

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM (MUFTI MOHD. SAYED): fa) The requisite information is given below:

(Rupees in lakhs)

<i>Year</i>	<i>Net Loss</i>
1983-84	18. 01
1984-85	58. 39
1985-86	37. 34

(b) It will be known after March, 1987 after the close of the financial year.

(c) During the current year, an amount of the order of Rs. 5. 36 lakhs was paid to the employees of Akbar Hotel as bonus @ 8. 33% for the year 1985-86.

Payments to investors by brokers of Delhi Stock Exchange

2793. DR. H. P. SHARMA: SHRI BHAGATRAM: MANHAR:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in pursuance of Government directive issued to the Delhi Stock Exchange Board vide his Ministry's letter No. F. 1/6/SE/84, dated February 15, 1984, the Board had decided that all pending transactions upto February 12, 1984 be settled by delivery upto March 23, 1984, or else by closing them out at the rate as prevalent on March 26, 1984;

(b) if so, whether the transactions so settled by way of closing them out at the rates as prevalent on March 26, 1984 have not been factually settled to far by way of actual payment of dues arising therefrom by the broker members of the Exchange to the investors;

(c) whether payments to the tune of over 50 lakhs still remain to be made by the brokers; and

(d) if so, what steps Government contemplate to expedite payments to the investors ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) All the transactions which were closed out at the rates as prevalent on 26-3-84 could not be settled on account of considerable work involved in verification of claims etc. The Delhi Stock Exchange has estimated the total payment involved in the transactions at about Rs. 40 lakhs.

(d) Government have directed the Delhi Stock Exchange to take immediate action to settle the pending cases.

Employers' liabilities

2794. SHRIMATI SUDHA VIJAY JOSHI: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether any proposal is under Government's consideration to make it compulsory for each employer to insure his statutory liability under Workmen's Compensation Act, Factories Act, etc., so that workmen who are not getting cover-age under the Employees' State Insurance Scheme are adequately protected;

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

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI P. A. SANGMA): (a) to (c) There is a proposal to provide for compulsory insurance of employers' liability under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923. The details of the proposal are, however, yet to be finalised. As regards the Factories Act, there is no such proposal under consideration of the Government, as the Factories Act does not deal with compensation to workers for disability arising in the course of employment.

मैडक की टांगों का निर्यात

2795. श्री शरद यादव : क्या बाणिज्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार का ध्यान 11 सितम्बर, 1986 के 'नई दुनिया' में, "मैडक की समाप्त टाइम-ब्रम साबित होगी" शीर्षक की अन्तर्गत प्रकाशित समाचार की ओर दिलाया