(b) and (c) Two more youth hostels have been sanctioned for construction at Tirupati and Vishakhapat-nam. A sum of Rs. 10. 00 lakhs has been sanctioned for the construction *ot* youth hostel at Tirupati.

Loan to State Governments for implementation of New Education Policy

493. SHRI PEABHAKAR RAO KALVALA:

SHRITALARIMANOHAR:

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

(a) whether there is any proposal to advance bank loans and- L. I. C loans for the implementation of the New Education Policy;

- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCA-TION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): Ca) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The National Policy on Edu-cation-1986 has envisaged several measures for raising non-government resources for education. These include mobilising donations, greater community involvement for maintenance of school buildings and supply of consumables effect savings by efficient use of facilities etc. It is. open to State Government to also consider other measures to finance the educational programmes in the context of the New Education Policy.

Tenders for coal handling,cinderpicking and ash handling at Kanpurand GMC loco sheds

494. SHRI KAILASH PAH MI-

SHRA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the names of Labour Cooperative Societies who submitted tenders in the year 1986 for coal handling, cinder picking and ash handling work etc. at Kanpur and GMC loco sheds;

'(b) the details <bf each tender, separately, during 1986-87;

(c) whether it is a fact that the rate for various items of work mentioned in the schedule and the other rates received were lower than the rates paid to the outgoing Society for the same job upto 15-9-86;

(d) whether further negotiations wer_e ordered/recommiended by the Tender Committee before finally* accepting the lowest tender as was done in case of tenders for similar work at Tundla Group; and

(e) if not, the reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) The names of the labour Cooperative Societies which submitted lenders are as follows: —

(i) Sarvodaya Shramik Sahkari Samvida Samiti Limited, Kanpur;

(ii) Tundla Railway Shram Samvida Sahkari Samiti Limited, Tundla;

(iii) Railway Shram Avam Nir-man Sahkari Samiti Limited, Tundla;

(iv) Parcel Handling Sahkari Shram Samvida Samiti Limited, Aligarh;

(v) Cycle Stand Karamchari Shram Samvida' Sahkari Samiti Limited, Allahabad; and

(vi) Railway Sahkari Shram Samvida Samiti Limited, Tundla.