(ख) यदि नहीं, तो इन कार्यालयों में सभी नाम फलकों को कब तक दोनों भाषाग्रों 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 ग्रार० देसाई): (क) ग्रीर (ख) विज्ञान ग्रीर प्रोद्योगिकी विभाग के ग्रधीन दिल्ली स्थित ग्रधिकांश कार्यालयों में द्विभाषी नाम फलकों का इस्तेमाल किया जा रहा है। शष कार्यालयों में नाम फलकों के द्विवभाषी रूप में शीध्न ही प्रदिशत किए जाने की ग्राशा है।

†[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.]

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

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> SHRI SYED NIZAM-UD-DIN: SHRI NAGESHWAR PRASAD SHAHI

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.