

by the decision of the National Development Council.

(d) A request to introduce a centrally sponsored scheme for slum improvement was made by the State Government in the Conference of the 19th meeting of the Central Council of local Government and Urban Development held on 4th and 5th February, 1982.

(e) The suggestion to introduce a centrally sponsored scheme for improvement of slums had also been made at the last meeting of the Central Council in December, 1980. It was not found possible to introduce such a scheme in the Central Sector.

Construction of Houses under the New Pattern Scheme, 1979 by DDA

2198. SHRI SHRIDHAR WASUDEO
DHABE: DR. BHAI MAHAVIR:

Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state the number of houses which have been constructed during the last two years under the New Pattern Scheme 1979 by Delhi Development Authority category-wise?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI BHISHMA NARAIN SINGH): The details, as reported by the DDA, are as under:

(i) No houses were constructed during 1979-80.

(ii) 5963 houses were constructed during 1980-81, the break-up of which is given below:

Category	Number
MIG	801
LIG	968
Janta	2014
EWS	2180

J.N.U. Library

2199. SHRI V. GOPALSAMY;
SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN .
REDDY:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total expenditure incurred on Jawahar Lal Nehru University Library during the last three years;

(b) the number of books in JNU Library, the names of periodicals that are being subscribed by JNU Library; and

(c) whether Government have received any complaint with regard to the functioning of the periodical sections of the library; if so, what action has been taken on them and if no, what are the reasons for the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRIES OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE AND SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRIMATI SHEILA KAUL): (a) Rs. 88.97 lakhs.

(b) On 31st August, 1981, there were 2,22,932 books in the Library. The Library has been subscribing to 1,578 periodicals during 1980. The list of* these periodicals is available with the Library for consultation.

(c) In a communication addressed to the President, in his capacity as the Visitor of JNU, a Member of Parliament had referred to certain alleged irregularities in the functioning of JNU Library. These allegations have been brought to the notice of Vice-Chancellor.

Closure of Jamia Millia Islamia

2200. SHRI KRISHNA CHANDRA
PANT;
SHRI SYED SHAHABUD-
DIN:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state: