APPENDIX NO. 7

TEACHER TRAINING IN GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC AND ISRAEL

In other countries of the world, the duration of the teacher training programme is found adequate for the development of the teacher.

In German Democratic Republic, teacher training course is of four year duration* Though there is a high shortage of trained teachers, they do not desire to diminish the duration of the training course. They require quality teachers, competent teachers for their schools. During the course of training, they are trained in various school subjects, methods of teaching, and other aspects related to teachers' performance.

Israel is a new country of the world. It has to develop in all the phases of the new nation. There is a high demand and very shortage of trained teachers** Inspite of this high demand, there is a two-year training course for kindergarten teachers, and three-year and four year training courses for primary and lower secondary school

* Teacher Education : (India), October 1968, pp. 4-5, "Teacher Education in the German Democratic Republic".
** Teacher Education : (India), October 1968, pp. 36-39, "Teacher Education in Israel".
teachers. The Government of Israel does not wish to diminish the duration of the teacher training course. They put more stress on quality of teachers and teacher training programme.