

.with State Governments/Union Territories. Four hotels at Gauhati, Pari, Ranchi and Bhopal are expected to be completed during 1986-87 and the remaining two at Itanagar and Pondicherry during the* year 1987-83.

Structural works have been completed for the hotel project at Puri which has been taken up in collaboration with the Orissa Tourism Development Corporation. External and internal plastering is in progress.

Textile mills in Kerala

2203. SHRI THOMAS KUTHIRAVATTOM: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:-

(a) what is the number of textile mills in Kerala;

(b) what is the number of mills * under the private management and how many are under the control of National Textile Corporation;

(c) whether there is any development scheme in regard to Prabhu Ram Textile Mill, Chengannur, Kerala; and

(d) if so, what are the details there-

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI KHURSHID ALAM KHAN): (a) and (b) As on 1 March, 1986, 28 Cotton textile mills (23 spinning and 5 composite) are located in the State of Kerala and managed as under;

National Textile Corporation	4
Kerala State Textile Corporation	6
Cooperative Sector	3
Private Sector	15
TOTAL	28

(c) and (d) Prabhu Ram Textile Mill, Chengannur, was nationalised by the State Government on 5-10-84, and, therefore, the State Government is responsible for development and management of the mill.

Assistance from World Bank of readymade garments industry

2204. SHRI GULAM MOHI-UD-DIN SHAWL: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the World Bank had recently studied the status of readymade garments industry, the Bank's assistance offered, the mode of receiving assistance by India etc.; and

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

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Export of readymade garments

2205. SHRI GULAM MOHI-UD-DIN SHAWL: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state: .

(a) whether it is a fact that the Apparel Export Promotion Council and the Garments Association have submitted to Government recommendations, for increasing the exports of readymade garments;

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

(c) what action Government have taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI KHURSHID ALAM KHAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The Government have been receiving suggestions from the Apparel Export Promotion Council and other Garment Associations for export promotion from time to time. A list of export promotion measures already implemented by the Government is annexed as per statement below.