मिलेगी । इस बात की पूरी जांच की जाए कि इस में किस की असफलता है भीर जिन्होंने भपना कतंव्य नहीं निभाया है, उनको सक्त से सक्त सजा दी जाये, ताकि पाकिस्तान इस बारे में गलत प्रचार न कर सके।

Mr. Deputy-Speaker: Whether there may be a failure or not, there is no point of order.

Shri L. N. Mishra: It is very unfair to our security forces or to our intelligence who have been working very hard to say that there has been a failure

श्री मण् लिमये: मैं ने यह नहीं कहा है किस की गलती है। यह किसी न किसी की ग़लती हो सकती है भापकी भी हो सकती है। भगर भाप ठीक जानकारी नहीं दे सकते हैं. तो धाप हट जार्वे ।

Shri L. N. Mishra: We have examined it fully and I am in a position to say that there has been no failure on the part of our Armed Forces of our men of intelligence services. We have acted in time and foiled all the attempts of the infiltrators.

Admission to Universities

*634. Shri P. R. Chakraverti: Shrimati Savitri Nigam:

Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the statement of the Chief Minister of Madras on the 8th June, 1965 that Madras University was considering a proposal to raise percentage of marks for admission to the University Courses;

(b) whether a general policy has been outlined by the State Governments in consultation with the Central Government to restrict admission to the Universities in terms of the marks obtained; and

(c) whether attempts have been made to take consensus of opinion with respect to this vital issue in the last Education Ministers' Conference held in Srinagar?

The Minister of Cultural Affairs in the Ministry of Education Hajarnavis): (a) No. Sir.

- (b) No. Sir. The question of edmissions is primarily a matter for the universities concerned to consider as they are autonomous bodies and are free to frame their own rules and regulations for this purpose.
- (c) The matter was among the various questions considered by the Conference but no specific recommendation was made on the subject.

R. Chakraverti: While drawing attention to the fact that, in educational matters, some sort of collaboration is essential, may I know what steps have been taken by the Government to promote co-operation between the Union Government and State Governments and teachers and the taught?

Shri Hajarnavis: This hardly arises out of the main question. This is a very broad question. The main question that was asked was as to the minimum percentage of marks necessary for admission to the University. This, as I said, is exclusively within the jurisdiction of the University concerned. They fix their own standards.

Shri P. R. Chakraverti; May know whether the Government has considered the question that unrestricted admission to Universities creates a large number of unemployed young men with frustrated hopes and, if so, whether Government is in a position to see that this question is discussed thoroughly and steps be taken to ensure that students may be admitted purely on merits.

Shri Hajarnavis: This is a very grave question which confronts the Education Ministers all over the country. Various measures have been suggested. First of all, more than unemployment, there is the question of wastage. It has been calculated that, in some of the Universities, the rate of wastage on account of lesser qualifled candidates being admitted to the Universities is about 80 per cent. Then there is the question whether a certain class of people are to be completely debarred from higher education. It is the usual controversy between the education of the exclusive elite and the democratic education. I do not think that this problem has been solved anywhere. But we are certainly aware of the gravity of the problem and measures necessary, which are possible within our competence and within our means, certainly being adopted.

Shri D. C. Sharma: What avenues will be open to those young men for University education, who are denied admission to colleges and universities on account of deficiency in marks?

Shri Hajarnavis: There are at present technological institutions where trade is taught, and technical education is imparted. These would be opened and are being opened, and I am sorry to say that these avenues are not being fully explored or exploited by the students to the extent they are available.

बीमती जवाबेन शाह: एक मीर हम शिक्षा का स्टैंडड बढाना चाहते हैं और इसरी भोर कई यनिवर्सिटीज मार्क्स को इन्फ्लेट करके रिजल्ट निकालती हैं। क्या सरकार ने इसको चैक करने के बारे में कोई कार्यवाही सोची है?

भी हजरनवीस : इस बारे में बरूर विचार किया जाता है। जब शिक्षा मंत्रियों की बैठक होती है, तो उसमें इसके बारे में विचार-विमर्श जरूर होता है। इसी तरह विश्वविद्यालयों की बैठक में भी इस बारे में विचार किया जाता है। जो विद्यार्थी यूनि-वर्सिटी में जाने के लायक नहीं है. झगर वे बहां पर जाते हैं, ती हर साल भीर हर कक्षा

में धनुलीण होते हैं--बीस, तीस प्रतिगत और कहीं कहीं पचास प्रतिशत तक विद्यार्थी धनुसीणं होते हैं।

Oral Answers

Shri Basappa: Since admissions to universities have become very difficult, is there any proposal in the Fourth Plan to have more evening colleges and correspondence courses?

Shri Hajarnavis: Yes, that is one of the things which is being suggested.

