

है चाहे वे किसी भी जाति, धर्म, प्रथवा समाज के हों। हरिजनों को प्राथमिकता दिए गए मकानों की संख्या के बारे में कोई खलम खांकेइ इस मंत्रालय में नहीं रखे जाते।

1) THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI OM MEHTA): (a) Based on the progress reports received so far from the State Governments, a total of 11,633 houses have been built under the various social housing schemes during 1973-74.

(b) and (c) The houses built under the social housing schemes are allotted by the State Governments etc. in accordance with the detailed rules formulated by them for the purpose. All these schemes are income oriented and are intended for benefits of all eligible persons irrespective of their castes, creed or community. No separate statistics about the number allotted to Harijans is maintained in the Ministry.]

Supply of milk powder to Bihar and West Bengal

1400. SHRI C. P. MAJHI : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state the total quantity of milk powder supplied to Bihar and West Bengal during the three years and what was the required quantity of milk powder in these States during the same period, year-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI B. P. MAURYA): Imported skim milk under commercial quota is being supplied to the Patna Milk Supply Scheme in Bihar and Greater Calcutta Milk Supply in West Bengal primarily to assist maintain the committed level of milk distribution during the lean season as far as possible when there is a steep fall in milk production and procurement. The Greater Calcutta Milk Supply Scheme also receives skim milk powder under WFP Project 618 Marketing and Dairy Development (commonly known as Operation Flood) to maintain the expanded level of

1 English translation.

milk distribution. A statement giving the year-wise requirement of skim milk powder and quantities received by Bihar and West Bengal during the last three years i.e. from 1971-72 to 1973-74 is attached.

Statement

Year	Required quantity of skim milk powder (in tonnes)	Quantity supplied (in tonnes)	
Bihar			
1971-72	90	97.561	
1972-73	150	60.147	
1973-74	150	104.437	
Year	Scheme	Required quantity of skim milk powder (in tonnes)	Quantity supplied (in tonnes)
West Bengal			
1971-72	WFP 618	3600	1371-016
	Commercial	2000	2582-633
	TOTAL	5600	3953-649
1972-73	WFP 618	2400	2125-454
	Commercial	2100	2435-782
	TOTAL	4500	4561-236
1973-74	WFP 618	3500	1991-076
	Commercial	1900	1832-928
	TOTAL	5400	3824-004

Industrial licences for cooperative sugar factories in Maharashtra

1401. SHRI K. N. DHULAP: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of proposals for the grant of industrial licences for sugar factories under cooperative sector in Maharashtra pending with Central Government;

(b) since when each proposal has been pending; and