(d) The stocks of foodgrains held with the FCI including stocks in transit as on 1-4-85 were as follows: -

Wheat Rice

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(Jn lakh lonnes)

Coarse Grains 95.91

75.15

0.02

Total:

171.08

The total stock level of foodgrains with the FCI is expected to be a little over 21 million tonnes by July 1985.

Activities of Foreign Charter Fishing **Boats**

1065. SHRI ADINARAYANA REDDY: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that numerous foreign charter fishing boats were surged off the coast of Keraia in 1984;
- (b) what steps are being taken by Government to protect small fishermen from such activities by large foreign boats permitted to use our waters;
- (c) whether Government propose to modify this policy in the interest of the fishing sector; and
 - (d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND DEVELOPMENT RURAL (SHRI CHANDULAL CHANDRAKAR): (a) Eight foreign chartered vessels were apprehended by the Coast Guard off the coast of Kerala on 26-7-1984 for fishing in waters below the prescribed depth limit of 40 fathoms.

(b) to (d) Chartering of foreign fishing vessels is governed by the provisions of the Maritime Zones of India (Regulation of fishing by foreign vessels) Act 1981

and the Rules framed thereunder. The area of operation of chartered vessels is defined in the MZ1 Rules 1982 keeping in view the interests of the small fishermen. Violation of the statutory provision is punishable under the MZI Act 1981 which provides for fine, imprisonment of crew and confiscation of the vessels

The operational details of the charter policy are reviewed from time to time and ne hanges have been introduced when found necessary.

Yield Ratio of Small and Marginal **Farmers**

1066. SHRI THANGABAALU: Wilt the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact diat the yield ratio of small and marginal farmers continue to lag behind and the bulk of the total cultivated area is operated by -mail marginal farmers; and
- (b) if so. what are the details of the Si 'Ps Government have taken to improve the productivity of the small holdings?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRL CHANDULAL CHANDRAKAR): (a) "Ihe yield rates are not gen< samll and marginal holdings separately in crop emting experiments_ Against the total area of 163 million hectar under all type of holdings, the area under small and marginal farmer's holding is about 43 million hectares which is about 26.3 per cent of the total area under all types of holdings.

(b) In order to improv* the productivity of small holdings, under the Centrally sponsored scheme of assistance

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ie Small and Marginal farmers for increasing agricultural production, an annul outlay of Rs. 5 lakh per block has been earmarked with the following break-up:

- (i) Subsidy on IRD pattern for minor irrigation works.
- (ii) Phntation of fuel and fruit trees.
- (Ui) Lumpsum allocation for free distribution of minikits of seeds and fertilisers for oilseeds and pulses production, 1 nd development and cost of staff

Rs. 3.50 lakh

Rs. 0.50 lakh

Rs. 1.00 lakh

TOTAL: Rs. 5.00 hkh

The cost oF^fhe scheme i_s shared on 50:50 basi_s between the Centre and the States. In the case of Union Territories the entire provision is met by the Government of India.

D.M.S. Booth/Mother Dairy Milk outlet in Maurya Enclave

1067. SHRI J. P. GOYAL: Will the r ol AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government are aware of the Jemand for D.M.S, booth and Mother Dairy milk outlet and vegetable shop in Maurya Enclave. Delhi; and
- (b) if so, what action Govrnment have taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE TN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DULAL CHANDRAKAR): (a) Requests have been received for opening of D.M.S, and Mother Dairy milk booths. No request for setting up Mother Dairy's fnu't and vegetable shop has been received from Maurya Enclave.

(b) Tw₀ insulated containers have heen installed at Maurya t*i*ilave for selling toned milk of Mother Dairy.

Delhi Development Authority has allotted a site in Maurya Enclave for construction of a DMS booth. Construction of the booth will be taken up after the approval of Delhi Urban Arts Commission is obtained through Delhi Development Authority.

विदेशों में निर्माण कार्य करने वाली कम्पनियां

1068. श्री हुक्मदेव नारायण यादव: क्या श्रम मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

- (क) विदेशों में निर्माण का ठेका लेने वालों श्रीर भारत से मजदूरों को उन देशों में भेजने वाली कम्पनियों के नाम श्रीर पते क्या हैं:
- (ख) क्या यह सच है कि उन कम्पनियों की ग्रोर मजदूरों के भविष्य निधि की धन-राशि वकाया है; और
- (ग) यदि हां, तो उनमें मे प्रत्येक कम्पनी की ग्रोर पृथक-पृथक रूप ये कितनी धनराशि बकाया है तथा इसकी वसूली के लिए क्या कार्यवाही की गई है।

अम मंत्रास्त्र के राज्य मंत्री (श्री टी॰ श्रंजीया): (क) विवरम संलग्न है।

(ख) ग्रीर (ग) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है भ्रीर भदन की मेज पर रख दी जाएगी ।

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