

**Robbing of passengers of Aligarh Delhi Train**

264. SHRI SHIVAJI PATNAIK: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether attention of the Government has been drawn to the fact that all the 50 passengers of a II class compartment of the Aligarh-Delhi passenger train were robbed in running train between Mehrawal and Kalu Station by a gang of armed robbers on 15-10-77;

(b) if so, whether any culprit has been arrested in this connection; and

(c) the preventive measures taken in regard thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SHEO NARAIN): (a) Six passengers were looted by a gang of 15-16 armed criminals in a second class coach of 1 ATD passenger train on the night of 14-10-77 when the train was running between Mehrawal and Kulwa railway stations on the Khurja-Aligarh section of the Northern Railway.

(b) One person has been arrested on 17-10-1977 by the District Police, Aligarh.

(c) The following preventive measures are being taken by the Government Railway Police:—

(i) All night trains are being escorted by Armed Government Railway Police guards;

(ii) Surprise raids and checking of Railway Stations and passenger trains in the night, are being carried out by SP, DSP Station Officers and other officers with PAC and other force;

(iii) Drive against criminals in and around Ghaziabad, Aligarh and Bulandsahar has

been intensified by the State Police of Uttar Pradesh;

(iv) Minister of Railways has recently brought to the notice of the Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh the increasing trend of violent crime in trains running in Uttar Pradesh and requested for launching concerted drive aimed at effective preventive measures and prompt detection of such cases.

**बोम्बे हाई म किया गया कार्य और उस पर हुआ खर्च**

265. श्री धर्मसिंह भाई पटेल क्या पेट्रोलियम तथा रसायन और उर्वरक मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि

(क) बोम्बे हाई में तेल और गैस के बारे में किस प्रकार का कार्य हुआ है और उस पर कितना खर्च हुआ है;

(ख) यह परियोजना कब तक पूरी हो जाने की सम्भावना है, पूरा हो जाने पर अनुमानतः कितना खर्च होगा और इस समय वहाँ पर क्या कार्य चल रहा है;

(ख) इस परियोजना के पूरा हो जाने पर कितना तेल और गैस प्राप्त होने की सम्भावना है; और

(घ) प्राप्त हुआ यह तेल और गैस प्रत्येक राज्य को किस प्रकार और कितनी मात्रा में देने का प्रस्ताव है ?

पेट्रोलियम तथा रसायन और उर्वरक मंत्री (श्री हेमवती नन्दन बहुगुणा) : (क) कुछ अन्वेषण एवं मूल्यांकन हुए तथा 12 उत्पादन कुओं के खोदे जाने के अतिरिक्त, तीन कुएँ प्लेटफार्म, एक गैस निकलाने वाली चिमनी, दो एस०वी०एम० तथा आपस में जोड़ने वाली पाइप लाइनें आदि बम्ब