

SHRIMATI SAVITRY DEVI NIGAM May I know what measures Government is taking to induce the handloom weavers to use Ambar yarn?

SHRI N KANUNGO The Ambar programme is run by the Khadi Commission and they are taking such steps as would lead to the weaving of Ambar yarn by handloom weavers as much as possible. As a matter of fact, the production of Ambar yarn is not such that it causes alarm.

SHRIMATI SAVITRY DEVI NIGAM May I know if the weavers of Ambar yarn get some more subsidy and concessions than the weavers of mill yarn?

SHRI N KANUNGO. Usual subsidies which are applicable to khadi yarn are available for Ambar yarn also and they are slightly higher than the mill yarn.

SHRIMATI SAVITRY DEVI NIGAM May I know the number of weavers who have already joined the co-operatives and got themselves registered?

SHRI N KANUNGO I have not got that information.

SHRI M GOVINDA REDDY May I know, Sir, in view of the fact that master weavers find a large margin of profit by buying mill yarn and weaving it into cloth, whether they do not find it profitable to engage themselves in weaving the Ambar yarn and if so, whether the Government do not consider to make up that difference in the margin of profit by way of subsidy?

SHRI N KANUNGO: Not at all. The idea is that Ambar yarn has got to compete in quality with the best available yarn in the country, and once it has established itself, it will go into the weaving trade as quickly as possible.

DISPLACED PERSONS IN NILOKHERI

*469 **SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD.** Will the Minister of REHABILITATION

AND MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state

(a) the total amount of money so far spent on Nilokheri Colony for displaced persons,

(b) the total number of displaced persons living there at present, and

(c) the number of displaced persons who have got employment in Nilokheri?

THE MINISTER OF REHABILITATION AND MINORITY AFFAIRS (**SHRI MEHR CHAND KHANNA**) (a) Rs 110 25 lakhs

(b) About 1,400 families or 7,000 persons

(c) About 1,200

DISPLACED PERSONS IN TRIPURA

*470 **SHRI ABDUL LATIF:** Will the Minister of REHABILITATION AND MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state

(a) the total number of displaced persons in Tripura at present, and

(b) how many of them have so far been rehabilitated?

THE MINISTER OF REHABILITATION AND MINORITY AFFAIRS (**SHRI MEHR CHAND KHANNA**) (a) About 83,000 families

(b) 51,500 displaced families have received rehabilitation benefits. In addition, about 12,000 families are believed to have rehabilitated themselves without Government aid.

श्री अब्दुल लतीफ : क्या मैं यह जान सकता हूँ कि इन डिसप्लेस्ड परसन्स में से कितनी फैमिलीज ऐसी हैं जोकि फाल्स माइग्रेशन सर्टीफिकेट्स ले कर आई हैं ?

श्री मेहर चन्द खन्ना : जहाँ तक फाल्स माइग्रेशन सर्टीफिकेट का ताल्लुक है उस को ले कर कुछ चन्द एक महीने हुए कुछ तादाद आई थी लेकिन अब नये कोई नहीं आ रहे हैं। जहाँ तक आपके त्रिपुरा का ताल्लुक है, इनकी तादाद कोई ज्यादा नहीं थी, थोड़ी थी।

श्री अब्दुल लतीफ : जो फाल्स माइग्रेशन सर्टीफिकेट्स को ले कर आये हैं उन