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ANDHRA PRADESH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Thursday, the 16th March, 1961

The House met at Half Past Eight of the Clock

(The Deputy Speaker in the Chair)

ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Starting of the Paper Mill at Bodhan

785—

*439 (1368) Q —Sri P Rajagopal Naidu (Tavanampalli) Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state whether the Paper Mill proposed to be started near Bodhan using Bagasse is going to be managed by the Government directly or to be given to any private management?

The Chief Minister (Sri D. Sanjivayya) The matter is still under consideration of the Government.
Loss due by Praga Tools Corporation Ltd,

786—

*909 Q—Sri Vavilala Gopalakrishnayya (Sattenapalli) Will hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to state

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government waived a sum of Rs. 5 28 lakhs due by the Praga Tools Corporation Limited as interest on the loan of Rs. 17 25 lakhs and,

(b) if so, why?

Sri D Sanjivayya

(a) Yes, the Government had foregone Rs. 5,28,769-87 np being interest due upto 31-3-1959 from the company

(b) This is one of the conditions for the participation by the Government of India in the share capital of the company

Cement Industry at Vadapalli, Nalgonda District

787—

*1049 Q.—Sri B Dharmabhiksham [Put by Smt A Kamala Devi (Alair)] Will hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to state

(a) whether any investigations have been made to explore the possibilities of starting Cement Industry at Vadapalli of Nalgonda district,

(b) if so, whether the particulars will be placed on the Table of the House, and

(c) whether the said industry will be included in the Second Five-Year Plan?
Sri D. Sanjivayya

(a) Vadapally area was surveyed by the Geological Dept in 1933-38. Raw materials are found to be in abundance and quality suitable for cement manufacture.

(b) A short note on geology and the extent of lime stone and clay occurrences in the surroundings of Vadapally is placed on the Table of the House.

(c) The proposal for starting a cement factory at Vadapally was not included in the Second Five Year Plan, but Zilla Parishad, Nalgonda, propose to start a cement factory at Vadapally during Third Five Year Plan, under Co-operative sector.

A SHORT NOTE ON GEOLOGY AND THE EXTENT OF LIMESTONE AND CLAY OCCURRENCES IN THE SURROUNDINGS OF VADAPALLI OF NALGONDA DISTRICT, PLACED ON THE TABLE OF THE HOUSE

Geological Survey of the Vadapally surroundings was undertaken between 1933-38 by the former Hyderabad Geological Survey Department and their reports on this area are found in J H G S Volume III Part 2 (Pages 109 to 113) and Volume V Part 1 (Pages 162-181) stocked by the Department of Mines and Geology as well as by the Geological Survey of India (Andhra Circle), Hyderabad.

In view of the abundant availability of raw material, Shabad Stone and Clay at Vadapally, two students and a lecturer from Geological Dept, Science College, Osmania University have surveyed Vadapally area. In their view, the raw materials are in abundance and quality also very suitable for starting Cement Industry. A report from them is awaited.

Wadapally Village which is 15 miles away from Miryalaguda Samithi Headquarter had plenty of Shabad stone and clay which is rich in calcium carbonate and silica required for the manufacture of cement. Samples of lime stone, shale and clay were sent to the Director, Regional Research Laboratory. Results are given below.

Sample-1 Lime Stone
Loss on ignition 37.5%
CaO 47.5%
The stone and clay contain high percentage of calcium carbonate and silica, which are required to manufacture cement.

Establishment of Glass Factory

(a) whether the Government invited Hungarian Experts as advisers for setting up a Glass Factory in the State,
(b) if so, what is the opinion of the experts,
(c) what is the cost of the factory, and
(d) what is the opinion of the Centre in this regard?

Sri D Sanjivayya

(a) The services of the Hungarian Experts for the preparation of a project report for setting up an integrated project for glass products are being obtained
(b) (c) & (d) Do not arise
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Will the hon Deputy Chief Minister be pleased to state

(a) the acreage for which Government collected wet rates of Kist for the first and second crops under Lakhnavaram lake, Warangal district during each of the years from 1954-55 to 1959-60, and

(b) the amount spent on project repairs of this lake during the said period?

Collection of Wet Rates under Lakhnavaram Lake

789—

*S701 (1584) Q —Sri S V K Prasad [Put by Sri K L Narasimha Rao (Yellandu General)] Will the hon Deputy Chief Minister be pleased to state

(a) the acreage for which Government collected wet rates of Kist for the first and second crops under Lakhnavaram lake, Warangal district during each of the years from 1954-55 to 1959-60, and

(b) the amount spent on project repairs of this lake during the said period?
(a) and (b) The particulars are laid on the Table of the House

(b) The amount spent on project repairs of this lake during the said period

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Oral Answers to Questions

Q 1. Will the Minister consider the inclusion of alcoholic beverages in the list of essential commodities?

Q 2. Can the Minister explain why the price of essential goods is not being reduced?

Q 3. What measures are being taken to ensure the availability of essential goods?

Q 4. Why has the price of essential goods increased recently?

Q 5. What steps are being taken to control the black market in essential goods?

Q 6. Why is the supply of essential goods not adequate to meet the demand?

Q 7. What action is being taken to improve the supply of essential goods?

Q 8. What is being done to control the hoarding of essential goods?

Q 9. What is the current price of essential goods?

Q 10. What measures are being taken to ensure fair competition in the supply of essential goods?
The hon Deputy Chief Minister be pleased to state the additional amount realised in 1959-60 and 1960-61 by implementing the enhancement of water rates under the Irrigation Cess Act, in each district as per G O Ms. No 1161, Revenue, dated the 23rd June, 1958 and also the income for the year 1959-60 and 1960-61?

The particulars have been called for from the Board of Revenue and these are awaited. These will be placed on the Table of the House as soon as they are received.

Sri K V. Ranga Reddy

Enhancement of Water Rates
Supply of Electricity to the Villages in Medak District.

318 (1216) Q — Sri Baswamamiah (Andole) Will the hon Minister for Public Works be pleased to state

(a) the number of villages to which the electricity was supplied in Medak district (Taluk-wise), and

(b) is it a fact that the Ryots of Kadlur, Andole taluk, Medak district and the ryots of Ismailkhanpet, Kalabgoor taluk, Medak district submitted the application to the Minister for Public Works on 26th May 1960 for the supply of power?

The Minister for Public Works (Sri A Satyanarayana Raju)

(a) 43 in all

(b) Yes, Sir

(a) 48

(b) 48

Is it a fact that the Ryots of Kadlur, Andole taluk, Medak district and the ryots of Ismailkhanpet, Kalabgoor taluk, Medak district submitted the application to the Minister for Public Works on 26th May 1960 for the supply of power?
Compensation to Lands for Alladrug-Motalkunta Road 793—

*785 Q — Sri M Baga Reddy (Zahirabad) Will the hon. Minister for Public Works be pleased to state

(a) whether it is a fact that the Pattadars of Sirur, Pampad and Mahipatpur villages of Zahirabad taluk of Medak district were not given compensation for the loss of their lands, as a result of the construction of Alladrug-Motalkunta road, and

(b) whether it is also a fact that the compensation files in this regard are pending since last ten years for want of some formalities in the concerned revenue offices without any decision?

Sri A. Satyanarayana Raju

(a) The question of payment of compensation is pending in respect of Sirur and Mahipatpur villages only. There is no case of compensation pending in respect of Pampad village.

(b) These cases are pending since 1959 only and not for last 10 years for want of formalities.
(a) the number of electricity supply corporations in the State which are under private management, and

(d) the number of the said institutions which the Government propose to take and hand over to the Electricity Board before the end of this year?

Sri A Satyanarayana Raju

(a) Only four concerns are under private management. They are

(i) Eluru
(ii) Vijayawada
(iii) Masulipatnam
(iv) Kothagudem

Electricity Supply Corporations

(b) The Government propose to take over the following three undertakings, namely,

(i) Eluru

(ii) Vijayawada

(iii) Masulipatnam.
Yellapur Causeway and Road

795—

*1373 (W) Q—Sri Baswamaniah Will the hon Minister for Public Works be pleased to state

(a) is it a fact that the patta lands were taken by the Government for construction of Yellapur causeway and road in Medak district,

(b) is it a fact that compensation has not been paid to the cultivators, and

(c) is it a fact that a representation was made by Sri Baswa Maniah, M L. A to the Secretary to the Government, P W D on 23rd August, 1960 in this regard?

