

CONSTRUCTION OF AN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT IN DELHI

316. MOULANA M. FARUQI: Will the Minister of TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a scheme for the construction of an international airport in Delhi has been finalised;

(b) where it will be constructed; and

(c) what is the cost of the scheme?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI AHMED MOHIUD-DTN): (a) No decision has yet been reached on the question of establishing a separate international civil airport for Delhi, but Palam will continue in joint use by the Civil Aviation Department and the Indian Air Force for the present.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

REQUIREMENTS OF CHEMICAL FERTILIZERS

317. SHRI M. VALIULLA: Will the Minister of FOOD AND AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) what are our present requirements of chemical fertilizers; and

(b) to what extent they are expected to go up at the end of the Second Five Year Plan and the Third Five Year Plan?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE (SHRI A. P. JAIN): (a) and (b). A statement is appended. [See Appendix XXII, Annexure No. 82.]

CANCELLATION OF MADRAS-NEW DELHI AIR-CONDITIONED EXPRESS TRAINS

318. MOULANA M. FARUQI: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Madras-New Delhi Air-conditioned Express Trains were cancelled in the first week of September, 1958 until further orders; and

(b) if so, why?

1 THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SHAH NAWAZ KHAN): I (a) and (b). Due to breaches on the I Kazipet-Balharshah section of the J Central Railway, the running of J Nos. 21 Dn/22 Up Air-conditioned Express Trains between Madras and New Delhi was cancelled since 1st September, 1958 from Madras and 3rd September, 1958 from New Delhi. The service has been restored from Madras with effect from 15th September, 1958 and from New Delhi with effect from 17th September, 1958.

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३१६. श्री राम सहाय : क्या खाद्य तथा कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि अभी हाल में सरकार का अमरीका के साथ गेहूं के लिये जो करार हुआ था उसके मातहत कब तक गेहूं भारत में आ जायेगा ?

t [WHEAT FROM U.S.A.]

319. SHRI RAM SAHAI: Will the Minister of FOOD AND AGRICULTURE be pleased to state by when the wheat under the wheat agreement recently entered into by Government with the United States of America will arrive in India?

खाद्य तथा कृषि मंत्री (श्री ए० पी० जैन) : नये समझौते पर अभी हस्ताक्षर होने हैं ।

t [THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE (SHRI A. P. JAIN): The new agreement has yet to be signed.]

दिल्ली में नल के पानी का सम्भरण

३२०. श्री राम सहाय : क्या स्वास्थ्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि दिल्ली में कब तक नल का ऐसा पानी आने लगेगा जिससे बीमारी का खतरा न रहे और पानी को उबालने की भी आवश्यकता न पड़े ?

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