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श्रीर पिछले दो मौसिम में इस किस्म से मछली पकड़ने के नतीजे अच्छे मिले हैं।

- २. सन् १९५० के बाद पश्चिम बंगाल की सरकार ने दो डैनिश ट्रोलरस (Danish Trawlers) के द्वारा बंगाल की खाड़ी के ऊपरी भागों में मीन क्षेत्रों का सर्वे किया। हाल में ही, बंगाल की खाड़ी के ऊपरी भागों में मछली खोज कार्य को जोर से चलाने के लिये इंडो अमेरिकन सहायता कार्यक्रम के अन्तर्गत तीन बुल ट्रोलरस (Bull Trawlers) हासिल किये गये।
- ३. भारतीय सरकार ने नई किस्म के गीग्रर जैसे कि पर्स सेन्स, श्रिम्प ट्रालस (Purse-Seines) (Shrimp Trawls) सुधरे किस्म के गिल जाल और ट्राल लाइन्स (Gill nets and troll lines) इत्यादि के द्वारा अनुसंघान तथा प्रयोग करने के लिये बिजली से चलने वाले जहाज हासिल किये हैं।

†[THE MINISTER FOR FOOD AND AGRICULTURE (SHRI A. P. JAIN): A statement is attached.

## STATEMENT

The Government of India established a Pilot Deep Sea Fishing Station at Bombay in 1946 with the object of charting of fishing grounds, determining fishing seasons and fish intensities, assessing suitability of different kinds of fishing crafts and gear under Indian conditions, carrying on experiments on methods of preservation of fish and training of Indian personnel in fishing methods etc. Exploratory fishing was conducted from 1948 onwards with trawlers for bottom fisheries and with Reekie Boats for mid-water and surface fisheries. far, more than 17,000 sq. miles of fishing grounds within 40-fathom line off the West Coast of Bombay and Saurashtra have been surveyed and charted. In 1953, two trawlers of (he station were converted for bull trawling and results of this type of fishing during the last two seasons have been satisfactory.

- 2. Survey of fishing grounds at tht head of Bay of Bengal were conducted by the Government of West Bengal with two Danish Trawlers from 1950 onwards. Recently, three Bull trawlers have been procured under Indo-American Aid Programme for intensifying exploratory fishing activities at the head of the Bay of Bengal.
- 3. The Government of India have procured power fishing vessels for undertaking experimental and exploratory fishing with new types of gear such as Purse-Seines, Shrimp Trawls, improved types of Gill nets and troll lines etc.]

## DISTRIBUTION OF FERTILISERS TO STATES

367. Shri VIJAY SINGH: Will the Minister for FOOD AND AGRICULTURE be pleased to refer to paragraph 37 at page 11 of the thirteenth report of the Estimate Committee and state the total quantity of fertilisers distributed so far to each State from Sindri?

THE MINISTER FOR FOOD AND AGRICULTURE (SHRI A. P. JAIN): A statement giving the required information is attached. [See Appendix XI, Annexure No. 77.]

## AID FROM UNICEF

368. Shri D. NARAYAN: Will the Minister for HEALTH be pleased to state the statewise allocation of the amount which India received from the United Nations Children's Fund during each of the last three years\*

THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH (RAJKUMARI AMRTT KAUR): Information regarding the state-wise allocation of the amount which India received from the United Nations Children's Fund during each of the