

3. The use of copper chlorophyll.

4. The use of a yellow colour prepared from 4,4' dihydraxy 2' 6' tetra tert—butyl diphenyl methane.

(b) (i) Work on these schemes has been done at the following laboratories, seriatim:—

1. Central Drug Research Institute, Lucknow.
2. Central Food Technological Research Institute, Mysore.
3. Research and Development Organisation, Ministry of Defence, New Delhi.
4. National Chemical Laboratory, Poona.

(ii) Further work of a confirmatory nature as well in regard to non-toxicity of the suggested colours other than the alcoholic extract of turmeric is in progress at various laboratories.

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2933. **Shri V. P. Nayar:** Will the Minister of Health be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the All India Institute of Medical Sciences had been decorated and a special *shamiana* had been erected to receive the Queen of England, during her visit to the Institute.

(b) what is the estimated cost of decoration and the *shamiana*; and

(c) who met the expenditure?

The Minister of Health (Shri Karmarkar): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The actual cost incurred is as follows:—

(1) Decorations—

(i) By C.P.W.D.—Rs. 3,000.

(ii) By private contractor—Rs. 3,000.

(2) *Shamiana*, dais, chairs, durries, ec. (for accommodating 3500 guests) Rs. 5,500.

(c) The All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi.

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2934. **Shri V. P. Nayar:** Will the Minister of Health be pleased to lay on the Table a statement showing the following details of the construction of buildings costing over Rs. 5 lakhs for the All India Institute of Medical Sciences since 1st January, 1958 to 15th March, 1961:

- (i) the name of work;
- (ii) the name of Architect engaged;
- (iii) the fee paid or agreed to be paid for Architect;
- (iv) the papers in which the requirement of Architects were advertised, with dates of insertion;
- (v) the quotation submitted by each competitor; and
- (vi) the reason, if any, for not choosing the lowest offer?

The Minister of Health (Shri Karmarkar): A statement containing the required information is laid on the Table. [See Appendix IV, annexure No. 86].

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2935. **Shri V. P. Nayar:** Will the Minister of Health be pleased to lay on the Table a statement showing:

(a) the names of each construction work completed or begun since 1st January, 1958 up to 15th March, 1961 for the All India Institute of Medical Science, New Delhi;

(b) the newspapers in which, with date or dates, tenders for each work were invited;

(c) the number of tenders received in each with the names of tenderers and the rates quoted; and

(d) the details of the tender accepted and the reasons therefor?