

(ग) क्या यह सच है कि दिल्ली प्रशासन ने यह सिफारिश की थी कि स्वैच्छिक संस्थाओं को इस कार्यक्रम से सहबद्ध किया जाना चाहिए, यदि हां, तो इस पर सरकार की क्या प्रतिक्रिया है ?

मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्री (श्री अर्जुन सिंह): (क) जी हां। साक्षरता, प्रौढ़ शिक्षा के चार संघटकों में से एक है, जो संघ शासित क्षेत्र दिल्ली में 2 अक्टूबर, 1978 से लागू है। परिणामक तौर पर, कार्यक्रम का उद्देश्य बरीयता के तौर पर 15-35 आयु वर्ग के सभी प्रौढ़ निरक्षरों को साक्षर बनाना है। गुणावत्तात्मक रूप में, कार्यक्रम का उद्देश्य, शिक्षुओं को साक्षरता व अंक ज्ञान में आत्मनिर्भर बनाना, अधिकारों से वंचित रहने के कारणों एवं विकास की प्रक्रिया में उनकी सहभागिता के प्रति उनको जागरूक करना, उनके आर्थिक स्तर एवं आम दशा को सुधारने के लिए दक्षता प्रदान करने की व्यवस्था करना और राष्ट्रीय एकता, पर्यावरण संरक्षण, महिला-समानता और लघु परिवार मानदण्डों आदि जैसे मूल्यों को उनके मन में बिठाना है।

(ख) सातवीं पंचवर्षीय योजना अवधि के दौरान, कार्यक्रम को बढ़ावा देने के लिए केंद्रीय सरकार के अधीन विभिन्न योजनाओं के लिए केंद्र शासित क्षेत्र दिल्ली को 365.57 लाख रुपए की धनराशि सस्वीकृत और जारी कर दी गई है। इसके अतिरिक्त, संघ शासित प्रशासन द्वारा कार्यान्वित की जाने वाली प्रौढ़ शिक्षा की कई योजनाओं के लिए उपर्युक्त अवधि के दौरान योजनागत 164.00 लाख रुपए और योजनागत 243.32 लाख रुपए का प्रावधान था।

(ग) स्वैच्छिक एजेंसियों की सहायता योजना को परिशोधित एवं पुनर्गठित किया गया है। मार्ग-निर्देशों के साथ-साथ परिशोधित योजना को संघ शासित क्षेत्र दिल्ली सहित सभी राज्यों/संघ शासित क्षेत्रों में परिचालित कर दिया गया है। परिशोधित योजना और मार्ग-निर्देशों के प्रत्युत्तर में अभी प्रस्ताव प्राप्त किए जा रहे हैं।

#### Activities of CARE Incorporated

3400. SHRI SAMAR MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the activities of the American Agency, CARE Incorporated, are limited to feeding programmes in school; and

(b) whether Government propose to review/regulate the activities of CARE?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS) WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT) (KUMARI MAMATA BANERJEE): (a) No, Sir. In addition to feeding programmes in school, CARE—India provides food commodities for supplementary feeding to children below 6 years, expectant and nursing mothers under Integrated Child Development Services Programme. CARE India also provides assistance to some non-food programmes aimed at increasing the income and improving the nutritional levels of families covered under ICDS programme.

(b) The programme of CARE India are governed by Indo-CARE agreement 1950. Every year CARE-India submits their annual action plan called list of provisions for the approval of Government of India.

#### Introduction of self Finance Scheme at Higher Educational level

3401. SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA: SHRI SOM PAL:

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

(a) whether Government are aware of the wide spread evil of donation for admission in technical institutions prevailing

in various States and concerned laws and rules of the State Governments have not been effective to prevent or curb this malpractice;

(b) whether Government propose to enforce centralised or regionalised admission system to curb under-hand practice; if so, the details thereof;

(c) what is the per annum expense per engineering student and what is the fees charged in Government and non-Government colleges at present; and

(d) whether Government would introduce self finance at higher educational level and make loans available to needy students through Banks?

**THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH):** (a) Some State Governments where the practice of charging donations in technical institutions was prevalent have passed legislations for banning of the practice. The exact impact is not known.

(b) No, Sir. However, the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) has laid down guidelines for admission to engineering colleges and polytechnics with merit/entrance examination as the main criteria.

(c) The expenditure per engineering Degree student is estimated to be Rs. 12,000 per annum. The fees charged in Government and Government-aided institutions vary from Rs. 320 to Rs. 750 per annum with an average of Rs. 530 per annum per student. The fee in un-aided Engineering Colleges varies from Rs. 5,000 to Rs. 10,000 per annum per student.

(d) The Government is encouraging higher educational institutions to be more self-reliant. A scheme is already available with the Scheduled Banks to enable the students to take loans for educational purposes.

**Execution of Administrative Orders of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan Chairman**

3402. **SHRI MOHAMMED AFZAL alias MEEM AFZAL:** Will the Minister

of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan is dutybound to execute the administrative orders of Human Resource Development Minister in the capacity of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan's Chairman; and

(b) if so, the relevant provisions thereof and if not, whether orders of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan's Chairman relating to various matters and executed by the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan's Commissioner during the preceding four months are being withdrawn/reviewed as per demand of All India Kendriya Vidyalaya Teachers' Association?

**THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH):** (a) and (b) In accordance with Rule 35 of Memorandum of Association of the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, the Commissioner is the Principal Executive Officer of the Sangathan, working under the direction and guidance of the Chairman and the Board of Governors.

**Transfer in Kendriya Vidyalayas**

3403. **SHRI MOHD. KHALEELUR RAHMAN:** Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some Principals/teachers of Kendriya Vidyalayas have been transferred; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and reasons therefor?

**THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH):** (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Transfers/Postings of teaching staff is a continuous process. The details of such transfers during the current academic session is being collected from the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.