

(b) if so, what are the findings thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI DHARAM BIR SINHA) : (a) Yes, Sir. The survey has primarily been undertaken by the Indian Space Research Organisation of the Department of Space. Their Social scientists, through a feed-back system, have been obtaining the viewers' reaction on all programmes telecast during SITE experiment till mid-February and then from 15th June till the end of July, 1976. A limited survey has also been done by Doordarshan to study experimentation in one video two audio channel transmission in SITE in the Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka regions. The field work and tabulation has been completed. The report will be available in September next.

(b) The people have been found to be receptive especially for the instructional programmes, such as on health and hygiene, agriculture, animal husbandry and family planning.

Composition of the committee set up by the Electronics Commission

233. SHRI SHRIKANT VERMA : Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Electronics Commission has set up a Committee to suggest safety measures against leakage of information from data processed in computers; and

(b) if so, what is the composition of the Committee?

THE PRIME MINISTER (SHRIMATI INDIRA GANDHI) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Officer-On-Special-Duty (Computer) in the Department of Electronics is the Chairman; and representatives from the Cabinet Secretariat, Ministries of Home Affairs, Defence and Communications, Departments of Atomic Energy and Science & Technology, Planning Commission, Space Commission, Information Planning and Analysis Group of the Electronics Commission, National Centre for Software Development and Computing Techniques (Bombay) and National Informatics Centre (New Delhi) are members of the Committee.

Indian Space Technology for African and Asian Countries

234. SHRI SHRIKANT VERMA : Will the Minister of SPACE be pleased to state :

(a) whether any African or Asian country has approached India for help in building their space technology; and

(b) if so, what are the names of those countries?

THE PRIME MINISTER (SHRIMATI INDIRA GANDHI) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Production of short films for television

235. SHRI SHRIKANT VERMA : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to produce short films for television; and

(b) if so, whether Government propose to seek the co-operation of the private film industry in the matter?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI DHARAM BIR SINHA) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Short films/documentaries are being produced for T.V. not only by members of the staff but also by inducting outside expertise in direction, scripting and filming. Arrangements have also been entered into with some eminent Producers for the production of short films for SITE as well as for Doordarshan. Film personalities from private film industry are also co-operating in the production of short films for TV.

Net work of industrial estates in rural areas of Delhi

236. SHRIMATI SAVITA BEHEN : Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state :

(a) whether a net work of industrial estates is being set up in the rural areas of Delhi;

(b) if so, what is their number with location; and

(c) what is the number and nature of the industries likely to be set up in these estates?