Sri A Satyanarayana Raju

(a) Yes ə rê

(b) Yes ə rê

(c) Yes ə rê
The Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation has no proposal under consideration at present.

*455 (1386) Q — Sri N. Peddana (Put by Sri Visweswara Rao) Will the hon. Minister for Education and Transport be pleased to state whether the Government propose to extend the buses from Khammam and Kothagudem to Mathagudem up to Tiruvur which is at a distance of one mile only in view of the nationalisation of bus routes in Krishna district?

[The Minister for Planning and Information depu-tised the Minister for Education and Transport and an-swerd the questions]

The Minister for Planning and Information (Sri P. Ranga Reddy)

The Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation has no proposal under consideration at present.

*5, 164 (1386) Q — Sri Palabolu Venkata Ramara-rahul Jr. Hyderabad Telangana area taxation sawalam, constable, etc., remu-nements?
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R T C Buses from Raipalli to Motalkunta

797—

*681 Q—Sh M Baga Reddy  Will the hon Minister for Education and Transport be pleased to state

(a) whether it is a fact that Alladrug-Motalkunta road in Medak district was handed over to Road Transport Corporation for running of Road Transport Corporation buses from Raipalli to Motalkunta about six months back,
(b) whether it is also a fact that several representations have been made by the M L A , Zaheerabad and President, Panchayat Samithi, Mirzapur to the concerned Road Transport Corporation authorities to ply the Road Transport Corporation buses on this road,

(c) whether it is also a fact that the Road Transport Corporation Andhra Pradesh addressed the R T C Bangalore, in this regard,

(d) if so, the nature of the reply received from the Road Transport Corporation Mysore, and

(e) if it is not possible to run the R T C buses, whether the Government allow the private buses to run on this road?

Sri P Ranga Reddy

(a) The Alladurg-Metalkunta road in Medak district was constructed and declared open for vehicular traffic by the Public Works Department

(b) There have been representations to the Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation from the M L A , Zaheerabad and President, Panchayat Samithi, Mirzapur, to extend the existing services operating on the route between Hyderabad and Raipalli upto Zaheerabad

(c) Yes

(d) The General Manager, Mysore Government had replied the Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation that he had recommended the proposal to the Government of Mysore

(e) Does not arise

Additional Bus Routes from Madras to Nellore

798—

*690 Q—Sri M Muniswamy [Put by Sri S Vemayya (Buchireddipalem - Reserved)] Will the hon Minister for Education and Transport be pleased to state
(a) whether it is a fact that two additional bus routes were sanctioned (one Nellore night halt and another Madras night halt) from Madras to Nellore a year ago and

(b) if so, why they are not running?

Sri P. Ranga Raddy

(a and b) No, Sir. One permit was granted by the Regional Transport Authority, Nellore on 17-12-1960 to ply from Nellore and the bus has been plying from 14-1-1960.
Fowls purchased by the Udayagiri Panchayat Samithi

799—

*976 Q — Sri K Venkata Reddy [Put by Sri Shaik Moula Saheb (Udayagiri)] Will the hon Minister for Planning and Information be pleased to state

(a) the number of fowls purchased by the Udayagiri Panchayat Samithi, Nellore district from 1st April 1958 to 31st March 1960, and

(b) the number supplied to the ryots?

Sri P Ranga Reddy,

(a) 206

(b) 198 (8 fowls had died in transit)

Appointment of Candidates by the Chairman of the Zilla Parishads and Presidents of Block Samithis

800—

*1402 Q — Sri Shaik Moula Sahib Will the hon Minister for Planning and Information be pleased to state
(a) whether the Government are aware of the fact that the Chairman of the Zilla Parishads and Presidents of Block Samithis are appointing candidates in their own way instead of appointing the candidates selected by the Public Service Commission, and

(b) whether the Government propose to abolish the District Employment Exchange Offices in all the districts in view of the fact that Zilla Parishads and Block Samithis have been formed and extensive powers are vested in them to bring about administrative decentralisation?

