

(a) whether it is a fact that the Central Government have asked the State Governments to submit reports on the actual requirement of houses for the landless workers in the rural areas;

(b) how many States have so far submitted the required information;

(c) whether it will be possible to provide house sites to these workers by August 15, 1973; and

(d) if so, the expected cost of the programme ?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI UMA SHANKAR DIKSHIT) : (a) The Central Government had asked the State Governments to submit reports on the requirement of house sites for the rural landless.

(b) A statement indicating the demands of funds so far received from the States for provision of house-sites to landless workers in rural areas is placed on the Table of the Sabha. [See Appendix LXXXI. Annexure No. 16]

(c) Efforts are being made to accelerate the implementation of the Scheme so as to cover the whole country as early as possible, consistent with availability of resources.

(d) The whole programme may involve an estimated outlay of Rs. 300 crores for the country.

TAKING OVER OF UNIVERSITY EDUCATION

♦82. SHRI GUNANAND THAKUR : Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government of India propose to take over University Education in the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE (PROF. S. NURUL HASAN) : (a) No, Sir. |

(b) Does not arise.

CLASSIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT ACCOMMODATION

*83. DR. BHAI MAHAVIR : Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Government accommodation meant for allotment to Government servants in various parts of Delhi and New Delhi is classified as centrally located and non-centrally located accommodation;

(b) if so, the basis for such classification; and

(c) the classification under which the accommodation in Lodhi Colony, Kidwai Nagar, Dev Nagar and Moti Bagh fall ?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI UMA SHANKAR DIKSHIT) : (a) to (c) There is no provision in the allotment rules for classification of general pool accommodation on the basis of their location. However, certain areas like D.I.Z. Area, Lodi Colony, Pandara Road, etc., are more popular than certain others like Motibagh, Ramakrishnapuram, Kidwai Nagar and Dev Nagar etc. based on the preference shown by applicants. Since it is not possible to meet all demands for accommodation in the more popular areas, in practice; allotments are made in the first instance in the comparatively less popular areas and allotments in the popular areas made subsequently depending on availability of vacancies and on the basis of a waiting list maintained of people desiring the change.

SETTING UP OF AN OFFICE OF MARINE ENGINEERING IN WEST BENGAL

*84. SHRI PRANAB KUMAR
MUKHERJEE :

DR. R. K. CHAKRABARTI :

Will the Minister of PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) whether It is a fact that in 196* Government approved of the setting up of an office of Marine Engineering in West Bengal but the said office has not yet come into existence; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMEN-
TARY AFFAIRS AND SHIPPING AND
TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJ BAHADUR) : (a)
and (b) No Sir.

क्षय रोग के कारण मोतें तथा इस बिमारी
के उन्मूलन के लिए योजनाएं

*85. श्री पीताम्बर दास :
श्री ना. कृ. शेजवलकर :
श्री प्रेम मनोहर :
श्री ओडम् प्रकाश त्यागी :
डा. भाई महावीर :
श्री जगदम्बी प्रसाद यादव :

क्या स्वास्थ्य और परिवार नियोजन मंत्री
यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) देश में कितने क्षय रोगी हैं, प्रति-
वर्ष उनकी संख्या में कितनी वृद्धि होती है और
प्रतिवर्ष कितने क्षय-रोग से काल-कवलित हो
जाते हैं;

(ख) देश में क्षय चिकित्सा के लिए
कितने अस्पताल हैं और वे कहां-कहां हैं; और
उन अस्पतालों में कितनी और अतिरिक्त
शैयाओं की आवश्यकता है; और

(ग) देश में क्षय-रोग के उन्मूलन के लिए
क्या अविलम्ब तथा दीर्घ-कालीन उपाए किए
जाने की योजना है ?

DEATHS DUE TO TB AND SCHEMES TO
ERADICATE THIS DISEASE

♦85. SHRI PITAMBER DAS ;
SHRI N. K. SHEJWALKAR :

SHRI PREM MANOHAR : SHRI
OM PRAKASH TYAGI : DR.
BHAI MAHAVIR : SHRI J. P.
YADAV :

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND
FAMILY PLANNING be pleased to state :

(a) The number of TB patients in the
country, the annual increase in their number
and the number of deaths due to TB per year;

(b) the total number of TB hospitals in
the country with their location and the number
of additional beds required to be provided in
those hospitals; and

(c) the immediate and long-term mea-
sures envisaged for the eradication of T.B. in
the country ?]

स्वास्थ्य और परिवार नियोजन मंत्री
(श्री उमाशंकर दीक्षित) : (क) टी. बी. कोई
अधिसूच्य बीमारी नहीं है। अतः इसके प्रकोप,
उसकी प्रवृत्ति तथा उससे वस्तुतः होने वाली
मौतों के विशिष्ट आंकड़े उपलब्ध नहीं हैं।
वैसे, राष्ट्रीय नमूना सर्वेक्षण के आधार पर देश
में क्षय रोग से पीड़ित व्यक्तियों की संख्या
लगभग 80 लाख होने का अनुमान है। साथ
ही यह अनुमान किया जाता है कि देश में
तकरीबन 1.5 प्रतिशत लोग क्षय रोग से
पीड़ित हैं और यह प्रतिशत कुछ वर्षों से यथा-
वत चल रहा है। जहां इससे होने वाली मृत्यु
दर प्रति लाख आबादी के पीछे अनुमानतः 80
से 100 तक है, वहां निम्नलिखित आंकड़े
जिला क्षय रोग केन्द्रों द्वारा सूचित 1969,
1970 और 1971 में उपचार किए गए क्षय
रोगियों और इस रोग से मरे व्यक्तियों के
अनुपात का एक चित्र प्रस्तुत करेंगे :—