

**Indonesia-Malaysia Dispute**

436. { Shri D. C. Sharma;  
Shri R. S. Pandey;  
Shri Yashpal Singh;  
Shri R. Barua:

Will the Minister of **External Affairs** be pleased to state:

(a) whether India has made any offer of mediation towards a settlement of the dispute between Indonesia and Malaysia; and

(b) if so, whether the offer has been accepted?

**The Minister of External Affairs (Shri Swaran Singh):** (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

**Anglo-U.S. Arms for India**

437. { Shri D. C. Sharma;  
Shri Yashpal Singh;  
Shri R. S. Pandey;  
Shri R. Barua:

Will the Minister of **Defence** be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Anglo-U.S. arms supplies to India have been affected in any way due to the Kutch dispute with Pakistan; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

**The Minister of Defence (Shri Y. B. Chavan):** (a) There has been no effect of the situation in Kutch on the supply of items under the U.S./U.K. Military Assistance Programmes.

(b) Does not arise.

**F. 105 Aircrafts from U.S.A.**

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Shri R. S. Pandey;  
Shri R. Barua:

Will the Minister of **Defence** be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of United States have taken any final decision about the supply of F-105 aircrafts to India; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

**The Minister of Defence (Shri Y. B. Chavan):** (a) and (b). F-105 manufactured by Republic Aviation Corporation of U.S.A. is a supersonic single seat fighter bomber in service with the United States Air Force. The Government of India have not made a request to U. S. Government for the supply of this aircraft.

**Hostile Nagas**

439. **Shrimati Tarkeshwari Sinha:** Will the Minister of **External Affairs** be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the reports that Naga Hostiles held a secret session in the middle of May, 1965;

(b) whether this conference was held at a time when there was a heavy concentration of troops by Pakistan on the Eastern Borders of India; and

(c) whether Hostile Naga leaders have been in constant touch with the Pakistani military personnel?

**The Minister of External Affairs (Shri Swaran Singh):** (a) There were reports in the Press regarding a meeting of the Naga National Council, which is the political organisation of the underground, in May, 1965. The meeting was held on 22nd of May. It was not a secret session as it was open to the public. Press representatives were, however, not allowed to attend it.

(b) There was heavy concentration of Pakistani troops at many points along the Indo-Pakistan border since the Kanjarkot incident in the Rann of Kutch in April, 1965. The meeting of the Naga National Council, however, did not appear to have any direct relationship to the Pakistani troop concentrations.

(c) The underground Nagas have connections with Pakistan and have been receiving military training, arms and ammunition from that Government.