**Sri P Ranga Reddy**

(a) According to the Rules issued for appointment of candidates in District cadre posts in Zilla Parishad and Panchayat Samithis candidates selected by the Public Service Commission need not be appointed in Zilla Parishad and Panchayat Samithi Offices. The Chairmen of Zilla Parishads and Presidents of Panchayat Samithis have to appoint candidates selected by the District Selection Committees constituted for the purpose.

(b) There is no proposal to abolish the District Employment Exchange.
Will the hon. Minister for Planning and Information be pleased to state whether the Government propose to bring out a publication on the same lines as previously done by the Government of the Composite Madras State in 1951 under the title “Progress during five years” (Ayiden-dla Abhyudayam) to create interest in the rural areas?

Sri P Ranga Reddy Government will produce a complete review of the achievements under the II Plan.
Trustee for Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments

1458 Q — Sri P Kodandaramaiah

Will the hon Minister for Endowments and Co-operation be pleased to state

(a) what are the necessary qualifications for appointment as a member of the Trust under Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments, and

(b) how and on what basis the selection of the personnel is being made?

The Minister for Endowments and Co-operation
(Sri K Chandramouli)

(a) The qualifications prescribed for appointment as Trustees of Religious Institutions are (1) that he should be a Hindu and (2) he should be within the age of 25-70 years

(b) Applications are called for from the local people and after enquiring into the credentials of the applicants the appointing authority appoints the best suitable persons.
Rural Medical Practitioners

803—

*1024 Q — Sri S Narayanappa Will the hon Minister for Health and Medical be pleased to state
(a) what is the scale of pay of the Rural Medical Practitioners in Andhra Area before October 1959,
(b) whether it is a fact that new scales of pay were not given to them, and
(c) if so, the reasons for the same?

The Minister for Health and Medical (Sri P.V G Raju)

(a) No regular scale of pay was sanctioned to the Rural Medical Practitioners employed in Rural Dispensaries They were paid a fixed amount as subsidy per mensem The following are the rates of subsidy paid to the Rural Medical Practitioners in Andhra area before October 1959

Graduates Rs 75 fixed P M.
Non-Graduates Rs 65 fixed P M

(b) and (c) Orders have since been issued for giving effect to the revised rate of the subsidy to Rural Medical Practitioners as recommended by the Pay Committee.
Honoraria to the Medical Practitioners in the Rural Dispensaries

804—

*Sri S. Kasi Reddy [Put by Sri S Narayanappa]* Will the hon Minister for Health and Medical be pleased to state

(a) whether it is a fact that the recently enhanced honoraria subsidies have not so far been paid to the Medical Practitioners working in the rural dispensaries in Andhra Pradesh State, and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor?

Sri P. V. G. Raju

(a) & (b) In G O Ms No 2710 Health dated 19-11 1960 the Government have issued orders for the implementation of the revised rates of subsidy recommended by the Pay Committee to the Rural Medical Practitioners employed in the Rural Dispensaries and the above orders are being implemented.

Rural Ayurvedic Dispensaries in Krishna District

805—

*Sri V. Visweswara Rao* Will the hon Minister for Health and Medical be pleased to state

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government decided to subsidise the Rural Ayurvedic Dispensaries in the Krishna district, and

(b) if so, how much amount was paid as subsidy?

Sri P. V. G. Raju

(a) The Government are paying subsidy to Rural Medical Practitioners and Maternity Assistants employed in certain Subsidised Rural Dispensaries in Krishna District.

(b) An expenditure of Rs 1,335 is being incurred every month towards the payment of subsidy to Rural Medical Practitioners and Maternity Assistants in Krishna District.
Sri P V G Raju: I think I have said that we are implementing the new pay-scales from November, 1960, Sir.

Sri P V G Raju: There are two types of rural centres. One type of rural centres is being run by Zilla Parishads and Panchayat Samithis, and the other is being financed by the Government. Hon’ble member must be referring to a dispensary being run by Zilla Parishads and Panchayat Samithis. I am taking notice of what he has said now and I will see why the amount has not been paid to this particular institution.

Sri P V G Raju: There is no difference between what is happening and what the hon Member is saying, in the case of verification of the practitioner in the first instance. After all the Zilla Parishads have only come up in the last one year or 1½ years. Till the verification takes place, some salaries are not being paid. But the moment the verification takes place, automatically, the salary is being disbursed, and there is no difficulty about it.

Sri P V G Raju: I am sorry that the amount has not been paid. Very often these things happen. If the hon Member writes to me particular instances, I will have them looked into immediately.
Sri P V G Raju  We have passed a G O That means automatically it is going to be implemented If there are instances where it is not implemented and if the hon Member brings them to my attention I will immediately have them examined I cannot give a list of all hospitals where it is not being implemented Once the Government takes a decision, it is assumed that it is going to be implemented

Sri N C Seshadri Will the hon Minister say whether there is any difference in pay scales between doctors working in the rural dispensaries run by Government and rural dispensaries run by the Zilla Parishads?

Sri P V G. Raju  There may be some difference in the pay-scales That depends essentially upon the capacity of the local bodies The Pay Committee had recommended certain scales of pay to be paid uniformly throughout the State They would apply for the Zilla Parishads also but that, as I said, depends upon the capacity of the local bodies Doctors posted to Government dispensaries directly would get a higher scale of pay than those posted to Zilla Parishad or Panchayat Samithi dispensaries

Sri P V G. Raju  The hon Member has raised two issues in his question So far as larger stocks of medicine in Zilla Parishads or Panchayat Samithi Dispensaries are concerned the extra budget will have to be borne by the Zilla Parishads or Panchayat Samithis concerned. I think the hon Member should put the question to the Planning Minister who may possibly sanction, to the Zilla Parishads and the Panchayat Samithis, extra money to stock larger quantities of medicine in their dispensaries.
The second part is that school masters are practising as rural medical practitioners. The hon Member is aware that in the case of Ayurvedic, Unani and other systems of medicine, there is a rule that if anybody practices for ten years, he can obtain a certificate and continue his practice. I think the hon Members of this House also sometimes come forward and give such certificates to these worthy gentlemen. If that is to be stopped, a definite attitude and approach to Ayurvedic, Unani and other systems of medicine will have to be taken. This afternoon the debate on the demands for the Medical and Health Department is coming up and, if so desired, we can discuss it at that time.

House sites to Backward Communities of Guntupalli

806—

*332 (1234) Q—Sri V Visveswara Rao Will the hon Minister for Social Welfare be pleased to state

(a) whether the people belonging to Backward Communities of Guntupalli, Vijayawada taluk, Krishna district deposited money with the Government in 1959 for providing house sites to them,

(b) if so, the amount deposited to the Government,

(c) whether they have been provided house sites, and

(d) if not, why?

The Minister for Social Welfare (Srimathi Masooma Begum)

(a) Yes, Sir

(b) Rs 11,100/- (Rupees eleven thousand one hundred only), was deposited by the applicants at the Sub Treasury Bandar

(c) Not yet provided.

(d) There was delay due to procedural difficulties which are now overcome. The District Social Welfare Officer, Krishna according to the report of the Collector, will pass the award shortly.
Sri V Visveswara Rao  May I know when this Rs 11,000 and odd was deposited?

Srimathi Masooma Begum  On 12-2-1959 and 5-8-1959

Myself and my children had to go to school regularly. I also had to go to work. I have already stated that the report of the Collector has come and the awards will be passed shortly.

Antervedipalem Madyaguntu House sites  Scheme for Harijans

807—*1367 Q —Sri G Nageswara Rao (Put by Sri S Vemayya) Will the hon Minister for Social Welfare be pleased to state

(a) whether any letter, dated 19th October 1960 was received by the Minister from Sri Ganji Nageswara Rao, M L A about the Antarvedipalem, Madyaguntu (Razole taluk, East Godavari district) Harijan House sites scheme sanctioned by the District Social Welfare Department for the year 1960-61, but subsequently cancelled by the Zilla Parishad, IV Standing Committee on 10th October 1960,

(b) if so, is it not a fact that the said scheme was cancelled on the simple reason that the Kobbarathota Kalva Harijans of the same village were granted house sites in 1958-59,

(c) if so, whether the Government propose to continue the said scheme and complete the acquisition process during the year 1960-61?

Srimathi Masooma Bagem

(a) Yes, Sir

(b) The said scheme was dropped as house sites were already granted to the Harijans of Kobbarathota-Kalva in Antarvedipalem village and as there are many
more villages in the District where Harijans badly require house sites and which deserve priority over this village.

(c) No, Sir

Smt Masooma Begum There was a proposal pending for over a year to provide house sites to 53 Harijan families of Antervedipalem Madhyaguntu. By the time the preliminary enquiry was completed, orders of the Government transferring certain functions of the Social Welfare Department to the Zilla Parishad came into effect. So far as land acquisition is concerned, the function that was transferred to the Zilla Parishad is the approval of the site selected for acquisition. Accordingly, the S Nos proposed for acquisition were placed before the Standing Committee No IV of the Zilla Parishad for approval, but the Standing Committee No IV of the Zilla Parishad in its resolution No 33 dated 10-10-60 resolved to drop the proposal for providing house sites to the Harijans of Antervedipalem Madhyaguntu, as house sites were already granted in this village in 1958-59. As resolved by the Standing Committee No. IV of the Zilla Parishad, the proposal was dropped.

As decided by the Standing Committee No IV of the Zilla Parishad, the proposal will not be taken up during the year 1960-61. The question of taking up the proposal during the year 1961-62 will have to be decided by the Standing Committee No IV of the Zilla Parishad.

May I add that there are several villages in the East Godavari District where Harijans are in acute need of house sites and have been agitating for the last several years? For want of funds or for other reasons, they could not have their object achieved till now. At present, there are proposals on hand for many villages duly completing the necessary formalities and even in their case acquisition cannot be proceeded with due to funds not being available to meet the cost of acquisition. The balance of allotment for this year is not sufficient...
even to pass the award in respect of acquisition of lands in Mulakallanka Village. When such is the case there is little scope to take up acquisition in this case in 1960-61.

Smt Masooma Begum The matter has been considered by the Standing Committee of the Zilla Parishad, and naturally priority will be given to those who have not acquired any house sites so far.

**House sites for the Harijans of Velgaleru and Duggaralapad**

808—

*1374 (J) Q—Sri V Visweswara Rao Will the Hon Minister for Social Welfare be pleased to state

(a) whether the Government are aware that the house sites taken possession of by the Welfare Officer in February, 1959, in Krishna district have not been handed over to the Harijans of Velgaleru and Duggaralapad in Vijayawada taluk,

(b) if so, the reasons for delay in handing over these sites to Harijans, and

(c) whether they will be handed over atleast now?

Srimathi Masooma Begum

(a) The land acquired in Duggaralapad (village) and Velgaleru (village) was taken possession of on 27-3 1960 and 5-5 1960 respectively but not in February, 1959, as pointed out by the Hon’ble Member

(b) The delay is due to procedural difficulties

(c) Action is being taken by the Tahsildar, Vijayawada to assign the sites to Harijans

Sri V Visweswara Rao The land has been taken possession of from the owners and it is now in the possession of the Department. Why was there so much of delay in handing over the sites?
Smt. Masooma Begum: The sanctioned SD record was sent to the Tahsildar, Vijayawada on 22-7-1960 for carrying out change in Revenue accounts after observing the formalities under S & B Act. Necessary changes in Village accounts have been carried out by the Tahsildar, Vijayawada after serving the notices under Section 9 (2) of S & B Act. In view of instructions contained in G O No 294, Education dated 10-2-56, a list of Harijans to whom house sites have to be provided free of cost together with the approved lay out plan was sent to the Tahsildar, Vijayawada on 18-10-1960 for assigning the land required. Under this the Tahsildar has to observe certain formalities, has to obtain individual applications from the Harijans and to publish a notice in the form prescribed allowing 15 days time for the receipt of objections, if any. The Collector has reported that action is being taken by the Tahsildar, Vijayawada to assign the plots to Harijans and that he will complete the proposals shortly.

Fertilizers

809—

*578 (1562) Q—Sri S. Kasi Reddy [Put by Sri V. Visweswara Rao] Will the hon. Minister for Agriculture and Labour be pleased to state

(a) the quota of fertilizers indented by the State Government from the Central Government during 1960-61, and

(b) the quantity supplied by the Central Government so far?

