

(b) If so, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Fire at Northern Railway Workshop Jagadhari

381. SHRI RAM NARESH KUSHAWAHA: Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a number of coaches were completely destroyed in a devastating fire at the Northern Railway workshop, Jagadhari;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof together with the estimated losses suffered as a result thereof; and

(c) what is the result of the inquiry, if any, conducted by Government into the fire and what action has been taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAV RAO SCINDIA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) On 8-6-1986 at about 18.00 hrs. a fire broke out in Jagadhari Workshop in which 12 coaches were damaged. Besides this, damage was also caused to repair shop, Electrical wirings and fittings and Tools & Plants items. Total estimated loss is about Rs. 10,77,086/-.

(c) An Enquiry Committee which included a fire expert from the Ministry of Home Affairs enquired into the matter. Its report is still awaited.

Regional Medical Research Centre at Dibrugarh

382. SHRI NAGEN SAIKIA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Regional Medical Research centre at Dibrugarh, Assam set up by the Indian Council of Medical Research, has not been able to take up any research project till date;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the construction of the permanent buildings and other things like boundary walls Pump House, overhead tank, underground tank, etc. have not been started in spite of a huge amount of money lying with the CPWD for the purpose;

(c) the amount of money spent so far by the Centre during the last four years; and

(d) what measures Government propose to take to put the Centre of the right courses?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The land for construction of building has been acquired last year. The construction of boundary wall and drainage has already been started. The architectural plans for construction of building have been finalised and money deposited with CPWD in 1986 to initiate construction of the building.

(c) The Centre has spent Rs.92.56 lakhs during the period from 1982 to 1985.

(d) The Regional Medical Research Centre Dibrugarh is functioning according to the objectives and towards achieving the purpose for which it has been created. The Centre is rightly moving in this direction.

Computerisation in Railway Reservation

383. SHRIMATI RATAN KUMARI: Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the computerised Railway Reservation system installed in Delhi had