

ADVISORY COUNCILS FOR EXPORTS AND IMPORTS

224. Shri Karni Singhji: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state the names of the present Members from Rajasthan on the Import and Export Advisory Councils?

The Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri T. T. Krishnamachari): There are two Rajasthani Members on the Import and Export Advisory Councils. These Councils are not, however, constituted on the basis of regional representation.

UNEMPLOYMENT IN RAJASTHAN

225. Shri Karni Singhji: Will the Minister of Planning be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 92 on the 4th March 1954 and state:

(a) whether the Rajasthan Government have now furnished the Government of India with the incidence of unemployment in the State; and

(b) if so, whether the report received thereon will be placed on the Table of the House?

The Minister of Planning and Irrigation and Power (Shri Nanda): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

INDIAN CITIZENS IN U.S.A.

226. Shri D. C. Sharma: Will the Prime Minister be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Indian citizens residing in U.S.A. at present; and

(b) the number of those who have finally settled in U.S.A. and of those who continue to be Indian citizens?

The Prime Minister and Minister of External Affairs and Defence (Shri Jawaharlal Nehru): (a) and (b). The number of persons of Indian origin residing in the U.S.A. as on the 1st July, 1954, is estimated to be 5,232. Out of these by 31st December, 1953 253 became naturalized citizens of the United States. Latest figures are not

available. A note giving further details is attached. [See Appendix III, annexure No. 60].

TRADE WITH INDONESIA

227. Shri D. C. Sharma: Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

(a) whether India is now importing any commercial goods from Indonesia;

(b) if so, what are the items;

(c) whether there is any trade agreement between India and Indonesia; and

(d) whether any Trade Commissioner's office has been opened by the Indonesian Government?

The Minister of Commerce and Industry (Shri T. T. Krishnamachari):

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The important items of import from Indonesia are Palmoil, certain essential oils, mineral oils, certain drugs and medicines, sugar and raw hides and skins.

(c) No, Sir. the renewal of the Trade Agreement with Indonesia which expired on 31-12-1953 is under negotiation at present.

(d) The Indonesian Embassy in New Delhi has a commercial section.

U. N. EXPERTS ON COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS

**228. { Shri S. N. Das:
Sardar A. S. Saigal:**

Will the Minister of Planning be pleased to refer to the answer to starred question No. 1950 asked on the 8th May, 1953 and state:

(a) the extent to which the State Governments have been able to give effect to the suggestions made by the U.N. experts on community organisations at their meeting with the Planning Commission; and

(b) the steps, if any, taken for the maximum mobilisation of man and money power of the Community?