Diplomatic Relations between Pakistan and Malaysia

*105. Shri P. R. Chakraverti; Shri P. C. Borooah; Shri Kapur Singh: Shri P. K. Deo: Shri Solanki; Shri Narasimha Reddy: Shri Yashpal Singh: Shrimati Maimeona Sultan; Shri Madhu Limaye; Shri Ram Sewak Yaday;

Will the Minister of External Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Pakistan has broken off diplomatic relations with Malaysia; and

(b) whether India has conveyed her unstinted appreciation and fullest cooperation to Malaysia in her confrontation with Pakistan and Indonesia, declining to make religion an issue in international relations?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of External Affairs (Shri Dinesh Singh): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Government of India has conveyed to the Government of Malaysia its appreciation of the sympathy and understanding shown by that Government during the recent Indo-Pakistan conflict. Government has also expressed its sympathy for the Malaysian Government in its efforts to preserve its sovereignty and territorial integrity.

Anti-Indian Propaganda by Pakistan in U.K.

•106. Shri R. S. Pandey: Shri Hem Barua; Shri Yashpal Singh: Shri Daljit Singh: Shri Jashvan; Mehta: Shri Kapur Singh: Shri R. Barua; Shri D. C. Sharma;

Will the Minister of External Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether the attention of Govarnment has been drawn to the following report from London (published in The Hindustan Times dated the 29th September, 1965) which says: 'Pakistan has started a vicious propaganda campaign about alleged Indian atrocities in Kashmir and a number of British papers to-day published brief but lurid reports from Rawalpindi'; and

(b) if so, what steps Government have taken to counteract this Pakistani propaganda in Britain?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of External Affairs (Shri Dinesh Singh): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Pakistan's charges of Indian atrocities in Kashmir have been denied by the spokesman of the Government of India and by the Indian High Commission in London. Indian Missions abroad have exposed Pakistan's lies in their handouts and other publications. Many foreign journalists have visited the front areas and seen the situation for themselves.

भारतीय थल सेना, नौसेना तथा बाय सेना

* 107. श्री जगदेव सिंह सिद्धान्ती : श्री प्रकाशवीर शास्त्री : डा० लक्ष्मीमल्स सिंघवी : श्री यशपाल सिंह : श्री कपूर सिंह : श्री कपूर सिंह : श्री दी० चं० शर्मा : श्री इन्द्रजीत गुप्त : श्री इन्द्रजीत गुप्त : श्री राजेश्वर पटेल : श्री हरि विष्णु कामत : श्री हरि विष्णु कामत : श्री हरि विष्णु कामत : श्री हरि व्रु पुरी : श्री हकम चन्द कछ्याय :

क्या रक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की क्रुपा करेंगे कि 1

भी बासप्पाः

(क) क्या भारतीय थल सेता, नौसेना तथा भारतीय वायु सेना को झौर शक्तिशाली बनाने के लिये कोई निर्णय किया गया है: (ख) यदि हां, सो यह निर्णय कब तक लागू होने की संभावना है; ग्रौर

(ग) क्या हाल में हुई भारत-पाक लड़ाई में भारत में बने विमानों द्वारा किये गये ग्रच्छी कार्य की दृष्टि से उनका निर्माण बढ़ाया जायेगा।

प्रतिरक्षा मंत्री (श्वी यज्ञवन्तराव चह्वाण). (क) तया (ख). सशस्त्र सेनाम्रों की जनशक्ति निरन्तर पुनरीक्षण मधीन रहती है, मौर जभी ग्रावश्यक हो, सेनाम्रों के संवर्धन के उपाय किये जाते हैं। पाकिस्तान के विरुद्ध हाल की संकियाम्रों के पश्चात् सशस्त्र सेनाम्रों के माकार में वृद्धि करने के लिये कोई निर्णय नहीं किया गया।

(ग) शायद, संकेत नैट की भ्रोर है। इस प्रकार के कुछ ग्रौर विमानों का उत्पादन करने का विचार है।

Special Envoys sent to Fereign Countries

*108. Shri D. J. Naik: Shri Yashpal Singh: Shri Subodh Hansda: Dr. L. M. Singhvi: Shri Ram Sewak Yadav: Shri Madhu Limaye: Shri Bagri: Shri P. C. Borooah: Shri P. B. Chakraverti: Shri K. N. Tiwary: Shri Linga Reddy: Shri Basumatari: Shri Sidheshwar Prasad; Shri Gulishan: Shri Onkar Lai Berwa: Shri Buta Singh: Shrimati Maimoona Suitan: Shri Hem Raj: Shri Kajrolkar: Shri Hukam Chand Kachhavaiya: Shri Jashvant Mehta: Shri Kishen Patinayak: Shri Bhanu Prakash Singh: Shri M. L. Dwivedi: Shri S. C. Samanta: Shri Parashar: ...

Shri S. N. Chaturvedi: Shri Basappa: Dr. Ram Manohar Lehia: Shri R. S. Pandey: Shri Mohammed Koya: Shri Mohammed Koya: Shri Mohammed Koya: Shri Mahammed Koya: Shri Prakash Vig Shastri: Shri Jagdev Singh Siddhanti: Shri VaSudevan Nair: Shri B. K. Das: Dr. Mahadeva Prasad:

Will the Minister of External Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether high-level personal envoys have been sent and are proposed to be sent to various foreign countries to explain India's position in relation to the Pakistani aggression;

(b) if so, to which countries they have been or will be sent; and

(c) the results achieved?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs (Shrimati Lakshmi Menon); (a) and (b). Shri V. K. Krishna Menon was sent to Cairo and Shrimati Vijayalakshmi Pandit to France with letters of the Prime Minister to the Heads of the Government of the countries they visited. Shrimati Pandit is leaving today for Netherlands and West Germany. Besides these, the following Ministers have also visited some countries:—

1. Shri Dinesh Singh, Deputy Minister, Ministry of External Affairs-Singapore, Kuala Lumpur and Colombo.

2. Shri A. K. Sen, Law Ministersix Latin American countries viz Columbia, Mexico City, Panama, Peru, Venezuela, and two countries in the West Indies viz. Jamaica and Trinidad, and Ghana.

3. Shri S. K. Patil, Railway Minister-U.S.A. and Latin America.

(c) These visits have been useful and contributed to better understand-