

P.Os. in rented Buildings in Gujarat State

5999. **Shri Narendra Singh Mahida:** Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Post Offices in Gujarat at present;

(b) the number of such offices accommodated in the private rented buildings, and

(c) the annual rent being paid for these office buildings?

The Minister of State in the Departments of Parliamentary Affairs and Communications (Shri I. K. Gujral):
(a) 5,847

(b) 780

(c) Rs. 9,31,520 82 Paise

Literature Supplied to M.Ps. and Provision of Stenographers

6000. **Shri Nitiraj Singh Chaudhary:**
Shri G. S. Mishra:

Will the Minister of Parliamentary Affairs be pleased to state

(a) the number of publications supplied to M.Ps by the Central Government so far since the commencement of the Fourth Lok Sabha;

(b) whether Government propose to provide one P.A-cum-steno to each M.P. to attend to his correspondence, maintenance of files etc. so that M.Ps get time to study the aforesaid publications, and

(c) if the reply to (b) be in the negative, whether Government propose to ascertain from each M.P. the subjects in which he is interested and supply him literature on those subjects only?

The Minister of Parliamentary Affairs and Communications (Dr. Ram Subhag Singh): (a) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(b) The salary, allowances and facilities to Members of Parliament are government by the Salaries and Allow-

ances of Members of Parliament Act and the Rules made thereunder.

(c) Government publications are usually supplied to Members through Publications Counters, and it is optional for the members to collect only those publications in which they are interested.

वरिष्ठ कर्मचारियों से पहले कनिष्ठ कर्मचारियों की पदोन्नति

6001. **श्री राम चरण :** क्या गृह-कार्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) पिछले दस वर्षों (30 जन, 1967 तक) भारत सरकार के विभिन्न मंत्रालयों में प्रतिकूल रिपोर्टों के कारण कितने अपर डिवीजन क्लर्कों तथा असिस्टेंटों की पदोन्नति न करके उनसे कनिष्ठ कर्म-कर्मचारियों की पदोन्नतिया की गई;

(ख) उन में से कितने कर्मचारियों की पदोन्नतिया बाद में की गई जब कि उन्हें अच्छी वार्षिक रिपोर्ट मिली अथवा उनकी पिछली रिपोर्टों में से प्रतिकूल टिप्पणिया हटा दी गई;

(ग) क्या इन व्यक्तियों की वरिष्ठता वही निर्धारित की गई है जो कि उनकी रिपोर्टों खराब होने से पहले थी; और

(घ) यदि नहीं, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं ?

गृह-कार्य मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री विद्या चरण शुक्ल) : (क) से (घ) सूचना एकत्रित की जा रही है और सदन के सभा-पटल पर रख दी जायेगी ।

Standard for I.P.Os. and I.P.Os.(C)

6002. **Shri D. R. Farmer:** Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the standards laid down for I.P.Os. and I.P.Os.(C) by the

Inspection Organisation of the Posts and Telegraphs Directorate; and

(b) whether the same have been enforced and if so, since when?

The Minister of State in the Departments of Parliamentary Affairs and Communications (Shri I. K. Gujral): (a) No standards have been laid down for IPOs and IPOs(C) by the Inspection Organisation of the P&T Directorate. Revision of the existing standards is under examination of a study group appointed for the purpose

(b) Does not arise

Salary of State Governors

6003. Shri Baburao Patel: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state the number of State Governors and their names with their salaries and other allowances?

The Minister of Home Affairs (Shri Y. B. Chavan): A statement giving the information is laid on the Table of the House [Placed in Library. See No LT-1098/67]

अहिन्दी-भाषी राज्यों में हिन्दी शिक्षक प्रशिक्षण कालेज

6004 श्री रामचन्द्र बीरप्पा : क्या शिक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि अहिन्दी-भाषी राज्यों में इस समय कितने-कितने हिन्दी शिक्षक प्रशिक्षण कालेज चल रहे हैं ?

शिक्षा मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री बागवत लाल आचार्य) : तीसरी पंचवर्षीय आयोजना के अन्त तक शत प्रतिशत केन्द्रीय सहायता से अहिन्दी भाषी राज्यों में खोले गये हिन्दी शिक्षक प्रशिक्षण कालेजों की संख्या

धीरे-धीरे इस समय भी चल रहे हैं इस प्रकार है :—

आन्ध्र प्रदेश	2	गजरात	1
केरल	3	मद्रास	1
मैसूर	3	उड़ीसा	1
पश्चिम बंगाल	1	मस्य	1 (इस वर्ष से कार्य शुरू करने की सम्भावना है) ।

इसके अतिरिक्त महाराष्ट्र में पाच हिन्दी शिक्षक प्रशिक्षण केन्द्र भी खोले गये हैं जो वृन्धियादी प्रशिक्षण कालेजों में सम्बद्ध हैं । केरल में एक अतिरिक्त शिक्षक प्रशिक्षण कालेज खोलने की भी मजूरी दे दी गई है जिसके इस वर्ष में काम शुरू कर देने की सम्भावना है ।

Archaeological Excavations under Sanskrit University, Varanasi

6005. Shri Ranjit Singh: Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state

(a) whether the Archaeological Survey of India deputed any of its officers to the Sanskrit University, Varanasi for conducting certain archaeological excavations,

(b) if so, the particulars thereof;

(c) the total expenditure on the excavations to date;

(d) whether any assessment of the work of excavations carried out so far has been made, and

(e) if so, a brief account thereof?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Education (Shri Sher Singh): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir Shri R. B. Narain, Technical Assistant (formerly designated as Exploration Assistant) was deputed on Foreign Service terms to the Varanaseya Sanskrit Vishwavidyalaya, Varanasi, as Director of Excavation Under his direction, the University conducted excavation at