

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF IRRIGATION AND POWER (PROF. SIDDHESHWAR PRASAD): (a) and (b) There is no proposal for the setting up of an autonomous Corporation for the utilisation of the Brahmaputra river waters.

S.C./S.T. Employees Among Wagon Movement Inspectors in N. Railway

1237. SHRI N. H. KUMBHARE: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of employees, gradewise, in the Northern Railway in the category of Wagon Movement Inspectors and the number of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes employees amongst them;

(b) the number of posts filled during the years 1971, 1972 and 1973 and how many of them were filled from amongst the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes;

(c) whether the full quota of reservation on the basis of prescribed percentage has been filled; if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) what action Government propose to take in the matter?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MOHD. SHAFI QURESHI): (a) and (b) Information is furnished in the statement attached. [See Appendix LXXXVI Annexure No. 73]

(c) and (d) Due to non-availability of reserved community candidates in the field of eligibility it has not been possible to fill the reserved quota to the full extent. The unfilled quota has, however, been carried forward under the extant instructions.

†Chandrapur Power Project in Maharashtra

908. SHRIMATI SUSHILA SHANKAR ADIVAREKAR:

SHRI VITHAI GADGI:

SHRI B. T. KEMPARAJ:

SHRI JANARDHANA REDDY:

SHRI U. K. LAKSHMANA COWDA:

SHRI MAQSOOD ALI KHAN:

Will the Minister of IRRIGATION AND POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the planning Commission has reduced the allocation of fund to the Chandrapur Power project in Maharashtra and it has not been included in the Centrally sponsored schemes; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and what is the criteria adopted by the Planning Commission in such matters?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF IRRIGATION AND POWER (PROF. SIDDHESHWAR PRASAD):

(a) and (b) The Fifth Five Year Plan proposals for each of the States have yet to be finalised. However, power generation projects are not taken up in the centrally sponsored sector.

‡उर्वरक के कारखाने

950. श्री राम सहाय: क्या पेट्रोलियम और रसायन मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) कोयले से उर्वरक का उत्पादन करने के लिए कोरबा तलचर (उड़ीसा) और रामगुडम (आन्ध्र) में स्थापित किये जा रहे उर्वरक कारखानों की वर्तमान निर्माण अवस्था क्या है;

(ख) इन कारखानों में उत्पादन कब तक आरम्भ हो जाएगा; और

(ग) कारखानावार इन कारखानों के निर्माण पर कितना व्यय होने का अनुमान है; और इन में कितने व्यक्तियों को रोजगार मिलने की आशा है?

‡[Fertiliser Factories]

950. SHRI RAM SAHAI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) the present stage of the fertiliser factories which are being constructed at Korba Talcher (Orissa) and Ramgundam (Andhra) to produce fertiliser from coal;

† Transferred from the 30th November, 1973

‡[] English translation.