

तरह से पुनः नियोजित किया जाता है। कुछ गैर-पारंपरिक रोजगार जैसे कि वाहन चालक, सुरक्षा गार्ड, स्वीच गीयर अटेंडेंट, आदि रोजगारों में फालतू महिला कामगारों को लाभकारी रूप में नियोजित किए जाने के लिए विनिर्दिष्ट किया गया है। उपर्युक्त कामगारों को कंकड़ पत्थर चुनने, बामबानी, और अर्थ-विक्रिया संबंधी रोजगारों आदि के लिए भी नियोजित किया जाता है।

Imparting of electronic and software education through various institutions

3130. SHRI BHADRESWAR BURAGOHAIN: Will the PRIME MINISTER pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware about the mushroom growth of electronic and software institutions in the country;

(b) whether Government are also aware that most of them are luring students, by their superfluous advertisements while many of them have no basic amenities for imparting education of their declared discipline; and

(c) whether Government are contemplating to formulate a policy for software education?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS AND DEPARTMENT OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. KUMARAMANGALAM): (a) and (b) Government are aware about the mushrooming of Computer Training Institutions in the country. Some of these institutions do not have basic amenities for imparting education and lure students by their superfluous advertisements.

(c) Government of India, Department of Electronics vide Resolution dated 16th August, 1990 announced a scheme under which private sector computer training institutes meeting the denned quality and service standards are given accredita-

tion for conducting specified levels of courses viz, 'O' (Foundation), *A' (Advanced diploma), 'B' (Graduate) and 'C' (Post-graduate). Government is also in the process of finalisation of a strategy to strenglien the softviware education, especially in the State-of-Art Software.

Robot technology in the country

3131. SHRIMATI KAMLA SINHA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government are planning to encourage Robot technology in the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS AND DEPARTMENT OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. KUMARAMANGALAM): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) In order to provide safety as well as to remove the dangers arising out of working in hazardous environment, etc. robots technology is being introduced in the industries in the country. The Department of Electronics is encouraging; the development of robots in the country through R&D and has supported various technical projects like:—

(i) A project on "Material handling Robot in hazardous applications" to be developed by Regional Engineering College Warangal jointly with ECTL, Hyderabad for use in Nuclear Pud Complex in the loading of pellets, into the zirconium tubes.

(ii) Project on "Robotics in Micro-surgery" at Bio-medkal Engineering Deptt. TIT, Delhi.

(iii) "Development of Gantry Robot" for handling heavy pay loads in the manufacture of turb.'nes at ITT, * Delhi in collaboration with BHEL, Hyderabad.