The Minister for Agriculture and Labour (Sri N Ramachandra Reddy)

(a & b) Answer is placed on the Table of the House

ANSWER PLACED ON THE TABLE OF THE HOUSE

(a)

Ammonium Sulphate 1,57,800 tons
Urea 26,000 
Ammonium Sulphate Nitrate 35,000 
Calcium Ammonium Nitrate 13,000
(b) Quantities actually supplied by the Government of India upto 28-2-1961

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**Note:** Table  

**Answer:**

- Allot 61,605 tons of Ammonium Sulphate at Rs. 1.57 per kg.
- Allot 4,600 tons of Ammonium Sulphate Nitrate at Rs. 4.60 per kg.
- Allot 26,000 tons of Urea at Rs. 3.00 per kg.

**Black Market:**

- 15 per cent of Ammonium Sulphate at Rs. 1.57 per kg.
- 15 per cent of Urea at Rs. 3.00 per kg.

**Speech:**

- 45% of Ammonium Sulphate is to be allotted at Rs. 1.57 per kg.
- 10% of Urea is to be allotted at Rs. 3.00 per kg.

**Questions:**

- Is the mixture (15% Ammonium Sulphate - 85% Urea) at Rs. 1.57 per kg.
- Is the control over complaints on 15% Ammonium Sulphate and 85% Urea?
Distribution of Sulphate, Urea, Etc

*724 (1640) Q —Sri B. Sankaraiah [Put by Sri P Rajagopal Naidu] Will the hon Minister for Agriculture and Labour be pleased to state

(a) whether the Government are aware of the fact that the ryots are being put to inconvenience in view of the fact that the G O issued entrusting the responsibility of distribution of sulphate, urea, etc to the Zilla Parishads, does not vest in them, the power to increase the number of the retail sales depots, and

(b) if so, whether the Zilla Parishad, Nellore district, requested the Government by a resolution to increase the retail sales depots in the district?

Sri N Ramachandra Reddy

(a) The Government have since issued orders empowering the Zilla Parishad and Panchayat Samithis to entrust the distribution of fertilisers in the non-Block and Block areas, respectively to the Co-operative Societies not handling the sales before, if they consider that the Societies now handling sales are unable to cater to the needs of the ryots

(b) Yes, Sir
If the Society is not able to cater to the needs of the surrounding villages, educational societies may be created and they can distribute additional.

The district-wise quantity of Nitrogen Fertilisers such as Sulphate and Urea allotted during June to November, 1960 (month wise)?

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*1001 Q — Sri B. Sankaraiah [Put by Sri S. Vemayya] Will the hon. Minister for Agriculture and Labour be pleased to state the district-wise quantity of Nitrogen Fertilisers such as Sulphate and Urea allotted during June to November, 1960 (month wise)?
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(b) The loan that is sanctioned will be utilised for purchase of fertilisers from the Central Pool and not for disbursement districts-wise

**Loan for the Purchase of Fertilisers**

812—

*1003 Q —Sri B Sankaraiah [Put by Sri S Vemayya] Will the hon. Minister for Agriculture and Labour be pleased to state

(a) the amount allotted to the State as loan for the purchase of fertilisers for the year 1960, and

(b) the district-wise amount disbursed so far?

_Sri N Ramachandra Reddy_

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**Development of Tanning Industry**

813—

*696 (1571) Q —Sri K Kasti Reddy [Put by Sri S. Vemayya] Will the hon. Minister for Small Scale and Cottage Industries and Excise be pleased to state

(a) whether the Andhra Pradesh Tanning Industrial Development Board suggested recently that a Statutory National Organisation may be formed at State
level also, besides All India level for the development of Tanning Industry, and

(b) if so, the action taken by the Government thereon?

The Minister for Small Scale and Cottage Industries and Excise (Sri K Lakshman Bapuji)

(a) There is no Andhra Pradesh Tanning Industrial Development Board in the State Presumably the Honourable Member refers to one of the suggestions made by the High Power Committee on Tanning and Leather Industry constituted by the Government in March 1960 which in its report has suggested the appointment of a statutory Leather Board at State level for the development of leather industry in the State

(b) The report of the Committee is under examination

(a) "Andhra Pradesh Tanning Industries Development Board" is the suggestion made by the High Power Committee, on tanning and leather industries in the State. The suggestion was to have a High Power Committee to constitute a Statutory Leather Board at State level

(b) Will the Hon Minister for Small Scale and Cottage Industries and Excise be pleased to state

(a) whether the High Power Committee on the leather industry submitted its full or an interim report to the Government,

(b) if so, whether it would be placed on the Table of the House?

