

(ख) यदि हां, तो इसको कब से क्रियान्वित किया जाएगा ?

रंलबे तथा परिवहन उपमंयी (श्री अल्लगेशन):
(क) जी, नहीं।

(ख) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTRE,
SAURASHTRA

518. **Dr. J. N. Parekh:** Will the Minister of Labour be pleased to state whether Government propose to start a Technical Training Centre in Saurashtra?

The Deputy Minister of Labour (Shri Abid Ali): There is no such proposal under consideration at present.

STENOGRAPHERS

519 **Pandit M. B. Bhargava:** Will the Minister of Railways be pleased to state:

(a) the prescribed scales and categories provided as avenues of promotion for Stenographers on the various Indian Railways;

(b) whether it is a fact that Stenographers in the various Departments

of the Western Railway (excluding the Accounts Department) have no avenues of promotion to other Selection posts in the Ministerial category except in their own category;

(c) if so, the reasons why the Stenographers of the Accounts Department and the other Departments are treated differently; and

(d) the steps proposed to be taken to afford 'equal opportunities' to all the employees?

The Deputy Minister of Railways and Transport (Shri Alagesan): (a) The various prescribed scales and avenues of promotion are:

Typists—(Rs. 55—130).

Stenographers—(Rs. 80—220).

25%—(Seniority cum suitability).

75%—(Direct recruitment).

Stenographers—(Rs. 200—10—300). (Selection)

Head Stenographers (Selection)—Rs. 260—350).

(b) No. They have an avenue of promotion to the Ministerial post of Superintendent General in the grade —Rs. 360—500.

(c) and (d). Do not arise.