One-rank one-pension for ex-servicemen

240. SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU: SHRI SHIV PRATAP MISHKA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state.

- (a) whether Government have taken any decision to provide one-rank onepension to ex-servicemen:
 - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if the answer to part (a) above be in the negative, the reasons for the delay?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI LALIT VIJAY SINGH): (a) to (c) The Committee on 'One Rank One Pension' considered all aspects of the issue but was unable to arrive at a consensus. Thereafter, discussions were held with the various concerned Departments/Ministries and a Scheme to provide an adhoc increase in pensions to Defence personnel, below officer level, who retired before 1-1-1986, was approved by the previous Government on 1st November This decision is being reviewed by the present Government,

241. [Transferred to the 4th March, 1991]

Utilisation of installed capacity in Public Sector Undertakings

242. DR. RATANAKAR PANDEY: DR. ABRAR AHMED:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government have decided to prepare a status paper for optimum utilisation of installed capacity and man power of different public sector undertakings; and
 - (b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRI KAMAL MORARKA): (a) No Sir.

(b) Does not arise

Complaints received by the Provident Fund Authorities

243. SHRI S. VIDUTHALAI VIRUMBI:

SHRI V. GOPALSAMY:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of complaints received by the Provident Fund Authorities during the last three years, year-wise;
- (b) the number of complaints out of the above which have been successfully settled so far; and
- (c) the number of complaints still pending with the authorities for disposal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (SHRI RAM-JI LAL SUMAN): (a) to (c) The available information is as given below:—

| Year | | | - | - | | | | No. of complaints received (including opening balance) | Settled | Balance |
|---------|--|----|---|---|---|-----|---|---|----------|---------|
| 1987-88 | | | | • | • | • | • | 1,50,117 | 1,43,151 | 6,966 |
| 1988-89 | | ٠, | | | | . • | • | 1,66,496 | 1,62,144 | 4,352 |
| 1989-90 | | • | • | • | • | • | | 1,18,744 | 1,15,304 | 3,440 |