

**Demarcation of Indo-Pakistan Border**

\*534. { Shri P. K. Deo:  
 Shri Ram Krishan Gupta:  
 Shrimati Mafida Ahmed:  
 Shri Subiman Ghose:  
 Shri P. C. Borooah:  
 Shri Rameshwar Tantia:  
 Shri Raghunath Singh:  
 Shri Bibhuti Mishra:  
 Shri Anirudh Sinha:

Will the **Prime Minister** be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 1002 on the 22nd March, 1960 and state:

(a) the nature of progress made in the demarcation of border between India and East Pakistan; and

(b) when this work is likely to be completed?

**The Deputy Minister of External Affairs (Shrimati Lakshmi Menon):**

(a) A statement showing the progress upto 30th June, 1960 is laid on the Table of the House.

**STATEMENT**

Progress of demarcation of the Indo-East Pakistan boundary upto 30-6-1960  
 Length of the boundary (Miles)

Sector	Total	Demar- cation com- pleted upto 30-6-60 by pla- cement of pillars.	Yet to be com- pleted
West Bengal- East Pakistan.	1350 (—) 78	(fluid boundary)	
Assam-East Pakistan	1272	1090	182
Tripura-East Pakistan	620	325	295
TOTAL	2492 (—) 78	2414	1588 826

(b) No firm estimate can be given.

**Closure of Textile Mills**

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 Shri Rameshwar Tantia:  
 Shri S. M. Banerjee:  
 Shri Sarju Pandey:  
 Shri Ram Garib:

Will the Minister of **Commerce and Industry** be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 205 on the 17th February, 1960 and state:

(a) whether some of the closed mills have since been restarted; and

(b) whether more mills have been taken over by the State Governments?

**The Minister of Commerce (Shri Kanungo):** (a) Eight mills have re-started.

(b) The Government of Maharashtra have taken over the Dhanraj Mills Ltd., Bombay on lease from the Official Liquidator and are running the same under their Unemployment Relief Scheme. In addition the Government of India have appointed Authorized Controllers to take over the following three mills under Section 18A of the Industries (Development and Regulation) Act, 1951:

- (i) Edward Mills Co. Ltd., Beawar (Rajasthan).
- (ii) Mewar Textile Mills Ltd., Bhilwara (Rajasthan).
- (iii) Hathising Manufacturing Co. Ltd., Ahmedabad. (Gujarat State).

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 Pandit D. N. Tiwari:  
 Shri Achar:  
 Shri Pahadia:  
 Shri P. C. Borooah:

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

(a) whether Government are aware that New China News Agency has