

**Functioning of cassette in
Rajdhani Express**

1782. SHRI GOPALSINH G.
SOLANKI;

SHRI ANANTRAY DEVSHAN-
KER DAVE:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be
pleased to state;

(a) whether it is a fact that there was a
cassette played in the Rajdhani Express
running from New Delhi to Bombay and *vice
versa* early in the morning title as "Jay
Jagdish Hare";

(b) whether it has been ordered to be
stopped; and

(c) if so, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-
LIKARJUN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) Cassette's are changed at
intervals. Bhajan Cassettes which were
earlier being played have been replaced by
new cassettes containing instrumental music
which is liked by the passengers.

**Pools for Government accommodation
in Delhi**

1783. SHRI NYODEK YONGGAM; SHRI
B. K. HARIPRASAD:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVE-
LOPMENT be pleased to state

(a) the number of pools existing for
allotment of Government accommodation to
the employees of Government of India in
Delhi/New Delhi;

(b) what are the rules for retention of
Government quarters in the event of transfer
on deputation basis/co-terminus basis in
public interest from one pool to General Pool
quota and *vice-versa*;

(c) the number of cases which are co-
vered by part (b) above to whom permis-
sion for retention of Government
quarter have been sanctioned
by the Directorate of Estates dur-
ing the last three years, yearwise; and

(d) number of such cases pending with
Directorate of Estates and by when Go-
vernment propose to sanction permission for
retention?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELO-
PMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM)
(a) to (d) The information is being collected
and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

**Setting up of steel plants in Andhra
Pradesh**

1784. SHRI PRAGADA KOTAIAH;
Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to
state:

(a) what is the total amount spent for
setting up and running the steel plants by the
Government of India;

(b) what is the amount spent by Andhra
Pradesh Government for providing facili-
ties necessary for Setting up and running
the plants; and

(c) the employment opportunities pro-
vided so far by the plant and how many
of them are from Andhra Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE
MINISTRY OF STEEL (INDEPENDENT
CHARGE) (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN
DEB); (a) Government of India is setting up
an Integrated Steel Plant with a capacity of 3
million tonnes per annum at Visakhapatnam
in the state of Andhra Pradesh. The expendi-
ture incurred till June, 1991 on the setting up
of the Steel plant is Rs. 6873.42 crores

(b) Government of Andhra Pradesh have
provided facilities including roads, power and
water supply for the steel plant. The details of
expenditure incurred by Government of
Andhra Pradesh on these facilities are not
available with Government of India.
However, for the water supply scheme from
Yeleru River. Government of Andhra
Pradesh obtained loan assistance of Rs. 70
crores from Government of India.

(c) VSP have so far provided employment to 15073 persons which include 5273 displaced persons whose lands and dwellings were acquired for the project. Government do not propose to maintain information in regard to the employees of Central Government enterprises on the basis of regional origin of 'such employees.

Water supply in Bombay Region

1785. SHRI NARESH C. PUGLIA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state;

(a) whether Government have received any project report for water supply in Bombay Metropolitan Region from the State Government of Maharashtra;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) whether Government have taken any decision thereon; and

(d) if not, what are the reasons there

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) The Government of Maharashtra has submitted the Maharashtra Water Supply and Sewerage Project, Stage II to be implemented in the phases at a total estimated cost of Rs. 614 crores. The project envisages water supply to the Municipal Corporation of Thana and Kalyan, 67 towns, 17 urbanisable rural areas and 303 villages in the Bombay Metropolitan Region. In addition sewerage and low cost sanitation facilities is proposed to be provided in the towns, including Thana and Kalyan and surrounding urbanised areas. On examination of the proposal it was found that it needed further modifications by the State Government. The State Government has been suitably advised.

Protection of Coconut Cultivation in Kerala

1786. SHRI RAMACHANDRAN PILLAI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state the steps Government propose to take to protect the Coconut Cultivation in Kerala which is affected by 'Root wilt disease'?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): The Coconut Development Board (CDB) under the Ministry of Agriculture is implementing a programme for the removal of root wilt affected palms in Kerala. Affected Palms are removed and replanting taken up with quality seedlings.

The scheme is being implemented by the Coconut Development Board through the Government of Kerala and the expenditure shared on a 50 per cent basis. The area proposed to be covered in the State during 1991-92 is 10,000 hectares.

इंदिरा सरोवर (बोधघाट) पन-बिजली परियोजना बरसूर, मध्य प्रदेश

1787. श्री अजीत जोगी : क्या जल संसाधन मंत्री यह बनाने की योजना करेंगे कि :

(क) मध्य प्रदेश में इंदिरा सरोवर (बोधघाट) पन बिजली परियोजना, बरसूर को पर्यावरणीय स्वीकृति की वर्तमान स्थिति क्या है;

(ख) क्या यह परियोजना बरसूर के हजारों आदिवासियों को विस्थापित करके कार्यान्वित की जाएगी; और

(ग) इस परियोजना पन विभिन्न शीर्षों के अधीन अब तक व्यय की गयी धनराशि का शीर्ष-वार व्यय क्या है ?

जल संसाधन मंत्री (श्री विद्याचरण शुक्ल): (क) से (ग) बोधघाट पन-बिजली परियोजना को 16-11-1978 को केंद्रीय विद्युत प्राधिकरण द्वारा 209-30