(iii) modernisation and rehabilitation of plants;

(iv) Import of raw materials; and

(v) Setting up of an Expert Group to conduct in-depth studies of selected enterprises with poor capacity utilisation is under consideration of the Government.

Fillip to Ancillary Industries

1345. SHRI PILOO MODY: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state the action taken by different Public Sector Enterprises to give fillip to ancillary industries as a result of the directive given by the Bureau of Public Enterprises in May, 1978 and what has been the actual achievement so far?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI MANGANBHAI BAROT): 1. A number of public enterprises have set up Ancillary Development Advisory Committees to advise and assist the management on matters of policy and planning of ancillarisation

2. A number of public enterprises have conducted techno-economic survey to $identif_y$ items and services which can be off-loaded to the ancillaries.

3. According to the available information, there has been a marked growth in terms of number of anpurchases $cillar_v$ units a_s well as made from Ancillary/Small Scale Industries sector during 1979-80. While the number of ancillary units has gone up from 805 in 1978-79 to 888 in 1979-80, puchases from Ancillary/ Small Scale Industries sector have increased from Rs. 96.44 crores in 1978-79 to approximately Rs. 118.92 crores in 1979-80.

Emoluments of public sector employees

1346. SHRI PILOO MODY: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the average emolument of public sector employees has increased $2\frac{1}{2}$ times during the last decade;

(b) what are the names of the undertakings where maximum increase has taken place and where minimum increase has taken place; and

(c) whether Government have made a study of the comparative position of emoluments of employees in the private sector undertakings and if so, what are the details of the study?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI MAGANBHAI BAROT): (a) The average emoluments of public sector employees in 1969-70 and 1978-79 were R_s 4731 and Rs 11,032 per annum respectively. The increase was 2,33 times in the course of this period.

(b) Detailed information undertaking-wise relating to the year 1968-69 is no longer preserved. Undertaking-wise information is available from 1973-74. Based on that, the maximum and minimum increase have taken place in the following enterprises:

Name of Enterprises Percentage i crease from 1973-74 to 1978-79

Maximum

Hindustan Organic Chemicals	246 %
Air India	229%
Minimum	
Hindustan Prefab Ltd.	111%
National Mineral Dev. Corpn.	118%

(c) N_0 study has been conducted of the comparative position of emoluments of employees in the private sector undertakings