

fourth centre has not been decided so far.

#### Fare Charged for Transport of Bulk Commodities

\*656. **Shri Daji:** Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Railway freight charged for transport of bulk commodities like coal and grains is below cost; and

(b) if so, the estimated loss per wagon load?

**The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Railways (Shri Shah Nawaz Khan):**

(a) and (b). A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix II, annexure No. 17].

#### Travel Agents Convention

\*664. { **Shri Inder J. Malhotra:**  
**Shri Gopal Datt:**  
**Bakshshi Abdul Rashid:**  
**Shri Vidya Charan Shukla:**

Will the Minister of Transport and Communications be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that on the Central Government's initiative a "Travel agents" convention was held recently in Srinagar;

(b) if so, what are the main recommendations made by this convention;

(c) whether Government have since considered these recommendations; and

(d) if so, what are the decisions taken by Government to implement these recommendations?

**The Minister of Shipping in the Ministry of Transport and Communications (Shri Raj Bahadur):** (a) The Travel Agents Convention held recently in Srinagar was not held on the initiative of the Central Government.

(b) The recommendations made by this Convention have not been received so far.

(c) and (d) Do not arise.

#### नरेला (दिल्ली) में विजली की दरें

\*६६५. श्री नवल प्रभाकर : क्या सिंचाई और विद्युत् मन्त्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि दिल्ली के नरेला में विजली की दरें अभी कम नहीं हुई हैं, और

(ख) यदि हां, तो इसका क्या कारण है ?

सिंचाई तथा विद्युत् मन्त्रालय में राज्य मन्त्री (श्री अज्ञेय) : (क) जी, हां ।

(ख) विजली की दरें उसके उत्पादन (Generation) और पूर्ति (Supply) पर निर्भर हैं ।

#### A.I.I. Engineer Jailed in Nairobi

\*666. { **Shri D. C. Sharma:**  
**Shri A. S. Saigal:**

Will the Minister of Transport and Communications be pleased to state:

(a) whether an engineer of the Air India International in Nairobi was jailed for nine months being in possession of 45 gold bars; and

(b) the details of the incident?

**The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Transport and Communications (Shri Mohiuddin):** (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Full and correct details of this incident are being collected and will be placed on the Table of the Lok Sabha as soon as possible.

#### Overcrowding in Railways

\*667. { **Shri Manabendra Shah:**  
**Shri D. C. Sharma:**

Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state :

(a) whether any statistics are maintained regarding the extent of overcrowding in Railways;