

(b) During the visit, the two sides agreed to take steps to realise the potential for bilateral trade and investment, including in infrastructure and nuclear energy, and to harness their scientific and technological capabilities for the benefit of the two countries and the world.

Views of FAO on J&K

†2517. SHRI KAPTAN SINGH SOLANKI: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Jammu and Kashmir and Arunachal Pradesh have been shown as independent countries separate from India in one of the reports of Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) of United Nations;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government have registered its objection in this regard; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI PRENEET KAUR): (a) and (b) An FAO project report on "Green House Gas Emissions from the Dairy Sector: A Life Cycle Assessment" had listed Jammu and Kashmir and Arunachal Pradesh as independent territories in East Asia in an Annex to the report on 'Regional and Country List'.

(c) and (d) The matter was taken up by the Government with FAO, which has since removed the references to Jammu and Kashmir and Arunachal Pradesh from the relevant Annex of the above mentioned project document.

Shortage of housing

2518. SHRI MOHD. ALI KHAN: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether India has up to 70 million housing shortage according to World Bank;

(b) if so, the details thereof and reasons therefor, State-wise, especially in Andhra Pradesh rural areas compared to urban areas during the last five years; and

(c) the funds to be spent for this purpose in the Eleventh Plan, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION (KUMARI SELJA): (a) The World Bank Report of 2010 on 'Expanding Housing Finance to the Underserved in South Asia', indicates the overall housing shortage in India

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.