

(c) No, Sir.

Indian exports to Gulf countries

456. SHRI MULKA GOVINDA REDDY: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that many prestigious Indian firms have recently failed to meet delivery schedules in export orders to Gulf Countries; and

(b) if so, what steps are being taken by Government to improve the performance of Indian exporters so as to regain the confidence of the overseas buyers in that area?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI): (a) No specific complaint against any prestigious Indian firm in regard to failure to meet delivery schedules against export orders from Gulf Countries has come to the notice of Government in recent months.

(b) Does not arise.

457. [Transferred to the 26th June 1980.]

Tripartite meeting with Industry and leading labour unions to discuss industrial relations

458. SHRI DHARAMCHAND JAIN: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to hold a tripartite meeting with industry and leading labour unions to discuss industrial relations; and

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI T. ANJIAH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The details are yet to be finalised.

Destruction of tourist cottages at I.T.D.C. tourist complex at Mahaballipuram

459. SHRI DHARAMCHAND JAIN: Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the tourist cottages destroyed at India Tourism Development Corporation tourist complex at Mahaballipuram near Madras;

(b) the cause for the destruction of these cottages;

(c) the total loss suffered as a result of the incident; and

(d) what is the revenue earned by India Tourism Development Corporation from the tourist complex during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI C. L. CHANDRAKAR): (a) Six double bedded cottages bearing serial numbers 5 to 10<sup>1</sup> have been destroyed by the sea erosion at the Temple Bay Ashok Beach Resort, Mahaballipuram, during the period June to November, 1979.

(b) The damage to the I.T.D.C. Beach Complex has been caused by the construction of the groyne wall near the shore temple.

(c) The capital loss is estimated at Rs. 8 lakhs on the basis of replacement value of the six cottages.

(d) The revenue earned by I.T.D.C. from Beach Resort during the last three years is indicated below: —

Year	Revenue Earned (Rs. in lakhs)
1977-78	11.89
1978-79	12.74
1979-80	11.52 (Prov.)