.00 | |
| 95-96 | | _ | _ | _ | 3.65 | 1.40 | 2.30 | 2.75 | |

Admissions in Kendriya Vidyalayas

3285. SHRI SHIV CHARAN SINGH: SHRI GOVINDRAM MIRI:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Kendriya Vidyalayas have been refusing admissions to thousands of children of transferable Central Government employees due to paucity of seats;
- (b) if so, whether any survey or study has been conducted to ascertain the ratio of those getting admissions to those denied; and
- (c) if so, the results thereof and if not, the reasons স্পৰ্ব কী है; therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPTT. OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MUHI RAM अर्वाध के लिए कृषि किकास के लक्ष्य क्या तव किये SAIKIA) (a) to (c) Demand for admissions in \$7 Kendriya Vidyalayas has always been higher than the seats available. However, statistics are not maintained by Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan regarding the number of applications registered in each (ङ) कृषि, वानिकी और मारिसकी से प्राप्त होने वाले Kendriya Vidyalaya.

कृषि क्षेत्र में विकास की दर

3286. श्री राम जेठमलानी: वया कृति भेन्नी यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क). क्या यह सच है कि पिछले दशक में देश में कृषि क्षेत्र में विकास दर निरन्तर घटती रही है;

(ख) यदि नहीं, तो क्या देश में वर्ष 1980-81 से 1984-85 तथा वर्ष 1985-86 से 1989-90 की अवधि के दौरान कृषि के विकास की दर ऋगराः 3.4 प्रतिशत और 4.8 प्र**तिशत रही, जबकि वर्ष 1990-**91 से 1994-95 की अवस्थि के दौरान यह केवल 2.6

- (ग) यदि नहीं, तो इस संदर्भ में सरकार का आकलन क्या है:
- (भ) क्या सरकार ने देश में कृषि विकास की दर में इस प्रकार निरन्तर कथी होने के कारणों की जानकारी
 - (ङ) यदि हां, तो उसका स्वीर क्या है; और
- (च) सरकार ने वर्ष 1995-96 से 1999-2000 की

कृषि मन्त्री (श्री चतुरानन मित्र): (क) से **पटक लागत पर सकल भोलू उत्पापद द्वारा किए गये** मूल्यांकन के अनुसार कृषि क्षेत्र की वृद्धि दर में 1980-81 की कीमतों पर कोई खास गिरावट नहीं देखी गई है। 1990-91 से 1994-95 तक की अवधि के दौरान वृद्धिः दर 3,10 ऋषिसतः श्री। 1980-81 से 1984-85 तथा 1985-86 से 1989-90 की अवधि के दौरान सदश कृद्धि धरें ऋमराः 5.53 अतिशतः व 3.18 प्रतिरात थीं। तथापि, यह उल्लेखनीय है कि 1979-90 जो 1980-81 से 1984-85 तक की अवधि का अधार वर्ष था, कृषि के लिए प्रतिकृत वर्ष था।

(च) 1992-93 से 1996-97 तक की अवधि के दौरान कृषि विकास के लिए लक्ष्य 3.1 प्रतिशत प्रतिवर्ष