

Works on all these routes are in different stages of planning and execution. They will be progressively completed in coming years and completed early in the Fifth plan period.

Trunk Automatic Exchanges (TAXs) have also been planned at Ernakulam, Coimbatore and Trivandrum.

Alleppey, Calicut, Coimbatore, Ernakulam, Kottayam, Ooty, Palghat, Quilon, Salem, Tiruppur, Trichur and Trivandrum will be connected to these 3 TAXs. They will be able to dial each other and also Madras Bangalore and Coimbatore. These routes are also likely to be commissioned by fifth plan period.

MANUFACTURE OF CARS

136. SHRI DHARAM CHAND JAIN : Will the Minister of INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) the number of orders for cars pending as on 31-12-1969, 31-12-70 and 31-12-71 make wise; and

(b) the total number of cars manufactured, make-wise, during the years 1969-70 and 1971 and the installed capacity of the manufacturing units ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (PROF. SIDDHESHWAR PRASAD) : (a) The number of orders for the three makes of cars pending with the dealers as on 31-12-69, 31-12-70 and 31-12-71 are as follows :

Make of Car	31-12-69	31-12-70	31-12-71
Ambassador	28501	33937	36039
Fiat	36582	40836	51178
Standard Herald		Negligible	

(b) The achievable capacities of the three car manufacturers and the production achieved by them during the years 1969-70 and 1971 are as under :—

Name of the Manufacturer	Achievable capacity per annum	1969-70	1971
M/s Hindustan Motors Ltd., Bombay	30,000	22250	25657
M/s. Premier Automobiles Ltd., Bombay.	14,000	12266	12821
M/s. Standard Motors Products of India Ltd., Madras.	3,400	1326	847

INFILTRATION BY RAZAKARS FROM BANGLA DESH INTO INDIAN TERRITORY

137. SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD MATHUR :

SHRI N. G. GORAY :

SHRI KALYAN ROY :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Razakars from Bangladesh have infiltrated in large number into West Bengal, Bihar and other parts of the country;

(b) if so, how many razakars, Al Badars etc. have been arrested and sent back so far; and

(c) what steps Government have taken to stop further infiltration ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI F. H. MOHSIN) : (a) According to the information received from the State Governments concerned, the number of persons, suspected to be Razakars or volunteers of Al Badar and arrested since

the liberation of Bangla Desh is as follows :

State	Number	Period
Assam	3	16-12-71 to 11-3-72
Tripura	610	16-12-71 to 31-1-72
West Bengal	74	16-12-71 to 29-2-72
Meghalaya	Nil	16-12-71 to 23-3-72
Bihar	1	16-12-71 to 11-4-72

(b) None of the arrested persons have been sent back so far.

(c) Our border authorities are fully vigilant and have taken adequate steps to prevent unauthorised entry of persons from across the border.

138. [*Transferred to the 15th May, 1972*]

SCIENTISTS SELECTED FOR JOBS THROUGH SCIENTISTS' POOL

139. SHRI M. K. MOHTA :

SHRI YOGENDRA SHARMA :

Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state :

(a) the number of scientists who were admitted to the Scientists pool till the end of March, 1971, and how many out of them were selected for jobs through the pool ;

(b) the number of Scientists who returned to foreign countries during the last three years as the pool could not secure suitable jobs for them ; and

(c) whether in view of the experience gained, Government contemplate to review the working of the pool ?

THE MINISTER OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (SHRI C. SUBRAMANIAM) : (a) As on 31.3.71,

the number of Scientists who joined as Pool Officers was 3,448. Out of them 2763 left the Pool after getting regular employment.

(b) From 1.1.69 to 31.12.71, the number of Scientists who left the Pool and went abroad was 48. Of them three have since returned and rejoined the Pool.

(c) The working of the Scientists' Pool is reviewed from time to time.

IMPROVEMENT IN T.V. PROGRAMME

140. SHRI DHARAM CHAND JAIN : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state whether there is any proposal to improve upon the programmes televised by the All India Radio ; and if so the steps taken in this direction ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRIMATI NANDINI SATPATHY) : Improvement in the quality of TV. programmes is a continuous process. The following steps are being taken to make progress in this direction :—

- (i) TV. Training Centre has been set up to train personnel in techniques of programme production.
- (ii) Production facilities in Delhi TV. station are being improved.
- (iii) Delhi TV. Station is being expanded so that programme output and service area can be increased.

DIESEL ENGINE INDUSTRY

141. SHRI A. G. KULKARNI : Will the Minister of INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :