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37. Switzerland
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39. U.K.
40. U.S.A.

[Translation]

Package of Proposals to Pakistan

*74. SHRI DATTATRAYA
BANDARU:
PROF. PREM DHUMAL:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL
AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have offered a package of proposals over bilateral issues to Pakistan;

(b) if so, the salient features of each of these proposals and the reaction of Pakistan thereto; and

(c) the stage at which the revival of Indo-Pak Joint Commission and Confidence Building Measures (CBMS) stands at present?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI DINESH SINGH): (a) to (c) On 24th January, 1994, six non-papers relating to Siachen, Sir Creek, Tulbal Navigation Project, maintenance of peace and tranquillity along the LOC, additional Confidence Building Measures and the India-Pakistan Joint Commission were handed over to Pakistan.

Government have made specific and constructive suggestions on these subjects with the aim to resolving differences with Pakistan peacefully and through bilateral negotiations as well as to move forward in the overall process of the normalisation of relations in accordance with the Shimla Agreement.

Pakistan has conveyed on 19 February, 1994 its comments and counter-proposals to the suggestions contained in all the six Indian non-papers, including those on India-Pakistan Joint Commission and additional Confidence Building Measures, which are presently under consideration with the Government.

[English]

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*75. SHRI CHITTA BASU:
SHRI BIR SINGH MAHATO:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION
AND BROADCASTING be pleased to
state: