

**Functioning of foreign Banks in India**

4287. SHRI SARADA MOHANTY;  
SHRI SURESH PACHOURI;

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of the foreign banks operating in India;

(b) what is the growth of deposits of these banks during the last five years;

(c) the profit earned with yearly growth rate, by these banks during the last five years; and

(d) what is the priority sector lending by these banks during the last five years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) The names of foreign banks operating in India are given in the enclosed statement. (See below)

(b) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

*Statement**Foreign Banks operating in India*

<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Name of foreign bank.</i>
1.	American Express Bank Ltd.
2.	Bank of America NT and SA
3.	Citi Bank N.A.
4.	British Bank of Middle East
5.	Standard Chartered Bank
6.	Barclays Bank PLC
7.	Banque Nationale De Paris
8.	Banque Indosuez
9.	Societe Generale
10.	Credit Lyonnais
11.	Bank of Tokyo Ltd.
12.	The Sakura Bank Ltd.
13.	The Sanwa Bank Ltd.
14.	Deutsche Bank

15. ANZ Grindlays Bank P.L.C.

16. Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation

17. Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank Ltd.

18. Bank of Oman Ltd.

19. Oman International Bank S.A.O.

20. Bank of Bahrain and Kuwait B.S.C.

21. Bank of Nova Scotia

\*22. Bank of Credit and Commerce International (Overseas) Ltd.

23. ABN Amro Bank N.V.

24. Sonali Bank

\*Operations suspended since 6th July, 1991.

**Indo-Iran Economic Corporation**

4288. SHRI VITHALRAO MADHAV-  
RAO JADHAV;

SHRI RADHAKRISHAN  
MALAVIYA;

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the projects that Government of India are likely to undertake in Iran as per the negotiations held in New Delhi between the Minister of State for External Affairs of India and External Affairs Ministers of Iran;

(b) what would be the earning of foreign exchange from such projects;

(c) whether there is any proposal from Government of Iran to start some industrial projects in India; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI RAMESHWAR THAKUR): (a) to (d) Indian companies in the Public and Private Sectors have bid for various contracts in Iran in the fields of Power, Railway and Sugar industry. The concerned Iranian authorities are yet to finalise the contracts.