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Madhya Pradesh	356	314	313	274	57.32
Mysore	547	421	408	370	100.39
Uttar Pradesh	157	151	151	97	28.87
Total	1993	1592	1565	1270	419.97

Grade of University and College Teachers

91. SHRI SITARAM JAIPURIA : Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE/ शिक्षा और समाज कल्याण मन्त्री be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have received a copy of a resolution adopted by the Delhi University Teachers Association urging upon the Government of India for a running grade for University and college teachers, an additional weekly off, housing facilities and changes in the composition of governing bodies of colleges ; and

(b) if so, the steps being taken by Government in this regard ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE/ शिक्षा और समाज कल्याण मन्त्रालय में उप-मंत्री (PROF. D. P. YADAV) : (a) A copy of resolution demanding, *inter alia* changes in the composition of Governing Bodies of colleges and introduction of a running grade for all categories of teachers was received from Delhi University Teachers' Association. That Association had also presented a memorandum to the Chairman, University Grants Commission in July, 1970 on the question of running grade for all categories of university teachers and their other service conditions.

(b) The position regarding various matters referred to in part (a) of the question is as follows :—

(1) *Running grade for University and College Teachers* :—The question is under consideration of the Committee on Governance of Universities and Colleges appointed by the U.G.C. The Delhi University has also appointed a Committee to consider the matter and work out the financial implications in this regard.

(ii) *Additional Weekly Off* :—No memorandum has been received by Government/University Grants Commission from Delhi University Teachers' Association in this regard.

(iii) *Housing facility* :—A deputation of the said Association met the Chairman, University Grants Commission in March, 1971 with regard to the scheme of University Grants Commission for assistance to colleges for construction of teachers' hostel on sharing basis according to which 80% of the cost is borne by the University Grants Commission and the 20% by the College concerned. It was represented that the built up area of 720 sq. ft. for a unit in the hostel provided in the scheme was not adequate for teachers with families. The deputation also made other suggestions regarding rent and re-payment of loan. The matter was considered by the Commission in its meeting held on 5-5-1971 and the Commission decided that the colleges may increase the built-up area upto 50% for a unit but the Commission's assistance will be limited, on sharing basis, to Rs. 3 lakhs for each college. The decision of the Commission has been communicated to Delhi University.

(iv) *Changes in the Composition of Governing Bodies* :—The Government is awaiting the report of University Grants Commission's Committee on Governance of Universities and Colleges. The Association had itself also submitted a memorandum to a sub-committee of this committee.

Sethusamudram Project

92. SHRI T. V. ANANDAN : Will the Minister of PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT/ संसदीय कार्य तथा नौवहन और परिवहन मंत्री be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Sethusamudram project has been abandoned ;