New appointment for Former Vice-Chairman, D.D.A.

5563. SHRI BAPUSAHEB PARULEKAR: SHRI YADVENDRA DUTT:

Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHA-BILITATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the former D.D.A. Vice-Chairman Shri Jagmohan has been appointed in-charge of the National Institute of Urban Affairs;
- (b) whether Shri Jagmohan, along with Shri Sanjay Gandhi was one of the Chief architects of New Delhi's "beautification programme" in the months of emergency, which programme had struck fear into the hearts of the people, and left thousands of them embittered and homeless; and
- (c) if so, whether the new appointment is given to Shri Jagmohan as a reward for what he did in emergency?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND REHABILITATION (SHRI SIKANDAR BAKHT): (a) Shri Jagmohan has been appointed as Senior Research Fellow and not as in-charge of the Institute.

- (b) The Government of India in the Ministry of Home Affairs have set up a Fact Finding Committee in respect of programmes for slum—clearance, removal of encroachments, demolition, beautification etc. carried out in the Union Territory of Delhi during the emergency following its proclamation on the 25th June, 1975. One of the terms and reference of the Fact Finding Committee—concerns—"Beautification Programme". The finding of the Committee will have to be awaited on this point.
 - (c) It is not correct to say so.

Social Work in Rural Areas by Students

5564. SHRI P. V. NARASIMHA RAO: Will the Minister of EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is a proposal under consideration of Government to close down educational institutions for a couple of years to enable students to do social work in rural areas, particularly to create mass literacy etc.; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and when it is going to be started?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE (DR. PRATAP CHANDRA CHUNDER):
(a) No. Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

भारतीय कृषि मनुसंघान परिषद् के एक वैज्ञानिक द्वारा म्रात्म हत्या

5565. श्री राम नरेश कुशवाह: क्या कृषि भीर सिचाई मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

- (क) क्या उनका ध्यान 20 जुलाई, के 'नव भारत टाइम्स' में 'फांसी लगाकर ब्रात्महत्या' शीर्षक समाचार की ब्रोर गया है ;
- (ख) यदि हां, तो उसके क्या कारण हैं;
- (ग) क्या इसके पहले भी भारतीय कृषि अनुसंधान परिषद् के दो वैज्ञानिक आत्महत्या कर चुके हैं तथा क्या वहां कर्म-चारियों और वैज्ञानिकों द्वारा बार-बार आत्महत्या किए जाने के कारणों की जांच कराने के लिए सरकार एक संसदीय आयोग नियुक्त करेगी; और
- (घ) यदि नहीं, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं ?