

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Questions are over.

SHORT NOTICE QUESTION AND ANSWER

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: There is a Short Notice Question, No. 1 in the names of Dr. R. B. Gour and Shri Lalji Pendse. Both of them are not here. The answer will be laid on the Table.

NEW BOMBAY-BARODA AIR ROUTE

1. { DR. R. B. GOUR:
SHRI LALJI PENDSE:

Will the Minister of TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a new Bombay-Baroda air route has been conceded to a private company and if so, to which company; and

(b) the reasons for which this route was denied to the Indian Airlines Corporation?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI AHMED MOHIUDDIN):

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

CARE SCHEME FOR PROVIDING IMPROVED AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS TO FARMERS IN INDIA

*174. SHRI NIRANJAN SINGH: Will the Minister of FOOD AND AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the CARE Scheme for providing improved agricultural implements under the Package Programme for intensified agricultural production has come into operation; and

(b) if so, when and where and what is the number of improved agricultural implements provided?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (DR. P. S. DESHMUKH): (a) and (b) A statement is placed on the Table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT

(a) and (b) Yes, the scheme for providing improved agricultural implements under the Package Programme for intensified agricultural production was introduced in September, 1961 in Dhanipur, Bhojpur and Panethi villages of Aligarh District in Uttar Pradesh. The number of cultivators who will benefit from the implementation of the scheme in these three villages is 25, 65 and 30 respectively. A total of 579 agricultural implements of 13 different types would be supplied to the cultivators under this project, besides a tool kit for individual cultivators.

TUNDLA-FARUKHABAD TRAIN ACCIDENT

- *175. { DR. A. SUBBA RAO:
SHRI A. C. GILBERT:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the driver of the Tundla-Farukhabad passenger train had complained to the railway authorities about the defects in the railway track only three days before the recent mishap; and

(b) if so, whether any action was taken on his complaint and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SHAH NAWAZ KHAN):

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

SETTING UP OF MILK DAIRIES WITH PASTEURISATION PLANTS AT BHOPAL

*176. SHRI P. N. RAJABHOJ: Will the Minister of FOOD AND AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Madhya Pradesh have approached the Government of India with a proposal for setting up three milk dairies with pasteurisation plants at Bhopal; and