

(b) what is the capacity of private godowns hired by the Food Corporation of India during the last three years; and

(c) what is the quantity of foodgrains damaged during the above period for want of proper storage facilities?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (RAO BIRENDRA SINGH): (a) Of the Food Corporation of India's total covered storage capacity of 19.26 million tonnes as on 31-12-1984,

8.88 million tonnes was owned by Food Corporation of India, 4.04 million tonnes was hired from the Government undertakings, namely, Central Warehousing Corporation and State Warehousing Corporations and 0.85 million tonnes was hired from the State Governments.

(b) The covered storage capacity hired by the Food Corporation of India from the private parties during about last three years was as follows:—

As on	Capacity in million tonnes
3E-3-1982	5.52
33-3-1983	5.02
31-3-1984	5.16
31-12-1984	5.49

(c) The quantity of foodgrains damaged in transit and storage including cover and plinth (CAP) storage during the last three years was as follows:—

Year	Quantity in lakh tonnes
1981-82	0.78
1983-	0.48
84	1.01

All India Radio Stations at Kota

*154. SHRI BHUVNESH CHATURVEDI: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether construction work of the All India Radio Station building at Kota in Rajasthan has been started; and

(b) if so, by when the building is likely to be completed and the station commissioned?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI V. N. GADGIL): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Construction of building is expected to be completed by July, 1985. Departmental works relating to the transmitter and the studio fixtures will, thereafter, be taken up; these are likely to be completed by March, 1986. The Station will be commissioned soon thereafter.

Allotment of flats under HUDCO Scheme by DDA

*155. SHRI VISHWABANDHU GUPTA: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Delhi Development Authority have allotted any flats to persons registered under the HUDCO scheme;

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE
MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND
BROADCASTING (SHRI V. N. , GADGIL):
(a) Despite the existing constraints like limited
programme production facilities at Doordarshan
Kendra, Ahmedabad and need to depend on
normal air-service for despatch of news
coverages from Ahmedabad to Delhi,
programmes