

(d) if so, the result thereof and the reaction of the Government with regard thereto?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI A. B. A. GHANI KHAN CHAUDHURY): (a) to (c). The Chief Minister of West Bengal had written to the Minister for Energy alleging certain irregularities in the appointment of Director (Personnel) and Additional Director (Personnel) in the DVC. Chief Minister, West Bengal has been informed that no rules have been violated in the appointment of Director (Personnel), who is on deputation from another public sector undertaking under the Government of India. DVC has also been told that complete impartiality and objectivity should be observed in making appointments.

(d) Question does not arise.

Selection of members of Jury on Film Festival

2887. **PROF. AJIT KUMAR MEHTA:**

SHRI RAJNATH SONKAR SHASTRI:

SHRI JAGPAL SINGH:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that according to the normal practice, eminent film personalities belonging to the country in which International Film Festivals are held, preside over the jury during the Festival;

(b) whether it is also a fact that during the recent International Film Festival held in Delhi, India made a departure from the normal practice so much so that none of the Commonwealth countries participating in the Festival was represented on the jury;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(d) reactions of the film personalities from the Commonwealth countries who participated in the festival?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI KUMUDBEN M. JOSHI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) There has been no reaction in regard to the Jury.

Power Plant in Every District

2888. **SHRI SATISH AGARWAL:** Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have formulated a comprehensive plan to provide a power plant in every district in the country within a period of 2 years;

(b) if so, the details of the plan drawn up in this connection; and

(c) what would be financial outlay proposed for this purpose and whether Government have finalised the infrastructures necessary for this purpose?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI A. B. A. GHANI KHAN CHAUDHURY): (a) No, Sir. Power Plants are being located at the most favourable locations keeping in view the physical resources available and the load centres.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Does not arise.

Modernisation of building of A.I.R. Hyderabad

2889. **SHRI V. KISHORE CHANDRA S. DEO:** Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the studios of A.I.R. Hyderabad and the buildings in which they are set up are very old; and