

EXCISE RECEIPTS IN MAHARASHTRA

119. SHRI G. R. PATIL : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) the total annual receipts of the Central Excise Department in Maharashtra during the years 1964-65, 1965-66 and 1966-67 ; and

(b) the annual expenditure incurred on the staff employed in the Department during each of the years mentioned above ?

THE DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI MORARJI R. DESAI) : The required information is given below :

	Rs. ('000)
(a) 1964-65	207,29,43
1965-66	219,87,56
1966-67	237,94,81
(b) 1964-65	1,47,61
1965-66	1,61,66
1966-67	1,71,06

AMOUNT FOR LOW INCOME GROUP HOUSING SCHEME

120. SHRI G. R. PATIL : Will the Minister of WORKS, HOUSING AND SUPPLY be pleased to state :

(a) the total amount allocated to the Government of Maharashtra under the Low Income Group Housing Scheme during the years 1965-66 and 1966-67 ;

(b) the amount proposed to be advanced to Government of Maharashtra for the year 1967-68 ; and

(c) the amount actually utilised by the Government of Maharashtra during the years mentioned above ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF WORKS, HOUSING AND SUPPLY (SARDAR IQBAL SINGH) : (a) to (c) A statement is attached.

STATEMENT

(a) to (c) The Low Income Group Housing Scheme is financed partly from Life Insurance Corporation funds and partly from Plan funds. The following amounts were allocated and released to the Government of Maharashtra under the Scheme :—

(Rupees in Lakhs)

	Plan funds	LIC funds
<i>Amount allocated</i>		
1965-66	48.00	..
1966-67	24.00	70.00
<i>Amount released</i>		
1965-66	37.76	..
1966-67	20.00	70.00

NOTE.—Amount actually utilised has not been intimated by the State Government so far.

As regards 1967-68, the Plan funds of Rs. 22.50 lakhs have been allocated to the State Government for this Scheme. The formal release of funds will be made to them in March, 1968, on the basis of actual expenditure up to 31st December, 1967 and anticipated expenditure during January-March, 1968. A bulk allocation of Rs. 100.00 lakhs of LIC funds has been made to the State Government for 1967-68 for the Housing Schemes which are to be financed from the LIC funds. The amount actually utilised by the State Government for this Scheme during 1967-68 will be intimated by them some time during the middle of 1968.

AMOUNT FOR RURAL WATER SUPPLY SCHEME

121. SHRI G. R. PATIL : Will the Minister of HEALTH, FAMILY PLANNING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) the total amount allocated to the Government of Maharashtra for implementation of Rural Water Supply Scheme during the years 1965-66 and 1966-67 ;

(b) the amount actually advanced to Government of Maharashtra during these years ; and utilised by the Government of Maharashtra (year-wise) ; and

(c) the amount proposed to be given for the year 1967-68 ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH, FAMILY PLANNING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI B. S. MURTHY) : (a) and (b) In accordance with the procedure in vogue up to 1966-67 Central