

Employment under RLEGP in North Eastern States

1846. SHRI JERLIE E. TARIANG: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons provided employment in different North Eastern States and Union Territories under the Rural Landless Employment Guarantee Programme during the financial year 1984-85; and

(b) the target fixed for providing employment in the above States and Union Territories during the current financial year?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDULAL CHANDRAKAR): (a) and (b) The progress under the Rural Landless Employment Guarantee Programme is at present being monitored not in terms of the number of persons provided with employment but in terms of the number of mandays of employment generated. The number of mandays of employment generated in each North-Eastern States and Union Territory under the RLEGP during 1984-85 is indicated in the annexed statement alongwith the provisional targets fixed for employment generation during 1985-86.

Statement

Employment generated under RLEGP during 1984-85 and the provisional employment generation target fixed for 1985-86 in the North Eastern States and Union Territories:

Name of the State/ Union Territory	Employment generated under RLEGP during 1984-85 (Provisional figures) (Lakh Mandays)	Provisional Employment target for 1985-86 (Lakh Mandays)
1. Assam	35.66	35.69
2. Manipur	3.69	2.08
3. Meghalaya	2.64
4. Nagaland	2.80	1.38
5. Tripura	6.26	6.53
6. Arunachal Pradesh	1.43
7. Mizoram	2.55	1.31

Supply of Wheat/rice to North Eastern States

1847. SHRI JERLIE E. TARIANG: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state the total quantity of rice and wheat supplied to different North Eastern States and Union Territories under the National Rural Employment Programme during the years 1983-84 and 1984-85?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHANDULAL CHANDRAKAR): A statement indicating the quantity of foodgrains (Rice and Wheat) allocated/released to North Eastern States/U.Ts. under National Rural Employment Programme during the years 1983-84 and 1984-85 and the quantities reported to have been lifted against the same as per the information received so far is enclosed