

(b) the amount estimated for the development and expansion of Gauhati Railway Station for the year 1983-84?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C. K. JAFFAR SHARIEF): (a) The total expenditure incurred for the development and expansion of Gauhati Railway Station for the years 1980-81, 1981-82 and 1982-83 is as under:—

Year	Amount spent
1980-81 ..	Rs. 43,000
1981-82 ..	Rs. 50,000
1982-83 ..	Rs. 2,68,000

(b) The expenditure expected to be incurred during 1983-84 for the development and expansion of Gauhati Railway Station building in 1983-84 is expected to be approximately Rs. 2.82 lakhs. This excludes the cost of yard remodelling in connection with provision of new Broad Gauge line upto Gauhati.

Complaints from States in regard to non-supply of essential commodities

3159. SHRI ROBIN KAKATI: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the States who have in recent months complained that essential commodities are not being supplied by State Trading Corporation fully and timely to them for distribution in time; and

(b) if so, the action taken in this regard?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS AND IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI M. S. SANJEEVI RAO): (a) and (b) The States of Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu, Kerala, Karnataka, West Bengal, Orissa and Madhya Pradesh had requested for extension of time to lift their back-log to edible oils for the last oil years 1982-83. The lifting of the back-log of 1,08,370 Mts. of edible oils was permitted by the

Government in the case of these States till the end of November, 1983.

Rajdhani Express

3160. SHRI CHANDAN K. BAGCHI: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) what steps Government are taking to improve the services in the Rajdhani Express between New Delhi and Howrah;

(b) whether Government have any plan to increase the frequency of the Rajdhani Express; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C. K. JAFFAR SHARIEF): (a) The services are generally satisfactory. More intensive inspections are being carried out to improve the service further.

(b) Not in the near future.

(c) Does not arise.

दिल्ली बाढ़ नियन्त्रण विभाग द्वारा शुरू की गई बाढ़ नियंत्रण योजनाएं

3161. श्री हरी शंकर भाभड़ा: क्या सिंचाई मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या पिछले तीन वर्षों के दौरान दिल्ली बाढ़ नियंत्रण विभाग ने दिल्ली तथा इसके निकटवर्ती क्षेत्रों में आने वाली बाढ़ को रोकने के लिए क्या उपाय किये हैं ;

(ख) प्रत्येक वर्ष के दौरान कितनी कितनी राशि खर्च की गई ;

(ग) क्या यह सच है कि सरकार को उक्त विभाग के कार्यकारण में अनियमितताओं के संबंध में शिकायतें प्राप्त हुई हैं ; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो इस संबंध में क्या कार्यवाही की गई है ?