

14. Aliko Livanos
15. Kent
16. Niobe
17. Naeslion
18. Welish City
19. World Majesty
20. Fotini
21. Finnamore Valley
22. Norlandia
23. Baltimore Trader
24. Ocean Lancer
25. Lord Byron
26. Globe Explorer
27. Venore
28. Penn Carrier
29. Columbia
30. York
31. Oceanic
32. Argoollandia
33. King Aegeus
34. Dione
35. Transorleans

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1. Banat
2. Nikkyu Maru
3. Efploia
4. Sabrina
5. Zeletov
6. Argoellias
7. Tharros
8. Marirua
9. Worchestershire
10. Maryland Trader
11. King Minos
12. Rosewood
13. Panaghia Theoskepasti
14. Margo
15. Transhatteras
16. Minchbank
17. Machitis
18. Ernebank
19. Astraea
20. Cassandra
21. Evje
22. Norina
23. Halcyon Panther
24. Argobeam
25. Sacramento
26. Pearl Merchant
27. Council Grove
28. Penelope
29. Adamas]

CONVERSION OF DELHI MILK SCHEME INTO CORPORATION

654. SHRI JAGAT NARAIN: Will the Minister of FOOD, AGRICULTURE, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND CO-OPERATION be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to convert the Delhi Milk Scheme into a Corporation; and

(b) if so, when a decision is likely to be taken?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD, AGRICULTURE, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND CO-OPERATION (SHRI ANNASAHIB SHINDE) : (a) and (b) It has been decided to convert the Delhi Milk Scheme into a Limited Company under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956.

The decision has not, however, been implemented so far.

GROWING OF EUCALYPTUS IN WYNAAD (KERALA)

655. SHRI D. THENGARI : Will the Minister of FOOD, AGRICULTURE, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND CO-OPERATION be pleased to state :

(a) whether Prof. L. D. Pryor, an Australian eucalyptologist of the F.A.O., stated that there is tremendous scope for growing 'eucalyptus egradis' (rosegum) over extensive areas in Wynaad (Kerala); and

(b) whether Government propose to give aid to the Nilambur Kovilagam to grow the same on their forests in this area which are now grasslands?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD, AGRICULTURE, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND CO-OPERATION (SHRI ANNASAHIB SHINDE) : (a) Prof. Pryor, F.A.O. Consultant to the Project "Pre-investment Survey of Forest Resources" was impressed with the success of "Eucalyptus Grandis" plantations in the Peermade area of Kerala and suggested large scale plantations of Eucalyptus Grandis in similar locations of higher altitude and heavy rainfall.

(b) The Government of India are not aware of any proposals in this regard.

DEVELOPMENT OF TUTICORIN PORT

656. SHRI RAM SINGH : Will the Minister of TRANSPORT, AVIATION, SHIPPING AND TOURISM be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Technical Advisory Committee for the Tuticorin harbour project has submitted its report for the development of the port;

(b) if so, whether any modifications have been suggested by the Committee; and

(c) whether they have been agreed upon ?

THE MINISTER OF TRANSPORT, AVIATION, SHIPPING AND TOURISM (SHRI N. SANJIVA REDDY) : (a) to (c) The detailed Project Report for the Tuticorin Harbour Project prepared by the Chief Engineer and Administrator, Tuticorin, Harbour Project was examined by the Technical Advisory Committee. The Committee made the following suggestions:—

The Committee felt that there would be no necessity to make any provision for oil traffic in the first stage of development.

In pursuance of the recommendations of the National Harbour Board to provide for facilities in the deep sea harbour for fisheries traffic as well, the Technical Advisory Committee, in consultation with the representative of the Ministry of Food and Agriculture, recommended certain facilities for handling deep drafted trawlers in the major port itself. The location of these berths is being studied on the model. The cost of providing these facilities would be met by the Ministry of Food and Agriculture.

In view of the fact that bulk carriers are coming into greater use in Indian waters and as they may be used for salt, fertilisers, coal etc., the Committee felt that the foundations for two berths should be designed for eventual deepening to provide 35 feet draft provided the extra cost is within reasonable limits. The berths are located where deep water is already available.

The recommendations of the Technical Advisory Committee are under consideration in consultation with the Planning Commission and the final decision will be taken shortly.

DAMAGE TO I.A.C. AIRCRAFT

657. SHRI SURJIT SINGH ATWAL : Will the Minister of TRANSPORT, AVIATION, SHIPPING AND TOURISM be pleased to state whether it is a fact that a Fokker Friendship aircraft of the Indian Airlines Corporation was damaged at Agartala airport on the 6th March, 1966?

THE MINISTER OF TRANSPORT, AVIATION, SHIPPING AND TOURISM (SHRI N. SANJIVA REDDY) : Yes Sir. The incident occurred on the 5th March, 1966. The main wheel Tyres burst while landing. No other damage was sustained by the aircraft. An Indian Airlines Corporation Board of Investigation has been formed to investigate into the accident and its report is awaited.

दिल्ली मिल्क स्कीम

658. श्री राम सहाय : क्या खाद्य, कृषि, सामुदायिक विकास और सहकार मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) दिल्ली मिल्क स्कीम के बारे में 1965-66 के वर्ष के लिये लाभ तथा हानि का ब्योरा क्या है; और

(ख) क्या इस स्कीम के प्लांट ने जो पहले अपनी पूरी क्षमता से कार्य नहीं कर रहा था, अब ऐसा करना प्रारम्भ कर दिया है, और यदि नहीं, तो उसके क्या कारण हैं, और आइस-क्रीम प्लांट के बारे में क्या स्थिति है और क्या वह प्लांट अपनी पूरी क्षमता से कार्य कर रहा है ?

†[DELHI MILK SCHEME

658. SHRI RAM SAHAI : Will the Minister of FOOD AGRICULTURE, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND CO-OPERATION be pleased to state :

(a) the details of the profit and loss for the year 1965-66 in respect of the Delhi Milk Scheme; and

(b) whether the plant of the scheme which was not working previously to its full capacity has since started doing so and if not, the reasons therefor; and what is the position with regard to the ice-cream plant and whether that plant is working to its full capacity ?]

†[] English translation.