Development Department (Engineerring Cell), University Guest House Section, part of Heaith Centre, Education Section of Library, Laboratories, University Services Instrumentation Centre, Department of Education and Central School.

Written Answers

- (c) According to the information furnished by University Grants Commission, the Commission has released an amount of Rs. 13.14 crores for construction of buildings and campus since 1975-76.
- (d) and (e) According to the information furnished by the University, State police has been involved in investigation related to a few instances of theft and other crimes in the Shillong Campus. State police have also investigated murder of Dr. S.C. Banwar, Acting Vice-Chancellor, in 1981, and is currently investigating the murder of Dr. M. C. Joshi, Dean, School of Agricultural Sciences and Rural Development, Medziphema in Nagaland. All the six accused in the murder of Dr. Banwar were discharged. In Dr. Joshi's case, the investigation is still not completed.

CBI was involved in 1985 in the investigation regarding irregularities and defalcation worth R<sub>2</sub>, 51.39 lakhs in the purchase of Damp Proof Sealing Cement. Three Officers were chargesheeted, and the case against them is pending in the High Court. 3 Officers against whom CBI recommended departmental action have since been acquitted.

CBI recommended in 1988 Departmental proceeding against an Astt, Engineer for recording exaggerated measurements of work in construction of Ring Road around the permanent campus, thereby causing a loss of Rs. 1.27 lakhs to the University. Departmental proceeding are in progress.

CBI trapped two Medical Officers of the University in December 1989 for charging consultation fee even though were drawing non-practicing allowance.

CBI has recommended departmental proceedings against both the Officers.

CBI was also involved in a raid in December 1989 on the Engineering Cell in connection with the stores of the University. CBI has recommended departmental action against the Junior Engineer in charge of the store. The University has asked for the Engineer's explanation.

## 31st International Mathematics Olympiad held in Beijing

\*264. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) what was India's ranking in the final tally of the 31st International Mathematical Olympiad held in Beijing in China recently;
- (b) whether Government propose to provide more facilities to them keeping in view, the 1994 International Mathematical Olympiad to be hosted by India; and
- (c) whether Govt propose to send students to International Olympiad for Physics and Chemistry also, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHIMAN-BHAI MEHTA): (a) No rankings were formally announced. However, based on the scores of the contestants. India ranked 16th out of 54 in the final tally of the 31st International Mathematics Olympiad held in Beijing in China recently.

- (b) The question of hosting the 1994 International Mathematics Olympiad by India has not been decided so far.
- (c) The proposal to send students to International Olympiad for. Physics and Chemistry will be considered, as and when an invitation on this behalf is received by the Government of India.