चौथी योजना में 50 करोड़ रुपये की धनराशि आवंटित की गई है। इसमें से 20 करोड़ रुपये इसी वर्ष के बजट में आवंटित किये गये हैं। योजना आयोग द्वारा 27 करोड़ रुपये की एक धनराणि निर्धारित की गई है। यह राणि राज्य सरकारों को रोजगार के विशेष कार्यक्रम जुटाने के लिए आवंटित की गयी है। इस कार्य के लिये राज्य सरकारों को भी 27 करोड़ रुपये और लगाने होगे। उद्योगी वेरोजगार व्यक्तियों को राष्ट्रीयकृत बैंक भी वित्तीय सहायता प्रदान करते हैं। योजना आयोग और राज्य सरकारों भी बेरोजगारी की समस्याओं का अध्ययन कर रहे हैं।

इनके अतिरिक्त, वैज्ञानिक एवं तकनीकी कार्मिकों को विशेष रूप से सहायता करने के लिये वैज्ञानिकों का पूल, अनुसंधान छात्रवृत्तियां, अधिक-संख्यक नियुक्तियां जैसी योजनायें भी कार्यरत हैं।

†[THE MINISTER OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (SHRI C. SUBRAMANIAM): (a) The Division for Scientific and Technical Personnel of Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) carried out a study of unemployment among Technical Presonnel and other graduates in the country on the basis of the data collected in the 1971 Census. Underemployment or the number of graduates who have abandoned efforts for employment were not included in the study.

(b) 5,79,858 persons with at least a first degree in Science, Agriculture, Arts or Commerce or at least a diploma in Engineering, Technology or Medicine were estimated to be unemployed in April, 1971. They constitute 19.1% or about one-fifth of the estimated total stock in these categories. Out of these, 1,58,574 persons were not looking for employment; majority of them (1,27,644) were women. Reason why they were not looking for employment is not known.

The study revealed that among the professional qualification holders, medical doctors and veterinarians have the lowest percentage of unemployment i. e. about 5 to 6 per cent. Post-Graduates in Agriculture comes next with about 6% of unemployment. Graduates in Engineering and Technology as well as in Agricultural Science and Post-Graduates in Science have a little higher rate of unemployment ranging from 11 to 15%.

Amongst all the categories, the highest unemployment is among the first graduates in Science i. e. about 25%. For Arts graduates (first degree only) it is nearly 24%.

The Government of India is concerned about the unemployment amongst educated persons and have already taken some steps. An "Expert Committee on Unemployment" has been appointed to assess the extent of unemployment and to suggest remedial measures. A sum of Rs. 50 crores has been allocated in the 4th Plan for employment of educated unemployeds, of which, an amount of Rs. 20 crores has been allocated in this year's budget. An amount of Rs. 27 crores has been earmarked by the Planning Commission for allocation to State Governments for formulating special employment programmes for which the States will have to contribute another 27 crores. Nationalised Banks also render financial help to enterprising unemployed persons. Planning Commission and the State Governments are also considering the problems of unemployment.

Besides these, schemes like Scientists' Pool, Research Fellowships, Supernumerary appointments are in operation to help the Scientific and Technical Personnel, in particular.]

PAKISTANI SPIES OPERATING IN LUNIAB

960. SHRI SHYAMLAL GUPTA:
SHRI CHANDRA SHEKHAR:
SHRI KRISHAN KANT:
SHRI KOTA PUNNAIAH:
SHRIMATI SAVITA BEHEN:
SHRIMATI SITA DEVI:
SHRI D P. SINGH:
SHRI SURAJ PRASAD:
SHRI K. CHANDRASEKHARAN:
SHRI RAM SAHAI:
SHRI G. GOPINATHAN NAIR:
SHRI S. C. ANGRE:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that a large number of Pakistani spies and agents are engaged in espionage activities on the border areas of Punjab;
- (b) whether any arrests has been made by the Government during the last six months; and if so, the number thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken or proposed to be taken to check the entry of such spics and agents into the Indian territory?

^{†[]} English translation.

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THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA): (a) and (b) According to information received from the Government of Punjab, 21 Pak spies and agents were arrested on suspicion during the 6 months period ending 30th June, 1972.

(c) Utmost vigilance is exercised by all concerned agencies of the Government.

PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON FOREIGN DEBT

961. SHRI SYED AHMAD: SHRI KRISHAN KANT: SHRI D. P. SINGH: SHRI CHANDRA SHEKHAR: SHRI KOTA PUNNAIAH: DR. Z. A. AHMAD:

Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it was earlier stipulated in the Plan document that interest on foreign debt would be paid out of export earnings;
- (b) whether the approach paper on the 5th Plan now envisages that even for payment of interest, aid would be required; and
 - (c) if so, the reasons for this change?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI MOHAN DHARIA): (a) to (c) In the Chapter entitled "Long-term Perspective of Development" in the Fourth Plan document, it was stated that on certain assumptions regarding the growth of exports, the foreign exchange resources generated would be adequate to meet import requirements as well as interest obligations after 1978-79. In this regard The Approach Paper on the Fifth Plan says:

"In view of the paramount need to achieve, by the end of the Fifth Plan, selfreliance in the sense of zero net concessional aid, the magnitude and kind of effort re quired on the different aspects relevant to the balance of payments will need to be carefully worked out. It will be necessary to examine the policy, organisation and resource mobilisation implications of this objective. It is only on the basis of such a thorough exercise that it will be possible to say whether the zero net aid position can be achieved without too great a cost in terms of growth and, if not, in what ways the investment pattern needs to be adjusted to fulfil the objective. On the

other hand, if the exercise were to reveal that with some additional effort it may be possible to improve on the initial criterion of zero net aid, we could explore to what extent and in what fashion the objective itself can be enlarged in the direction of elimination of gross aid as well. In other words, it is suggested that, to start with, the exercises connected with the Fifth Plan may proceed on the basis of zero net aid position by 1978-79 with the clear understanding that the implications brought out in the exercise will be reviewed once again before the firm and final operative decisions are taken."

There is no question of any change at this stage, as the whole matter is under discussion and the approach is yet to be finalised.

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*962 श्री ओउम प्रकाश त्यागी : श्री ना० क० शेजवलकर: श्री जगदम्बी प्रसाद यादव : -डा० भाई महावीर : श्री पीताम्बर दास: श्री प्रेम मनोहर: श्री मान सिंह वर्मा:

क्या संचार मन्त्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे

- (क) अभी तक किस किस राज्य की राज-धानी में दिल्ली से सीधे डायल करके टेलीफोन करने की सुविधा नही हैं ; और
- (ख) सरकार उन राज्यों की राजधानियों के साथ यह सेवा कब तक आरम्भ करने का विचार रखती है ?

†[DIRECT DIALLING SERVICE

962. SHRI O. P. TYAGI: SHRI N. K. SHEJWALKAR: SHRIJ. P. YADAV: DR. BHAI MAHAVIR: SHRI PITAMBER DAS: SHRI PREM MANOHAR: SHRI MAN SINGH VARMA:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the names of those State Capitals having no direct dialling telephone service with Delhi so far; and

^{†[]} English translation.