

**STORES FOR ROAD TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT,
HYDERABAD**

905. Shri Vittal Rao: Will the Minister of Works, Housing and Supply be pleased to refer to the reply given to starred question No. 51 asked on the 5th November, 1952 regarding stores for Road Transport Department, Hyderabad and state:

(a) the value of stores received since then against the indents approximating to Rs. 20 lacs placed by the Road Transport Department, Hyderabad State;

(b) whether any periodical report from the Director-General, India Store Department, London has been received by Government;

(c) if so, whether Government propose to lay on the Table of the House a copy of the same;

(d) whether there is any likelihood of the supplies being made in full in the near future; and

(e) the names of the firms against which these indents have been placed?

The Deputy Minister of Works, Housing and Supply (Shri Buragohain): (a) Since November, 1952 additional stores of the value of Rs. 2 lakhs approximately have been shipped from London against the indents for spares and accessories placed by the Road Transport Department, Hyderabad. Information regarding the exact extent to which these stores have actually been received by the Road Transport Department, Hyderabad has not been reported.

(b) and (c). The report for the period ending 31st March, has been posted but has not yet been received.

(d) It is expected that all the supplies will be completed before the end of 1953 if no further difficulties are experienced by the contractors in getting raw materials, etc.

(e) A statement giving the names of the contractors is placed on the Table of the House. [See Appendix VIII, annexure No. 26.]

All the spares ordered are proprietary articles.

**COMMITTEES UNDER INDIAN STANDARDS
INSTITUTION**

906. Dr. Amin: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) the names and the number of Committees and Sub-Committees func-

tioning under the Indian Standards institution;

(b) on how many of these Committees and Sub-Committees the Imperial Chemical Industries (India) Ltd., have been given representation; and

(c) what is the number of Indians representing the Imperial Chemical Industries (India) Ltd., on these Committees and Sub-Committees?

The Minister of Commerce (Shri Karmarkar): (a) 83 Committees and 283 Sub-Committees (including Panels) are at present functioning under the Indian Standards Institution. A list giving their names is laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library—See No. S-31/53.]

(b) 8 Committees and 14 Sub-Committees.

(c) One.

TAJ MODEL MANUFACTURE

907. Shri P. N. Rajabhoj: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to refer to a supplementary to Starred Question No. 980 asked on the 25th March, 1953 and state the total number of families engaged in the Taj Model Manufacturing Industry in Agra?

The Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri T. T. Krishnamachari): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

भारतीय अयस्क का निर्यात

१०८. श्री रघुनाथ सिंह : क्या वाणिज्य तथा उद्योग मन्त्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे :

(क) क्या १९५१-५२ में १०.४१ करोड़ रुपये के मूल्य का ९,३५,०४२ टन अयस्क निर्यात किया गया और १९५२-५३ के प्रथम आठ मास में १७.१३ करोड़ रुपये के मूल्य का १८,३४,६३० टन अयस्क निर्यात किया गया और यदि ऐसा है तो उम वर्ष के शेष चार मासों में कितना अयस्क निर्यात हुआ ; और