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82. SHRI R. K. JAICHANDRA SINGH: Will the Minister of LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Central Government have taken any decision to establish a permanent Bench of the Gauhati High Court at Imphal;

(b) If not, what are the reasons thefrefor; and

(c) what are Government's proposals for setting up of separate High Courts for Manipur and other North-Eastern States?

THE MINISTER OF LAW, JUS-TICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI JAGANNATH KAUSHAL): (a) No, Sir.

(b) The Jaswant Singh Commission, which was set up to consider the demand for the constitution of a Bench of the Allahabad High Court for the western districts of Uttar Pradesh, has been asked to examine and report also on all aspects of the general question of having Benches of High Courts at places other than their principal seats and on the broad principles and criteria to be followed in this regard and in particular on the demands for the establishment of permanent Benches of the High

Courts of Gauhati, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh and Madras. The Commission is to submit its report by 13th December, 1984.

(c) The Central Government do not propose setting UP separate High Courts for Manipur and other North-Eastern States at present.

Fertilizer plants

83. SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN **REDDY**:

SHRI HUKMDEO NARAYAN YADAV:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have taken any decision to set up new large capacity nitrogenous gas-based fertilizer plant₃ in the country; and

(b) if so, what are the details and in what part of the country they are to be set up?

THE MINISTER OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI VASANT SATHE): (a) and (b) It has been decided that six new gas-based fertilizer plants be set up at various locations in U.P., M.P. and Rajasthan. Details regarding location, ownership, capacity and estimated cost of each project are given in the attached statement.

Statement			
No. Location	Owaership	Estimated cost of the pro-	Date of commence- ment of
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1 Bijaipur, Guna District, M.P.	National Fertilizers Ltd. (NFL)	587.1	1-6-1984