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				under discussion between two State Govts. The Pandiar Punnapuzha tail race scheme of Kerala can be considered for clearance only after a decision on the implementation of Tamil Nadu Scheme is taken.
6. Silent Valley Hydel Project.	2x60	58.00	1977	The Project has been cleared by the Central Electricity Authority in Feb., 1979. However, in view of the serious reservations expressed by Environmentalists and Ecologists all over the World, the matter is under re-examination.
7. Puyankutty Hydel Project	750	565.15	April 1981	The project report is currently under examination in the CEA/CWC and Deptt. of Power. The scheme would be considered for techno-economic clearance after its technical and economic feasibility is established.

A.I.R. Station at Imphal

*411. SHRI NARASINGHA
PRASAD NANDA:

SHRI SHRIDHAR
WASUDEO DHABE:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Imphal Station of the All India Radio was the target of attack by an extremists gang on or about the 5th December, 1981;

(b) if so, how many persons were killed and what was the extent of damage to the Radio Station;

(c) how many incidents of this type took place there since 1st January, 1981; and

(d) what steps the Central Government have taken to protect the lives of staff and Government property?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI VASANT SATHE): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) There was no damage to Station or its property. However, a woman, an outsider, who was also outside the AIR campus was killed in exchange of fire between the security forces and the attackers.

(c) This is the first incident of this type that has taken place at AIR, Imphal since 1st January, 1981.

(d) Adequate Central Reserve Police Force Personnel are already deployed. Patrolling has since been intensified.