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उत्तर प्रवृंश में उर्दू

४२२. श्री रचुनाथ सिंह: क्या गृह-कार्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करोंगे कि:

- (क) क्या यह सच हैं कि ७ फरवरी, ९६४४ को मद्रास में हुए अखिल भारतीय उर्द् सम्मेलन ने सरकार से निवेदन किया हैं कि उर्द् को इत्तर प्रवंश की संबीय भाषा घोषित कर दिया बाए. और
- (का) बदि हां, तो इस सम्बन्ध में सरकार का क्या कार्यवाही करने का विचार हैं?

गृह-कार्य उपमंत्री (श्री वृातार): (क) हां।

(स) सरकार ने इस विषय में कोई कार्यवाही नहीं की हैं।

OUTBREAK OF FIRE IN TRIPURA

525. Shri Dasaratha Deb: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of occasions when fire broke out in the bazars of Tripura during the last one year;
- (b) the number of cases in which compensation has been given;
- (c) the maximum and minimum compensation given to a victim of fire; and

(d) what steps have been taken to see that such fires do not break out in future?

The Deputy Minister of Home Affairs (Shri Datar): (a) Ten.

- (b) 119.
- (c) Maximum Rs. 175/-Minimum Rs. 20/-.
- (d) Action is being taken to set up fire-fighting units at Agartaia and Kailasahar. In other towns, the Sub-Divisional Officers have been instructed to provide adequate fire-fighting equipment.

SCHOLARSHIPS TO FOREIGN STUDENTS

- 526. Sardar Akarpuri: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:
- (a) the number of foreign students who are receiving scholarships from the Government of India for studies in the Indian Universities;
 - (b) the subjects they study; and
- (c) the names of the countries to which these students belong?

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Education (Dr. M. M. Das): (a) to (c). A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix VIII, annexure No. 61].