

(ख) क्या ऐसा सबब बनाने के पूर्व सरकार एकरूपता लाने के उद्देश्य से उसके अन्तर्गत सभी मन्त्रालयों को लेना सुनिश्चित करेगी ,

गृह मन्त्रालय ने राष्ट्र मन्त्री (श्री छनिक लाल मण्डल) (क) स्वर्ण बनाने की कार्रवाई की जा रही है । उम्मीद है कि स्वर्ण जल्दी ही बन जाएगा ।

(ख) एकरूपता लाने का दृष्टि में सब मन्त्रालयों से सबब में शामिल होने का अनुरोध किया गया था । केवल रेल मन्त्रालय और राजस्व विभाग को छोड़कर सभी मन्त्रालय/विभाग इस स्वर्ण में आने का राजी है ।

Confidential Reports of Officers

2984 SHRI VINAYAK PRASAD YADAV Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state

(a) whether it is a fact that secret files confidential letters and CRs are sent to various officers openly in various Ministries and Departments through their Personal Assistants or Private Secretaries, and

(b) whether it is also a fact that affected members of the staff are not allowed to see Secretary and Joint Secretary of their Ministry direct to represent their grievances?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S D PATIL) (a) According to the security instructions, all classified documents unless carried by an officer by hand should be sent in locked boxes or sealed covers. The Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms has no information in regard to the violation of these instructions

(b) Ordinarily senior officers should be accessible to their staff to be able to listen to their grievances. No case has come to the notice of this Department where staff experienced difficulty in this regard.

Import by M/s Kores

2985 SHRI RAMESHWAR PATIDAR Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state.

(a) whether it is a fact that M/s Kores India have been importing materials from foreign countries,

(b) if so the value of imported goods in Indian currency and the countries from which imported during the last 3 years,

(c) whether all the imported materials are being used by them in their factories in this country,

(d) if so the value of the finished products in which imported material is used and

(e) if answer to (d) above be in the negative the way of disposal of the imported goods?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRIMATI ABHA MAIT) (i) to (e) Information is being collected and will be placed on the Table of the House

Increase in Freight and Passenger Fare by Andaman Mainland and Lakshadweep Shipping Service

2986 SHRI MANORANJAN BHAKTA Will the Minister of SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT be pleased to state

(a) whether Government are aware of 25 per cent increase on freight and passenger fare by Andaman Mainland and Lakshadweep Shipping Service with 24 hours notice with effect from 22nd January, 1978,

(b) whether Government have received any information about the large scale protests about it and if so the reaction of Government

(c) whether Government apprehend rise of price of all essential commodities due to this freight increase and if so what is Government's reaction to this,