(c) if so, what are the salient features of the report,

High Power Committee on the Leather Industry

*1078 Q —Sri B Srirama Murthy, Sri G. Suryanarayana [Put by Sri K Narasimha Rao] Will the hon Minister for Small Scale and Cottage Industries and Excise be pleased to state

(a) whether the High Power Committee on the leather industry submitted its full or an interim report to the Government,

(b) if so, whether it would be placed on the Table of the House?

(c) if so, what are the salient features of the report,
(d) whether there is a ban on the registration of new co-operative societies connected with the above industry, and

(e) if so, what are the reasons and whether the Government propose to lift the ban?

Sri K Lakshman Bapuji

(a) The High Power Committee has submitted its full report

(b) and (c) The recommendations of the High Power Committee are under consideration of Government. A copy of the report will be placed on the Table of the House along with the decisions of the Government that will be taken on these recommendations

(d) No

(e) Does not arise in view of answer to Item (d) above
Further Information Relating to Question No 687 (*616) originally put and answered on 11—3—61

Sri D Sanjivayya Sir, with reference to this question, the following details are given:

1. There are no specific Government Orders stating that the Social Welfare Department is permanent, but in view of the fact that the cadre strength for the office of the Director has been fixed with effect from 1-12-1958 on permanent basis, it may therefore be presumed that the Social Welfare Department is permanent.

2. The District staff of the Social Welfare Department in Telengana is also made permanent from 1-11-1956.

3. The District Social Welfare Officers and the staff under them in Andhra region are being appointed by the District Collectors from among the staff of the Revenue Department. These posts are on temporary basis and sanction is accorded to their continuance from time to time. The expenditure on this staff is met from the Social Welfare budget.

4. The question of adopting uniform pattern of administration in respect of Social Welfare Department in both the regions is under consideration of the Government.

5. Most of the teachers under the Social Welfare Department working in Telengana region are permanent. So far as Andhra region is concerned, only 50 percent of the posts of teachers are permanent.
presumption or definite and it is accordingly decided that

16th March, 1961

Further Information Relating to Question No 767 (*1349) originally put and answered on 15-3-61

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(a) Certificates were issued to the students who have passed typewriting examinations held in 1959 and not in 1960

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Certificates could not be issued as the form of certificates are out of stock

[The Minister for Planning and Information depu-tised the Minister for Education and Transport and answered the Question] The Minister for Planning and Information (Sri P. Ranga Reddy)
SHORT NOTICE QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Renewal of the Membership of Legislators in the
Zilla Parishad, West Godavary

814—A

S N Q No. 2084 -H Sri P Kodanda Ramaiah

Will the hon. Minister for Planning and Information be pleased to state

(a) the reasons for the failure on the part of the Government to take steps for the renewal of the membership of the Legislators of the West Godavari District as members of the Zilla Parishad, who could not take the prescribed oath at the beginning for reasons of health, and

(b) whether the Government propose to issue the necessary instructions to the Zilla Parishad, West Godavari to take immediate steps in the matter?

Sri P Ranga Reddy (a) In view of the specific provision in Section 65 of the Andhra Pradesh Panchayat Samithis and Zilla Parishads Act 1959 which does not permit of any renewal of membership, the question of the renewal of membership of the Legislators of
West Godavari District in the Zilla Parishad even though they failed to take the oath or affirmation in the prescribed period for reasons of health, does not arise.

(b) In view of the answer to clause (a), this does not arise.
Revision of the pay Scales of the Staff of the Co-operative Department.

814-B—

S N Q. No *2086 M —Sri B Ratnasabhapathy (Badvel) Will the hon Minister for Co-operation and Endowments be pleased to state

Is it a fact that the pay scales of the staff of Co-operative Department were not revised though the scales of revenue, Commercial Taxes, Registration etc, Departments were Revised and consequently there is wide discontent among the staff affecting the progress of the movement?

Sri K Chandramouli: The matter is under the consideration of the Government

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