

centenary.

(b) The financial assistance would be provided to registered organisations as per guidelines for Centenary Celebration.

(c) Does not arise.

[Translation]

Archaeological Survey of India
Excavation At Chausa and Buxar
(Bihar)

4100. PROF. SAILENDRA NATH SHRIVASTAVA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Archaeological Survey of India is of the opinion that some historically important archaeological finds could be excavated in the near future if further excavation is undertaken at Chausa (Bihar); and

(b) if so, the programme chalked out by the Archaeological Survey of India for the future excavations of Chausa and Buxar?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA): (a) and (b). No, Sir. Archaeological Survey of India has no proposal to excavate the sites at Chausa and Buxar (Bihar).

[English]

Standardisation of Geographical name of Bombay

4101. SHRI VIDYADHAR GOKHALE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the official National Atlas of India and the Survey Department maps published in Hindi bear the name of Bombay city as Mumbai;

(b) if so, prior to accepting this national name as standard name in the Roman script by the UNESCO in their 1981 publication "Climatiff Atlas of Asia" conversion tables for international transcription from Devanagari to Roman script were prepared and supplied to them on behalf of India as international cooperation in Cartography; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (PROF. M.G.K. MENON): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). No information about accepting this as a standard name in Roman script by the UNESCO in their 1981 publication is available. Further, Government is not aware about any transcription from Devanagari to Roman script, prepared and supplied to UNESCO, on behalf of India as international cooperation in Cartography.

Admission to Post-Graduate Course in Geology

4102. SHRI A.N. SINGH DEO: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of students who have applied for admission to the Post-graduate Course in the Geology in Delhi University;

(b) the number of the students admitted to the course; and

(c) the criteria adopted by the Delhi University for admission to Post-Graduate course in Geology?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA): (a) and (b). According to the information furnished by the University of Delhi, sixty students applied for admission to the M.Sc Course in Applied Geology this