

- (c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF EARTH SCIENCES (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY): (a) Yes, Sir. The Department of Space has been pursuing to organize due institutional arrangements for building up information base required for climate change impact assessment for National Information System for Climate and Environment Studies (NICES) at the National Remote Sensing Centre (NRSC), Hyderabad.

- (b) No, Sir.

- (c) Does not arise.

Disputes relating to promotion of programme executives

993. DR. E.M. SUDARSANA NATCHIAPPAN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has settled the disputes on the promotion of programme executives which was pending for the last 30 years creating stagnation at various levels; and

(b) if not, whether the Ministry has taken efforts to make the unions to withdraw the cases in various courts appointing and enabling arbitrator to resolve the disputes?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI MANISH TEWARI): (a) The disputes in the promotion of Programme Executives are presently *sub-judice* in the Central Administrative Tribunal and Courts.

(b) Does not arise in view of the fact that these matters are at various levels of hearing in the Tribunal and Courts.

Development of regional film industry

994. SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA:

SHRI PARSHOTTAM KHODABHAI RUPALA:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) the details of action taken by the Ministry in consultation with State Governments for development of regional film industries;