भी का नाश्तिवारी : मनी मंत्री महोदय ने बताया कि टैक्निकल इंस्टीटयटस में लडकों को भर्ती होने का मौका दिया जावेगा। लेकिन टैक्निकल इंस्टीट्यूट्स में केवल साइंस के ही लडके लिये जाते हैं। तो फिर धार्टस के लडकों का क्या होगा ?

भी व्रजरनवीस : जो टैक्निकल इंस्टी-टयशन्त्र, विद्यालय श्रीर शालायें हैं, उन में मैटिक के बाद प्रवेश मिलता है। उसमें घाटंस घौर साइंस का कोई फर्क नहीं होता

Shri Sivamurthy Swamy: know whether any complaints have been received by the Central Government that in the technical colleges of universities, admission are given on the basis of donations to the tune of more than Rs. 5,000, Rs. 10,000 and even Rs. 20,000 in certain cases?

Shri Hajarnavis: This question has been raised and answered in this House several times.

भी भागवत झा बाजाद : इस प्रश्न में इस बात का उल्लेख नहीं है कि यह ग्रंक का प्रतिशत बढाने का तरीका केवल टैक्निकल कालेज के लिए है। क्या यह सच नहीं है कि भ्राज हिन्दस्तान के सभी विश्वविद्यालयों में प्रवेश पाने के लिए शंकों की प्रतिशतता निश्चित है ? भगर कोई यनिवसिटी, जैसे मद्रास, धंकों की प्रतिशतता को बढ़ा देती है, तो क्या सरकार इस बात की बढ़ावा नहीं देरही है कि अन्य विश्वविद्यालय भी धपने यहां बिना प्रस्तिल-

भारतीय स्तर को देखते हुए और विश्वविद्या-सयों के लिए—मान लीजिए, मद्रास के लिए ही—प्रवेश को सीमित कर दे और झंकों की प्रतिशतता बढ़ा दें; यदि हां, तो इस पर सरकार क्या विचार कर रही है?

Mr. Deputy-Speaker: The question should be short.

Shri Hajarnavis: It is true that the minimum percentage of marks required for admission is different in different universities, but as I have said, that is within the exclusive authority of the universities. The Central Government have no jurisdiction in the matter except the persuasive authority through the UGC.

श्री प्र० प्र० कार्मी: सब लोगों को यह बात मालूम है कि शिक्षा के स्तर में काफी गिरावट हो रही है। मैं यह जानना चाहता हूं कि क्या सरकार कोई खास कदम उठाना चाहती है, ताकि शिक्षा के स्तर में कुछ उन्नति हो धौर विद्याचियों को फ़ायदा हो सके।

भी हजरनबीस : जी हां, इस सम्बन्ध में एक बात यह की जा रही है कि शिक्षक भ्रच्छे मिले-भ्रच्छी तनस्वाह दे कर भ्रच्छे भीर काबिल शिक्षक मिलें। इसलिए कोशिश की जा रही है कि हर एक विद्यालय में भ्रच्छे से भ्रच्छे शिक्षक मिले। भ्रच्छी तनस्वाह देने से वे लोग उन विद्यालयों में भ्राने के लिए भ्राक्षित होंगे। इस के लिए जुक्स कोशिश की जायेगी।

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUES-TIONS

Agreement with German Firms for manufacture of Basic Chemicals

*635. Shri Warior: Will the Minister of Petroleum and Chemicals be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that an agreement with a consortium of four West German firms for the manufacture of certain basic chemicals and intermediaries in India has been revoked;

- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether it is also a fact that Government had to incur loss on account of this revocation; and
 - (d) if so, the extent of loss incurred?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Petroleum and Chemicals (Shri Alagesan): (a) and (b). Yes, Sur. It was found that due to the changes in the chemical field in India and elsewhere, the project as originally envisaged would be uneconomic. The agreement with the German firms was therefore terminated on 9th April, 1964, by mutual consent.

(c) and (d). The Government purchased the shares of the value of Rs. 30 lakhs allotted to the German firms at a value of Rs. 32.25 lakhs while the drawing and process information furnished by the German firms remained the property of the Hirdustan Organic Chemicals Limited.

Ulversity Grants Commission's Report

*636. Shri Vishwa Nath Pandey:

Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government have considered the University Grants Commission Report for the year 1963-64 wherein it has been stated that the funds allocated during the Third Five Year Plan for education are not sufficient to meet the basic needs of universities and colleges; and
- (b) if so, Government's reaction thereto?

The Minister of Cultural Affairs in the Ministry of Education (Shri Hajarnavis): (a) and (b). The question of providing additional funds to the University Grants Commission during the Third Plan is under the consideration of Government.