

(c) whether it is also a fact that SAIL had entrusted; the work regarding its Pavilion in the Pragati Maidan in the exhibition held last year through its agency which has no expertise on Exhibition Publicity; and

(d) if so, what were the consideration for entrusting the publicity work of a Major public sector undertaking to an agency, which has few personnel specialised in publicity work ?

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRIES OF INDUSTRY AND STEEL AND MINES (SHRI CHARANJIT CHANANA) :** (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Like other agencies working for SAIL this agency is also on the panel of agencies accredited by the Directorate of Advertising & Visual Publicity, Government of India.

(c) No, Sir. This work was entrusted to M/s. Design Forum of Delhi who are a firm of architects.

(d) Does not arise.

**No. of Cases pending in courts between Hindustan Zinc Ltd. Udaipur and its employees**

**5026. SHRI DEEN BANDHU VERMA :** Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state :

(a) how many cases are pending in Courts between Hindustan Zinc Ltd., Udaipur and its employees in individual capacity :

(b) how many cases have been lost and how many have been won in the courts ; and

(c) what is the amount spent on each case inclusive of legal opinion, advocates fees and officers attending courts ?

**THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE (SHRI DHARAMVIR) MINISTRY OF LABOUR IN :** (a) to (c) The information has been called from the Government of Rajasthan. It will be laid on the Table of the House in due course.

**Book 'Notes on office procedure' prescribed for section officers/Stenographers examination**

**5027. SHRI RAJNATH SONKAR SHASTRI :** Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the book 'Notes on Office Procedure' issued by the Institute of Secretariat Training and Management is not an authentic book to be quoted in Governmental work and yet the same has been prescribed for Section Officers/Stenographers Grade 'B' Limited Departmental Competitive Examination; and

(b) if so, underlying idea behind it ?

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI NIHAR RANJAN LASKAR) :** (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) 'Notes on Office Procedure' is a training material book brought out by the Institute of Secretariat Training and Management. In the syllabus prescribed for Section Officers/Stenographers Grade 'B' Limited Departmental Competitive Examination it is clearly stated that some guidance can be obtained from this book. Thus, the underlying idea for the publication of this book is to provide guidance and better understanding of the Office Procedure.

**Use of Polythene Bags in Cement Factories**

**5028. SHRI C. PALANIAPPAN :** Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal to instruct the cement factories to use polythene bags by fixing a datum line; and

(b) if not, the difficulties in it ?

**THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY AND STEEL AND MINES (SHRI NARAYAN DATT TIWARI) :** (a) and (b) Since the introduction of polythene bags for packing cement would result in increase in the cost of cement to the consumer and would have adverse effects on the jute Industry, there is