

**Recognition of Janata Mazdoor Sangh
by the National Eastern Collieries
Limited**

1614. DR. SHANTI G. PATEL:
Will the Minister of LABOUR be
pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware
that recognition has not been accorded to
the Janata Mazdoor Sangh by Hie
National Eastern Collieries Limited;
though 6000 coal workers of Ledo
Mazgherita area in Upper Assam
(Dibrugarh District) joined it last year;

(b) whether Government are also
aware that attention of the Assistant
Labour Commissioner of the Central
Labour Department, Guwahati has been
drawn to the suspension of many
workers and office-bearers belonging to
the Janata Mazdoor Sangh; and

(c) if so, what action has been taken
by Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE
MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI T.
ANJATAH): (a) Government have no
information in the matter.

(b) and (c) Yes, Sir. The Assistant
Labour Commissioner (Central), Gu-
wahati is holding discussion's with
parties.

**Anomaly in the fixation of seniority of
Direct recruits**

1615. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA:
Will the Minister of INFORMATION
AND BROADCASTING be pleased to
refer to the reply to Unstarred Queſ-tion
1387 and 1805 given in the Rajya Sabha
-on the 29th March, 1985 and 37th May,
1985 and state:

• (a) the circumstances that led to the
development of an anomalous position
which gave "unintended benefit" in terms
of *inter-se* seniority in the integrated
service roster of the CIS to the 1975
batch of direct recruits into the Junior
Administrative Grade as per tjuota-rota
system in the Home Ministry Office
Memorandum No. 9/11/55 dated 22nd
December, 1959; and

(b) the *ratio, decidendi* to amend the
CIS Rules, 1959 to remove the said
anomalous position which came into
force in January, 1982 with retrospective
effect?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE
MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND
BROADCASTING (SHRI V. N.
GADGIL): (a) and (b) No direct
recruitment could be made to the Junior
Administrative Grade of Central
Information Service during the period
from 1966 to 1974 due to various
administrative reasons. This resulted in a
back-log of 7 vacancies in direct
recruitment quota, selec-tion to these
was made by the UPSC in 1975 only.

Application of normal rdta-quota
tystem as provided in Home Ministry's
Office Memorandum No. 9/11/55 dated
22nd December, 1959 would have
extended certain unintended* benefit in
terms of higher seniority to ithese direct
recruits as they would. have ranked
senior to a number of departmental
Promotees who had been promoted to
the Junior Administrative and higher
grades of the Service years earlier.

In order to avoid this anomalous
situation, the CIS Rules, 1959 were
amended providing that the said group
of direct recruits would rank junior to
the promotees promoted to this grade on
or before 17th July, 1974.

**Identification of hazardous industrial
units**

1616. SHRI CHATURANAN
MISHRA:

SHRI GURUDAS DAS
GUPTA;

SHRI N. E. BALARAM:

Will the Minister of LABOUR be
pleased to gstate:

(a) whether Government are aware that
certain decisions have been taken for the
identification of hazardous industrial units
all over the country and 1 punishing its
owner, and the same has

been communicated to all the State Governments and the Union Territories; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the measures being taken for their proper implementation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI T. ANJIAH): (a) and (b) Section 87 of the Factories Act, 1948 gives powers to State Governments to declare any process or operation as dangerous and thereafter Rules can be prescribed by these Governments providing for detailed measures for protecting the safety and health of the workers. A list of 26 such processes have been recommended by the Central Government to State Governments for adoption. A copy of this list is attached. (See *below*) Government has advised the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations to amend the State Factories Rules and connected schedules incorporating the provisions of the model rules and model schedules, which contain control measures in relation to the twenty six dangerous manufacturing processes and which was also circulated to them.

The State Government/Union Territory Administrations have also been advised to set up Task Forces/ Committees who would survey the various manufacturing units in their States and identify the individual hazardous units and take appropriate measures for implementing the safety and health provisions of the Factories Act in these units.

Government is also considering amendment to the Factories Act so as to incorporate therein specific provisions relating to safety standards in hazardous industries, and for prescribing deterrent punishment for violation of the standards.

List of 26 hazardous process:

1. Manufacture of aerated water and processes incidental thereto.
2. Electrolytic plating or oxidation of metal articles by use of an electrolyte containing chromic acid or other chromium com-

pounds.

3. Manufacture and repair of electric accumulators.
4. Glass Manufacture.
5. Grinding or glazing of metals.
6. Manufacture and treatment of lead and certain compounds of lead.
7. Generating petrol gas from petrol.
8. Cleaning or smoothing, roughening, etc. of articles by a jet of sand, metal shot or grit or other abrasive propelled by a blast of compressed air or steam.
9. Lining and tanning of raw hides and skins and processes incidental thereto.
10. Certain lead processes carried on in printing presses and type incidental thereto.
11. Manufacture of pottery.
12. Chemical Works.
13. Manufacture of articles from refractory materials.
14. Handling and processing of asbestos, manufacture of any articles of asbestos and any other process of manufacture or otherwise in which asbestos is used in any form.
15. Handling or manipulation of corrosive substances.
16. Processing of cashewnut.
17. Compression of Oxygen and hydrogen produced by the electrolysis of water.
18. Process of extracting oils and fats from vegetables and animal sources in solvent extraction plants.
19. Manufacture or manipulation of manganese and its compounds.
20. Manufacture or manipulation of dangerous pesticides.
21. Manufacture, handling and uses of benzene substance containing benzene.
22. Manufacturing processes or operations in carbon disulphide plants.

23. Manufacture or manipulation of carcinogenic dye intermediates.
24. Operations involving High Noise Level.
- m 25. Manufacture of Rayon by viscose process.
26. Highly flammable liquids and flammable compressor gas.

States, Demand for one Exclusive Channel for Masses

1617. SHRI L. GANESAN:
SHRI V. GOPALSAMY;

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether any demand has been made by the State Governments for exclusive use of one T.V. channel for educating and entertaining the masses; and

(b) if so, what action Government are taking in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI V.N. GADGIL): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Flats in ASIAD Village

1618. SHRI L. GANESAN:
SHRI V. GOPALSAMY:

Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of flats which were constructed by DDA at

I Asiad Village and the cost of each flats;

(b) what is the number of flats which have been sold till date and the amount of money earned by DDA from the sale of these flats;

(c) what are the names of the persons who have purchased these flats;

(d) what is the capital blocked in this regard; and

(e) what steps are being taken for speedy disposal of these flats?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI ABDUL GHAFO. OR): (a) The number of flats in Asiad Village Complex is 853. The price of these flats having 29 different type design varies from Rs. 7,20,000 to Rs. 15,65,600.

(b) 266 flats including 15 flats for which full payment has yet to be received, have been sold. The amount collected is Rs. 26.87 crores.

<c> As given in the list enclosed. (See below)

(d) Rs. 69.63 crores.

(e) Government will soon be taking decision about the disposal of the remaining flats.

Persons/Institutions who have purchased Asiad Flats

Sl. No.	Name of Undertaking/Financial Institution	No. of Flats allotted
A. Institutions		
1	Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd.	26
2	Electronic Trade and Technology Development Corporation	1
3	Indian Oil Corporation Ltd.	10
4	Modern Road Industries	2
5	Indian Railway Construction Company	20