

अधिक है। इसलिए इन गाड़ियों में पूर्ण किराया देने वाले यात्रियों के लिए स्थान की व्यवस्था की जाती है और किसी भी कोटि के व्यक्तियों को कोई रियायत नहीं दी गई है।

(च) जी, नहीं।

(छ) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

#### **Target for Growth of Agriculture**

1419. DR. B.B. DUTTA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the target set for the growth of Agriculture during 1993-94, 1994-95 and 1995-96;

(b) how far these targets have been achieved; and

(c) what are the reasons for slow down in the growth rate of agriculture?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI CHATURANAN MISH-RA): (a) The target set for the growth of gross domestic product in agriculture during 1993-94, 1994-95 and 1995-96, which is a segment of the overall Eighth Plan period i.e. 1992-93 to 1996-97, is 3.1 per cent per annum.

(b) and (c) The average growth of gross domestic product in agriculture sector during these years is estimated to be 3.53 per cent per annum which is higher than the target.

#### **Role of National Fertilizers LTD**

1420. SHRI BRATIN SENGUPTA: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether National Fertilizers Limited is a natural importer of urea or is a unit to manage fertilizer production units in the country;

(b) if it is a unit to manage fertilizer production units in the country, what is the reason for venturing into import of urea all of a sudden since 1994; and

(c) where is the origin of this idea in the whole set-up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI SHEES RAM OLA): (a) to (c) M/s. National Fertilizers Limited (NFL) is engaged in production of fertilizers. The urea imported on Government account till 1994-95 was entirely canalised through M/s. MMTC Ltd. During Rabi 94-95 when MMTC was unable to deliver required quantities of urea, a decision was made in October '94 to give adhoc allocation to some of the public sector fertilizer under-takings, which included National Fertilizers Ltd., to supplement the efforts of MMTC. Later in 1995-96, the Government decided to have more than one agency for procurement of urea and inducted NFL and three other companies as canalising agencies for import of urea besides MMTC.

#### **Women benefited from Rashtriya Manila Kosh in Gujarat**

1421. SHRI GOPALSINH G. SOL-ANKI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of women benefited from the Rashtriya Mahila Kosh during the years 1992-93, 1993-94 and 1994-95 in each district of Gujarat, with details thereof;

(b) whether Government have formulated long-term strategies to increase the various variety-wise activities of the Kosh during the next three years to cover maximum number of women of the State;

(c) if so, the details thereof, District-wise; and

(d) the criteria adopted for providing the financial assistance from Kosh to each woman or women organisation?