

[Shrimati Tarkeshwari Sinha.]

(b) whether Japan has also agreed to give long term credit to this country?

The Deputy Minister of Finance (Shri B. R. Bhagat): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

सामान्य सीटों पर चुने हुये अनुसूचित जातियों के उम्मीदवार

*३३७. श्री भक्त वार्शन : क्या विधि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि हाल के सामान्य निर्वाचनों में कुछ द्विसदस्यीय निर्वाचन-क्षेत्रों में दोनों सीटों पर अनुसूचित जातियों और अनुसूचित आदिम जातियों इत्यादि के उम्मीदवार चुने गये हैं;

(ख) यदि हां, तो कौन कौन से निर्वाचन क्षेत्र में, और

(ग) इस संघ में यदि कोई विशेष कदम उठाने का विचार किया जा रहा है, तो वे क्या हैं ?

विधि मंत्री (श्री अ० कु० सैन) : (क) जी हां, ५ संसदीय निर्वाचन क्षेत्रों में और १३ (विधान) सभा निर्वाचन क्षेत्रों में;

(ख) एक वक्तव्य पटल पर रखा गया है। [बि.सि.पे.रि.शिष्ट २ अनुबन्ध संख्या ५१]

(ग) सरकार इस मामले में कोई विशेष कदम उठाने की आवश्यकता नहीं समझती।

**Adult Blind Training Centre,
Dehra Dun**

*346. **Shrimati Ila Palchoudhury:** Will the Minister of Education and Scientific Research be pleased to lay a statement showing:

(a) the training capacity of the Adult Blind Training Centre, Dehra Dun;

(b) the number of persons who applied for admission during each of the years 1954 to 1956;

(c) the number of persons who were actually admitted during each of the years mentioned in (b) above; and

(d) the total number of persons who completed the two-years training course during each of the year from 1954 to 1956?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Education and Scientific Research (Dr. K. L. Shrimall): A statement giving the information is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix II, annexure No. 52.]

**Life Insurance Corporation
Employees**

*347. **Shri Anirudha Sinha:** Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Life Insurance Corporation has completed the work of reviewing the appointments of officers made provisionally;

(b) if so, the progress made and results achieved so far; and

(c) the steps taken so far to remove the *since cures*, if any?

The Deputy Minister of Finance (Shri B. R. Bhagat): (a) and (b). No, Sir. The Senior Services Committee which was appointed to examine and interview officers with a view to their being graded appropriately and arranged in a suitable order of seniority has not yet completed its deliberations. The Life Insurance Corporation will take up the review of the appointments of the officers as soon as the report of the Committee is received, which is expected by the end of this month.

(c) Some of the officers of the former insurance companies were found to be either over-aged or drawing excessive salaries or holding *since cure* posts by virtue of their influence with the management of the companies. The salaries of such persons were either reduced or they were offered appointments on the basis of their qualifications which, however, a majority of them did not accept. The