

**LABOUR LAWS IN THE 9TH SCHEDULE
OF THE CONSTITUTION**

*135. SHRI KRISHAN KANT: SHRI SYED AHMAD: SHRI KOTA PUNNAIAH: SHRI CHANDRA SHE-KHAR: SHRI D. P. SINGH: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND REHABILITATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to recent demand of the newspaper industry employees that all labour laws should be included in the 9th Schedule of the Constitution to give them immunity from being challenged in law courts ; and

(b) if so, what is the reaction of Government thereto ?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR AND REHABILITATION (SHRI R. K. KHADILKAR): (a) Government have seen a Press Report to this effect.

(b) This requires detailed and careful examination.

MEDICAL COLLEGE IN NEPAL

*136. SHRI GUNANAND THAKUR: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government of India is going to open a medical college in Nepal at the request of Nepal Government-, and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI SURENDRA PAL SINGH) : (a) and (b) No, Sir. No such request has been received from His Majesty's Government, Nepal in this regard.

DIFFICULTIES FACED BY HOUSE BUILDERS DUE TO NON-AVAILABILITY OF STEEL AT CONTROL RATES

*137. SHRI SHYAMLAL GUPTA: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the small house builders are facing lot of difficulties

in getting the steel at Government rates ; and

(b) if so, what steps Government propose to take to relieve the house builders of this genuine difficulty ?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI S. MOHAN KUMAR-MANGALAM): (a) and (b) In view of the shortages, all classes of house builders are facing some difficulty in getting steel. Small house builders are expected to get supply of steel material for house building from the Main Steel Producers' Stockyards at Stockyard prices. Under the Stockyard distribution procedure, a percentage of availability of steel has been earmarked for supply only to house builders.

In so far as supply of steel material to house builders in and around Delhi is concerned, the distribution has been entrusted to a Committee named the Main Steel Producers Committee consisting of the representatives of the three Main Steel Producers in Delhi. The entire availability of house-building materials earmarked for Delhi area is pooled together and distributed after considering the applications received in the Offices of all the three Main Steel Producers in Delhi. Preference is given to the requirements of the small house-builders.

सरकारी उपक्रमों के प्रबन्ध में कामगारों का सहयोग

* 138. श्री जगदीश प्रसाद माथुर :

श्री डी० के० पटेल :

श्री लाल आडवाणी :

श्री ना० कृ० शेजवलकर :

श्री रतन लाल जैन :

श्री मान सिंह वर्मा :

क्या श्रम और पुनर्वास मंत्रो यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) उन सरकारी उपक्रमों और व्यापारिक विभागों का प्रतिशत कितना है जिनमें

कामगारों को प्रबन्ध में भाग लेने की अब तक अनुमति दी जा चुकी है; और

(ख) सभी उपक्रमों के प्रबन्ध में कामगारों को भाग लेने की अनुमति कब तक दे दी जायेगी ?

WORKERS' PARTICIPATION IN PUBLIC UNDERTAKINGS

*138. SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD MATHUR :

SHRI D. K. PATEL :

SHRI LAL K. ADVANI :

SHRI N. K. SHEJWALKAR :

SHRI RATTAN LAL JAIN :

SHRI MAN SINGH VARMA :

Will the Minister of LABOUR AND REHABILITATION be pleased to state :

(a) the percentage of public undertakings and commercial departments wherein the workers have so far been allowed to participate in their management; and

(b) by when the workers' participation would be allowed in all the undertakings ?]

श्रम और पुनर्वासि मंत्री (श्री आर० के० खाडिलकर) : (क) सरकार ने कामगारों के प्रतिनिधियों को परख के आधार पर कुछ सरकारी उपक्रमों के प्रबंधक बोर्डों में व्यापारिक उपक्रमों को छोड़कर, नियुक्त करने की योजना आरम्भ करने का निर्णय कर लिया है। सर्वप्रथम इस योजना को हिन्दुस्तान एंटीबायोटिक्स लि० पम्प्री में कार्यान्वित करने का निर्णय किया गया है।

(ख) क्योंकि योजना को परख के आधार पर आरंभ किया जा रहा है, कोई कालावधि निर्धारित करना, जिस में कि सारे सरकारी क्षेत्र उपक्रम इस योजना के परिचालन में लाए जाएंगे, समयपूर्व है।

[THE MINISTER OF LABOUR AND REHABILITATION (SHRI R. K. KHADILKAR) : (a) Government have decided to introduce a scheme for the appointment of workers' representatives on the Board of Management of a few public sector undertakings excluding commercial undertakings on trial basis. In the first instance it has decided to implement the schemes in the Hindustan Antibiotics Ltd., Pimpri.

(b) As the scheme is being introduced on a trial basis, the question of fixing any limit by which all the public sector undertakings will be brought under operation of the scheme is premature.]

बोनस सूत्र

*139. लाल आडवाणी :

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क्या श्रम और पुनर्वासि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) सरकार द्वारा विहित बोनस सूत्र क्या है ;

(ख) किन-किन सरकारी उपक्रमों और विभागों में अभी तक इस सूत्र को लागू नहीं किया गया है ; और

(ग) सरकारी और गैर-सरकारी दोनों क्षेत्रों में इसका कठोरता के साथ पालन करवाने के लिए क्या कदम उठाये जा रहे हैं ?