

**श्री जगदेव सिंह सिद्धान्ती :** उनके कहने से तो यह पता चला जैसे नदी में बहता हुआ किसी ने रीछ पकड़ लिया, रीछ छोड़ता नहीं तथा अपने आप वह छोड़ सकता नहीं। आप कृपा करके यह बतायें कि क्या इससे भारत सरकार की नीति शून्यता का पता नहीं चल रहा है ?

**अध्यक्ष महोदय :** यह अपनी ओपिनियन आप रखें।

**Shri Hari Vishnu Kamath:** Considering the fact that this issue has been hanging fire or has been in a state of suspended animation for over twelve years, has the Government received any reports or has had any indications that since the unholy alliance of Pakistan with China there has been a change of attitude on the part of a number of member States in the Security Council and in the General Assembly in favour of India and against Pakistan on the Kashmir issue?

**Shrimati Lakshmi Menon:** What is the question?

**Shri Hari Vishnu Kamath:** You could not follow it?

**Mr. Speaker:** It is rather an abstract proposition which could be answered but it does not relate to the withdrawal of the case. Next question.

**Shri Hari Vishnu Kamath:** You have allowed questions which do not strictly pertain to the withdrawal of the Kashmir issue, which is hanging fire, which fact is the crux of the matter, and it may continue to hang fire for another decade or so.

**Mr. Speaker:** We are helpless.

**Shri Hari Vishnu Kamath:** Have they got any reports to the effect that a number of States in the United Nations are, since the unholy alliance of Pakistan with China, in favour of India on this issue?

**Shrimati Lakshmi Menon:** We have no information.

### Economic Development Plan of Afro-Asian Countries

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\*589. { **Shri Surendra Pal Singh:**  
**Shri Shree Narayan Das:**  
**Shrimati Renuka Barkataki:**  
**Shri P. Venkatasubbaiah:**

Will the Minister of **External Affairs** be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 162 on the 14th September, 1964 and state:

(a) whether the Inter-ministerial Committee set up to assess the requirements of the developing countries of Asia, Africa and Latin America has made any proposals for promoting technical and economic cooperation with these countries and to expedite their implementation; and

(b) if so, the important features of those proposals?

**The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of External Affairs (Shri Dinesh Singh):** (a) The Inter-ministerial Co-ordinating Committee on Technical and Economic Cooperation has been set up to:

(i) Assess the long-range requirements of the under-developed countries of Asia, Africa and Latin America in the light of their trade and development programmes.

(ii) Study selected problems relating to the development of commercial relations between India and the regions mentioned in (i) above.

(iii) Recommend measures to promote economic and technical cooperation between India and the countries of Asia, Africa and South America.

(b) Various proposals are still under consideration of the Committee.

**Shri Surendra Pal Singh:** Is it a fact that India and the UAR have entered into an agreement to collaborate in extending financial and technical help to the developing countries

of Africa and, if so, has that agreement been given effect to anywhere and, if so, in what shape and form?

**Shri Dinesh Singh:** We have not entered into any agreement with UAR to extend technical collaboration to other parts of Asia and Africa.

**Shri Surendra Pal Singh:** Have the Government any reasons to believe that there is a determined effort on the part of China in those countries to persuade them not to accept any technical or financial help from India or rather to eschew it?

**Shri Dinesh Singh:** I do not know whether there is any effort on the part of China to persuade them not to accept aid from India but they are very keen that they should accept aid from China.

**Shri P. Venkatasubbaiah:** May I know whether, in extending our co-operation, both economic and otherwise, there is an agreement that is being entered into with these countries regarding sending of our technical personnel to those countries so as to help them to make an advancement in the economic matters?

**Shri Dinesh Singh:** Whenever the country asks us, we send our technical experts.

**Shrimati Savitri Nigam:** In view of the fact that the Asian, African and Latin American countries have been suffering a lot of economic loss because the prices of raw materials are going down and the prices of finished goods are rising up, may I know whether this question has been discussed in this Conference or not?

**Shri Dinesh Singh:** I have not mentioned of any conference.

**श्री यशपाल सिंह** क्या भारतीय उद्योगपतियों से कहा गया है कि वे इन कंट्रीज में जा कर अपनी इंडस्ट्रीज कायम करें।

**अध्यक्ष महोदय:** यह तो इंटर मिनिस्ट्री कमेटी थी।

**Shrimati Savitri Nigam:** I meant this Ministerial Committee. I wanted to know whether this question has been discussed or not. He should have understood it.

**Shri Dinesh Singh:** I gave the objects of this Committee. The question of prices is not directly the concern of the Committee as such. It is only going to extend the cooperation to these countries.

**Shrimati Yashoda Reddy:** Does the hon. Minister know that China is very anxious that these countries take more technical help from China and, if so, because of these efforts, has the Government of India felt any lessening of demand or any such reaction from these countries as far as our help is concerned?

**Shri Dinesh Singh:** No, Sir.

**श्री भागवत शा आजाद :** क्या यह बात सच है कि चीन ने लम्बी अवधि की आर्थिक और तकनीकी सहायता एशियाई अफ्रीकी देशों को बहुत काफी दी है या देने का वादा किया है। अगर यह बात सच है तो इस पृष्ठभूमि में क्या हिन्दुस्तान की सरकार ने उनकी आवश्यकताओं पर विचार किया है।

**श्री विनेश सिंह :** सुनते हैं कि देने का वादा बहुत काफी किया है। कितना दिया है यह हम को ठीक से मालूम नहीं है। ज्यादा नहीं दिया है ऐसा लगता है। हम लोग क्या कर रहे हैं यह अभी मैं ने आप से अर्ज किया।

#### Incentive Scheme for Dock Workers

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\*591. { **Shrimati Savitri Nigam:**  
**Shri P. R. Chakraverti:**

Will the Minister of **Labour and Employment** be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have taken a decision on the comprehensive