

Indian Technical Personnel for Ghana

*472. **Shri Inder J. Malhotra:** Will the **Prime Minister** be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a large number of technical personnel from India are being employed by the Ghana Government; and

(b) if so, whether the Ghana Government have approached the Government of India for any such recruitment?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs (Shrimati Lakshmi Menon): (a) Some technical personnel from India are employed by the Ghana Government.

(b) Yes, Sir. The Ghana Government have sought and are continuing to seek our assistance in recruiting certain technical personnel for their different services.

केन्द्रीय नमक बोर्ड

*४७३. श्री बिशनचन्द्र सेठ : क्या वाणिज्य तथा उद्योग मंत्री यह जताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि सरकार देश के नमक व्यवसाय की उन्नति हेतु एक स्वायत्त-शासी केन्द्रीय नमक बोर्ड स्थापित करने का विचार कर रही है; और

(ख) यदि हाँ, तो उपरोक्त बोर्ड की स्थापना में क्या लाभ होगा ?

वाणिज्य तथा उद्योग मंत्रालय में उद्योग मंत्री (श्री हानूनगो) : (क) जी, हाँ ।

(ख) प्रस्तावित बोर्ड एक और तो नमक के वास्तविक विकास सम्बन्धी कार्य तथा दूसरी ओर नमक कारखानों में काम करने वाले मजदूरों का कल्याण सम्बन्धी कार्य अधिक अच्छी तरह कर सकेगा ।

Verification of Trade Union Membership

*474. **Shri Nath Pal:** Will the **Minister of Labour and Employment** be pleased to state:

(a) whether the verification work in respect of trade union membership for the year 1960-61 has been completed; and .

(b) if so, what are the details of the results of verification in respect of trade unions in coal-mines and the membership of different unions in each of the mines in Madhya Pradesh?

The Minister of Labour in the Ministry of Labour and Employment (Shri Hathi): (a) As desired by the Trade Union Organisations verification for the year 1960-61 was not undertaken, due to General Elections.

(b) Does not arise.

Tribal Advisory Board in NEFA

*475. { **Shri D. Ering:**
Shri Rishang Keishing:

Will the **Prime Minister** be pleased to state:

(a) whether the N.E.F.A. administration has constituted a Tribal Advisory Board or Committee for framing schemes and their implementations;

(b) if so, the number and names of the members of the Board; and

(c) since when it has been constituted?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs (Shrimati Lakshmi Menon): (a) to (c). The N.E.F.A. Development Committee was constituted in 1954. It was recently redesignated as the N.E.F.A. Development Board and performs the function of guiding the preparation and implementation of developmental schemes.

The Board has a strength of 17 members as follows:

(i) **Shri D. Ering, M.P.;**

(ii) **Shri Chowkhaman Gohain, formerly M.P. for N.E.F.A.;**