

SHRI D. B. DESAI: In view of the existing concessions to the students in the adjoining States of Mysore, Maharashtra and Gujarat, is the Government thinking of extending the same concession to the schools in Goa?

SHRI DINESH SINGH: The concessions that prevail in Delhi will be extended to them.

SHRI B. P. BASAPPA SHETTY: May I know whether all these languages are being taught ever since the Portuguese rule started in Goa or after the Portuguese left?

SHRI DINESH SINGH: These have been continuing from the Portuguese times.

SHRI B. D. KHOBARAGADE: May I know whether Government have accepted all the recommendations of the Jha Commission and, if so, is Government prepared to lay a copy of this Report on the Table of the House?

SHRI DINESH SINGH: If you so desire, I will lay a copy of the recommendation accepted by Government on the Table.

SHRI M. H. SAMUEL: Among the languages the Deputy Minister has read out as being taught in Goa, Hindi seems to be conspicuously absent. Is there any particular reason for it?

SHRI JAWAHARLAL NEHRU: Hindi, I suppose, comes in or will come in as it comes in non-Hindi areas. It is not the language of the place, the languages of the place being Konkani, Marathi, etc.

SHRI A. B. VAJPAYEE: Then it should come at the secondary stage.

SHRI JAWAHARLAL NEHRU: I hope so.

SHRI A. B. VAJPAYEE: But it does not come.

SHRI JAWAHARLAL NEHRU: It may. It is a transitional stage but it is bound to come, I think.

SHRIMATI LAKSHMI MENON: May I point out that one of the recommendations of the Education Commission was that the medium of instruction would be the mother tongue or any of the languages in the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution? That covers the point.

SHRI A. B. VAJPAYEE: That is in regard to primary education. It does not relate to secondary education.

(No reply.)

SHRI R. S. KHANDEKAR: May I know, Madam, whether Konkani is a dialect of Marathi or a distinct language and therefore it is separately taught in Goa?

SHRI JAWAHARLAL NEHRU: That is a question which might be discussed in educational conferences but it is the language spoken there.

PANDIT S. S. N. TANKHA: May I know what is the number of Urdu-speaking population in Goa?

SHRI DINESH SINGH: I have not got the details about the Urdu-speaking population but I can, if you like, give the details of the schools teaching Urdu there.

SHRI M. RUTHNASWAMY: May I know if the Delhi concessions in regard to secondary education are more liberal than the Bombay and Gujarat concessions?

SHRI DINESH SINGH: I do not know. I have mentioned that they will be the same as prevail in Delhi.

CREDIT GUARANTEE SCHEME FOR SMALL SCALE INDUSTRY

*354. SHRI KRISHNA CHANDRA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the names of places where the Credit Guarantee Scheme has been brought into operation and since when and the names of places where the Scheme is proposed to be extended in the current year;

(b) the amount of loan advanced under the Scheme in 1960 and 1961 by the State Bank and other Scheduled Banks; and

(c) the amount of loans advanced under the Scheme in Meerut and Ferozabad districts of Uttar Pradesh.

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI N. KANUNGO): (a) to (c) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

(a) The scheme was introduced in 22 districts from 1st July, 1960; the names of which are given below:—

Hyderabad
Krishna
Kamrup
Ranchi
Delhi (Union Territory)
Ahmedabad
Surat
Trivandrum
Gird
Coimbatore
Madras
Greater Bombay
Kolhapur
Bangalore
Cuttack
Amritsar
Ludhiana
Jaipur
Agra
Kanpur
Calcutta
Howrah

The scheme was extended to the following 4 districts from 28th February, 1961:

Thana
Gurdaspur
Gurgaon
Meerut

The Scheme was further extended to the following 26 districts from 28th June, 1961 thus bringing the total number of districts in which it is in operation, at present, to 52. The 26 districts are:

East Godavari
Warrangal
Patna
Baroda
Rajkot
Jammu
Srinagar
Palghat
Quilon
Trichur
Indore
Raipur
Chingleput
Madurai
Salem
Nagpur
Poona
Dharwar
Ambala
Jullundur
Jodhpur
Aligarh
Allahabad
Moradabad
Varanasi
Burdwan

(b) A statement of guarantee certificates issued to the State Bank of India and other scheduled banks up to the end of 1960 and 1961 is given below:—

(Rupees in thousands)

	Up to the end of Dec., 1960	Up to the end of Dec., 1961
	Amount	Amount
State Bank of India	63,25	5,34,85
Subsidiaries of State Bank of India	..	13,90
Other Scheduled Banks	83	13,07

The figures are cumulative representing the total issues since the introduction of the scheme upto the dates indicated.

(c) The amount of guarantees issued upto the 30th June 1962 in respect of advances to small scale industrial units situated in Meerut is Rs. 16,82,000. The figure relating to Ferozabad situated in Agra district is included in the total figure for Agra district which is Rs. 33,58,500.

SHRI KRISHNA CHANDRA: May I know, Madam, whether the Government are satisfied with the way the scheme is being actually carried on?

SHRI N. KANUNGO: Yes; it is a credit scheme, that is, giving loans and all that. In the course of two years the progress has been satisfactory and it might be seen that apart from the State Bank of India other commercial banks have also come into the scheme.

SHRI KRISHNA CHANDRA: May I know whether the hon. Minister has received any representation from the small scale industry that the scheme is not being carried out in the spirit in which it was introduced by the scheduled banks and even by the State Bank?

SHRI N. KANUNGO: No, Madam. We have not received any representation on this subject from any association.

SHRI KRISHNA CHANDRA: May I know whether the hon. Finance Minister stated somewhere that the banks are still very rigid in advancing loans to small scale industries?

SHRI N. KANUNGO: I am not aware of it.

INDIAN AMBASSADOR IN PHILIPPINES

*355. **SHRI S. C. DEB:** Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether a new Ambassador of India has been appointed to represent the country in the philippines; and

(b) if so, who has been appointed?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI DINESH SINGH): (a) Yes.

(b) **Shri Mohd. Sulaiman Sait.**

SHRI S. C. DEB: May I know whether any officer was already serving there and whether he was transferred?

SHRI DINESH SINGH: We had an Ambassador. He finished his term and he has returned.

*356. [The questioner (Shri Bhupesh Gupta) was absent. For answer, vide cols. 1757-58 infra.]

TRIPARTITE MEETING OF COAL INTERESTS

*357. **SHRI NIRANJAN SINGH:** Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to refer to the answer given to Starred Question No. 17 in the Rajya Sabha on June 14, 1962 and state:

(a) whether the conclusions reached at the tripartite meeting of the coal interests have now been finalised; and

(b) if not, when they are likely to be finalised?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI JAISUKHLAL HATHI): (a) Yes.

(b) Does not arise.

SHRI NIRANJAN SINGH: When is this Report to be expected and what are the recommendations?

SHRI RATANLAL KISHORILAL MALVIYA: The conclusions have been finalised and they have been circulated to the organisations concerned on the 17th of June.

SHRI NIRANJAN SINGH: What are the main conclusions?

SHRI RATANLAL KISHORILAL MALVIYA: The main conclusions are these. The managements and unions in coal mines should improve their relations and set right the lapses, that is, non-implementation of enactments, awards and agreements, non-establish-