ernments to pay Rs. 60/- per persons per month by way of old-age pension to approximately 0.1 per cent of the old and destitute population in general on the basis of 1971 census. In view of this no separate assistance is contemplated.

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972. SHRI K. L. N. PRASAD: SHRI N. P. CHENGALRAYA NAIDU:

WUI the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Government propose to introduce a trp-pospheric communication link for providing high quality telecommunication service with USSR:
- (b) if so, by when it is likely to be operational;
- (c) what will be the main purpose of this telecommunication link;
 - (d) what is the likely cost involved for the Indian terminal of the tropo link; and $-r \setminus r$
- (e) what will be the shares of Governments of USSR and India in providing assistance for this project?

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI C. M. STEPHEN): (a) Yes, Sir. A project for the installation of a Troposcatter Communication link between India and USSR is under implementation.

- (b) By early 1981.
- (c) Provision of reliable telecommunication facilities between the two countries.
 - (d) Rs. 3.90 crores (estimated).
- (e) Each side will meet the cost of its terminal facilities.
 - 973. [Transferred to the 26th June, 1980].

दिल्ती में सड़कों का विकास कार्य

974 श्री जगदीश प्रसाद माथुर श्री कलराज मिश्र : श्री हरी शंकर भाभड़ा :

क्या निर्माण ग्रीर ग्रावास मंत्री यह वताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

- (क) क्या यह सच है कि दिल्ली विकास प्राधिकरण के स्लम विभाग का कोई ऐसा प्रस्ताव था कि सराय रोहेल्ला क्षेत्र में पदम नगर, बाग कड़े खां की कुछ सड़कों को ग्राजाद मार्ग ग्रीर पुरानी रोहतक रोड से जोड़ दिया जाये तथा उसी क्षेत्र में विगाल मार्केट ग्रीर पार्किंग इत्यादि के लिये भी भूमि की व्यवस्था की जाये;
- (ख) यदि हां, तो इस संबंध में क्या कार्यवाही की गई है ग्रौर इस. प्रयोजन के लिये ग्रावश्यक स्थल कब तक ग्राजित किये जायेंगे ; ग्रौर
- (ग) उक्त विकास कार्य के कब तक पूरा हो जाने की संभावना है?

† [Development work of roads in -Delltfi 974. SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD MATHUR:

SHRI KALRAJ MISHRA: "SHRI HARISHANKAR BHABHRA:

Will the Minister of WORKS AND' HOUSING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the slum department of Delhi Develop ment Authority had a proposal t* connect gome roads in Padam Nagar, Bagh Kare Khan, Sarai Rohilla area to Azad Marg and old Rohtak Road, Delhi, and to provide land in the same area for a big market and park ing etc;
- (b) if so, what action has been taken in this regard and by whea the necessary sites will be acquired, for the purpose; a jid
 - †[] English translation.