

and appraisal of their bio-data antecedents local standing reputation and consultation with the officer Commanding-in-Chief, the Command.

Cantonments Having Varied Boards Instead of Elected Boards

4697. SHRI R.L.P. VERMA : Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether on the expiry of the term of certain Cantonment Boards in the country, Government have constituted varied boards instead of getting the elected boards duly constituted;

(b) the names of cantonments which are having varied boards on the country at present;

(c) the reasons for not constituting the elected boards on the expiry of the previous elected boards; and

(d) the time by which the varied boards are likely to be replaced by the elected cantonment Boards?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The names of Cantonments are as follows:

1. Faizabad
2. Pune
3. Nainital
4. Clement Town
5. Dalhousie
6. Lansdowne
7. Danapore
8. Lebong
9. Bakloh
10. Ahmednagar
11. Deolali

12. Almora
13. Aurangabad
14. Kasauli
15. Secunderabad
16. Jutogh
17. Dagshai
18. Subathu
19. Delhi
20. Meerut

(c) and (d) The Cantonments Act, 1924 has been comprehensively amended in 1983. Elections in Cantonments will be held in accordance with the amended Act. The specific date for holding the elections has not been finalised.

Construction of Overhead Tanks in Areas Occupied by Civil Population in Delhi Cantonment Board

4698. SHRI R.L.P. VERMA : Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal for construction of overhead tanks in the areas occupied by the civil population in Delhi Cantonment Board jurisdiction with a view to supplement and make the sewerage system a success;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which the said scheme is likely to be implemented?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The Cantonment Board, Delhi proposes to construct 4 overhead tanks of 2 lacs gallons capacity, 25000 gallons capacity, 1 lac gallons capacity and 25000 gallons capacity at