

VISIT OF NAGA LEADERS TO EAST  
PAKISTAN

\*450. SHRI MAYAVAN: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the leader of the Underground Nagas who had recently met the Prime Minister visited East Pakistan;

(b) if so, whether some more Underground Nagas who were also present at the time of talks with the Prime Minister had also gone to East Pakistan;

(c) whether in view of the failure to reach any agreement, Nagas are now approaching Pakistan Government for their help in solving the problem; and

(d) if so, the steps Government have taken in this regard?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI SURENDRA PAL SINGH): (a) and (b). The Government of India have no information on this subject.

(c) Extremist elements amongst the Underground Nagas have been in contact with Pakistan and have been receiving assistance in arms, ammunitions and training facilities.

(d) The Government of India have taken measures within the limits of their resources in men and money to prevent contact with and help from Pakistan reaching the Underground Nagas. However, due to the difficult terrain and vastness of the area, some Underground Nagas do manage to sneak in and out of India.

STRIKE BY EMPLOYEES OF HINDUSTAN  
AERONAUTICS LTD., BANGALORE

2841. SHRI KIRUTTINAN: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether employees of the Hindustan Aeronautics Ltd., Bangalore are going to stage an indefinite hunger strike at New Delhi during the current session period and also at Bangalore simultaneously;

(b) if so, what are their main demands; and

(c) the steps taken by Government to meet their demands?

THE MINISTER OF STATE (DEFENCE PRODUCTION) IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI L. N. MISHRA): (a) The Hindustan Aeronautics Employee's Association, Bangalore Division, has given a notice to the Company to this effect.

(b) Their main demands are:—

(i) Reinstatement of 5 employees whose services were terminated and withdrawal of charge sheets served on some other employees.

(ii) Payment of wages/salaries for the Lock-out period (10-11-66—16-11-66) to all employees.

(iii) Stoppage of alleged unfair labour practices and harassment.

(iv) Payment of twice the wages for overtime work for all indirect workers.

(v) (a) All outstation bases to be covered under the Factories Act for the benefit of basic amenities and facilities.

(b) Enhancement of existing rates of outstation allowance.

(c) Payment of outstation allowance to local employees on transfer from their respective bases to other outstations.

(c) The Commissioner of Labour in Mysore, Bangalore, is looking into the matter.

रामापुर छावनी के निकट चांदमारी क्षेत्र

2842. श्री रामावतार शास्त्री: क्या रक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या यह सच है कि पटना जिले में रामापुर छावनी के निकट दोदपुर के दक्षिण में सैनिकों के लिये एक चांदमारी क्षेत्र है;

(ख) क्या यह भी सच है कि इस चांदमारी क्षेत्र के चारों ओर कोई दीवार नहीं है जिसके कारण गोलियां इधर उधर चली जाती हैं;

(ग) जब इस चांदमारी क्षेत्र में निशानेबाजी का अभ्यास किया जाता है तो क्या आसपास के क्षेत्र के किसानों को अपना काम करने में बहुत कठिनाई होती है;

(घ) यदि हां, तो क्या इस चांदमारी क्षेत्र के चारों ओर ऊंची दीवार बनाने का सरकार का विचार है; और

(ङ) यदि नहीं, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं?

**प्रतिरक्षा मंत्री (श्री स्वर्ण सिंह) :** (क) जी, हां।

(ख) से (ङ). सुरक्षा विनियमों की मांग है एक चांदमारी के लिए एक उपयुक्त लक्ष्य, जो विद्यमान है। तदपि उच्छटने के कारण दुर्घटनाओं की रोक थाम के लिए चांदमारी से पहले प्रतिदिन पोलिस द्वारा चांदमारी को खाली करा लिया जाता है। चार दीवारी से विरे स्थान की कोई आवश्यकता नहीं है, न ही चांदमारी के समय अपने काम पर जाने संबंधी कृषकों से कोई अभिवेदन ही प्राप्त हुए हैं।

#### आकाशवाणी के कार्यक्रम

2843. श्री रामावतार शर्मा :

डा० सूर्य प्रकाश पुरी :

श्री प्रकाशवीर शास्त्री :

श्री रामजी राम :

श्री शिव कुमार शास्त्री :

क्या सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि आकाशवाणी से प्रसारित किये जाने वाले कार्यक्रमों तथा समाचार बुलेटिनों में कुछ विशेष किस्म के विचारों तथा समाचारों को खास महत्व दिया जाता है ;

(ख) क्या यह भी सच है कि आकाशवाणी के कुछ कर्मचारी उनमें अपने व्यक्तिगत विचारों को किसी न किसी तरह धुमाने की कोशिश करते हैं; और

(ग) यदि हां, तो क्या इस सम्बन्ध में कोई उच्च स्तरीय जांच की गई है ?

**सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री (श्री के० के० शाह) :** (क) और (ख). जी, नहीं।

समाचार के रूप में समाचार का महत्व ही एक मात्र कसौटी है। यदि कोई विशिष्ट मामला सरकार के ध्यान में लाया जाएगा, तो उसकी जांच की जायेगी।

(ग) सबाल नहीं उठता।

#### INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR ON CIVIC AND POLITICAL EDUCATION

2844. SHRI K. R. GANESH : Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that India participated in an International Seminar on Civic and Political Education of Women held at Helsinki from August 1 to 14; and

(b) if so, the subjects discussed at the Seminar and the views put forward by Indian delegates ?

THE PRIME MINISTER, MINISTER OF ATOMIC ENERGY, MINISTER OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI INDIRA GANDHI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Seminar discussed the civic and political rights of women, the need for education and training to promote the full and effective exercise of these rights and the role of public and private institutions in relation to this matter. The Indian Delegate presented a paper on this subject and also spoke about the role of women in various aspects of our national life, the part played by various agencies in the education of women and the importance of mass communications.

#### BORDER ROADS

2845. SHRI RABI RAY : Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state :

(a) the number of border road organisations which have been set up in the country to build border roads;

(b) the total amount spent in various sectors of these border roads and organisations during the last three years; and

(c) in view of the strategic importance of these roads, the steps Government are