

## AERODROMES IN MAHARASHTRA

292. SHRI G. R. PATIL : Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state :

(a) the number and names of aerodromes or air strips in Maharashtra ;

(b) whether there is a proposal under Government's consideration for the construction of an aerodrome at Kolhapur ;

(c) if so, the estimated cost thereof ; and

(d) by when the proposal is likely to materialise ?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION (DR. KARAN SINGH) : (a) There are seven civil aerodromes under the control of the Civil Aviation Department, in the State of Maharashtra, namely Akola, Aurangabad, Bombay (Santacruz), Bombay (Juhu), Kolhapur, Nagpur and Sholapur. In addition, there is one gliderdrome at Hadapsar (Poona).

(b) There is already a fair-weather airstrip at Kolhapur. A proposal to develop it for operation by Fokker Friendship type of aircraft is under consideration.

(c) and (d) A preliminary estimate is under preparation. It is not possible at this stage to forecast when the proposal will materialise as that would depend on the priority accorded to the project and on when it is actually taken up. It normally takes between 18 and 24 months to complete construction work.

## WIDENING OF NATIONAL HIGHWAYS BETWEEN POONA AND SATARA

293. SHRI G. R. PATIL : Will the Minister of TRANSPORT AND SHIPPING be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is a proposal under Government's consideration for widening the road passing through Khamotki Ghat of National Highway No. 4 between Poona and Satara ;

(b) if so, the estimated cost thereof ; and

(c) by when the work will be commenced and completed ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT AND SHIPPING (SHRI BHAKT DARSHAN) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

## AMOUNT ALLOTTED TO HARYANA FROM CENTRAL ROAD FUND

294. KUMARI SHANTA VASISHT : Will the Minister of TRANSPORT AND SHIPPING be pleased to state :

(a) the amount allotted to Haryana from the Central Road Fund during the year 1967-68 ;

(b) what are the works for which the amount has been earmarked ; and

(c) what amount is proposed to be allotted during 1968-69 ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT AND SHIPPING (SHRI BHAKT DARSHAN) : (a) and (b) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha when received.

(c) It will not be possible to give this information till the budget for 1968-69 is finalised and the Demands are voted by Parliament.

## NATIONAL HIGHWAY SCHEMES DURING FOURTH PLAN

295. SHRI BANKA BEHARY DAS : Will the Minister of TRANSPORT AND SHIPPING be pleased to state :

(a) the amount of money which has tentatively been provided for National Highway Schemes during the Fourth Five Year Plan period ;

(b) how much has been allotted out of this for different States and on what basis ; and

(c) the schemes of Orissa which have been included in this ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT AND SHIPPING (SHRI BHAKT DARSHAN) : (a) and (b) The draft outline