

(ख) यदि नहीं, तो इन कार्यालयों में सभी नाम फलकों को कब तक दोनों भाषाओं में कर देने का प्रस्ताव है ?

Use of Bi-lingual name plates in the offices under the Department of Science and Technology

472. DR. LOKESH CHANDRA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state;

(a) whether bi-lingual name plates are being used in all the offices located in Delhi under the Department of Science and Technology; and

(b) if not, by when all the name plates are proposed to be made bilingual in these offices?]

प्रधान मंत्री (श्री मोरारजी आर० देसाई) : (क) और (ख) विज्ञान और प्रौद्योगिकी विभाग के अधीन दिल्ली स्थित अधिकांश कार्यालयों में द्विभाषी नाम फलकों का इस्तेमाल किया जा रहा है। शेष कार्यालयों में नाम फलकों के द्विभाषी रूप में शीघ्र ही प्रदर्शित किए जाने की आशा है।

f [THE PRIME MINISTER (SHRI MORARJI R. DESAI): (a) and (b) Bi-lingual name plates are being used in majority of the offices located at Delhi under the Department of Science and Technology. In the remaining cases, name plates in bi-lingual form are expected to be displayed shortly.]

473. [Transferred to the 14th March, 1978.]

t[] English translation.

Setting up of handloom and cottage industries in the Andaman and Nicobai Islands

474. SHRI MULKA GOVINDA
EEDDY: SHRI SYED
NIZAM-UD-DIN: SHRI
NAGESHWAR PRASAD-
SHAH; SHRI
JAGAN NATH
BHARDWAJ: SHRI
DEORAO PATIL; SHRI
SANAT KUMAR
RAHA: SHRI S. K.
VAISHAMPA-
YEN;

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state;

(a) whether it is a fact that there has not been much development of handloom and cottage industries in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands; and

(b) if so, what steps Government are taking to set up handloom and cottage industries in the small scale sector in these Islands?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES): (a) and (b) Andaman & Nicobar Islands are rich in forest resources which provide great scope for development of forest resource-based handicrafts. The Andaman & Nicobar Islands Administration is seized of the need to develop handicrafts in these Islands. The Administration has proposed an outlay of Rs. 2.55 lakhs for the Annual Plan 1978-79.

There are no Commercial type of handlooms in Andaman and Nicobar Islands. The administration of Andaman and Nicobar Islands have not sent any proposals to Government of India for development of handloom industry.