

(c) The results are being applied in remodelling the Najafgarh Drain to carry increased discharges.

OVER-INVOICING OF EXPORTS

568. SHRI JAGAT NARAIN: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a firm of Ludhiana was sometime back detected over-invoicing blankets exported to Afghanistan; and

(b) if so, what was the name of the firm and what action was taken in the matter?

THE MINISTTR OF FINANCE (SHRI T. T. KRISHNAMAGHARI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The name of the firm was Messrs. Kumar Woollen Mills, Ludhiana. The nature of action to be taken is under consideration.

FUNDS FOR HOUSING

569. SHRI SITARAM JAIPURIA: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Working Group on Housing and Urban and Rural Planning has suggested more funds for meeting housing shortage in Delhi;

(b) if so, what are their recommendations; and

(c) the action Government have taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI MEHR CHAND KHANNA): (a) to (c) The Working Group recommended an allocation of Rs. 5; 62 crores to the Delhi Administration for housing schemes during the current year. Against this, an allocation of Rs. 4:98 crores has been made for these schemes, as follows: —

Scheme	Working Group's recommendations	Final allocation
(Rs. in lakhs)		
1. Subsidised Industrial Housing Scheme .	15.00	10.00
2. Low Income Group Housing Scheme .	68.20	68.20
3. Slum Clearance including Jhuggis and Jhopris Removal Schemes	400.00	340.40*
4. Village Housing Projects Scheme	2.50	2.50
5. Middle Income Group Housing Scheme	76.60	76.60
TOTAL	562.30	497.70

*This can be increased to Rs. 353 lakhs depending on the performance of the Delhi Administration.

570. [Transferred to the 17th September, 1965.]

LOAN UNDER 'OWN YOUR HOME' SCHEME

571. SHRI SITARAM JAIPURIA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of applications received so far by the Life Insurance Corporation for loans under 'Own Your Home' Scheme; and

(b) the amount of loan so far given?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI T. T. KRISHNAMACHARI): (a) 3,641 numbers upto 31st July, 1965.

(b) Sanctioned Rs. 3.57 Crores. Disbursed

Rs. 1.56 Crores.