

	Qty.	Value (Rs.) (approx.)
Diamonds		7,42,000
Manufactures of gold and diamonds		60,000
Indian & Foreign currency		21,58,000
Other goods		1,97,33,000

(c) Departmental adjudication, and where warranted, prosecution proceedings have been/are being initiated against the persons involved in the seizures.

Foreign Exchange to Students

3996. Shri Ramachandra Ulaka:
Shri Dhuleshwar Meena:
Shri Heerji Bhai:
Shri K. Pradhani:

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of students who were given foreign exchange abroad from the 1st April, 1967, up-to-date; and

(b) the total foreign exchange given to them during the same period?

The Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance (Shri Morarji Desai): (a) and (b). The details of permits issued together with the value for the period from 1st April, 1967 to the end of May, 1967 are given below:

	No.	Value (Rs. in lakhs.)
Fresh permits	170	20.39
Old permits renewed for continuance of study	239	17.38

Sterilization Operations

3997. Shri Ramachandra Ulaka:
Shri Dhuleshwar Meena:
Shri Heerji Bhai:
Shri K. Pradhani:

Will the Minister of Health and Family Planning be pleased to state:

(a) the number of sterilisation operations done and the number of camps held for the purpose during the last three months, State-wise; and

(b) the average expenses that were incurred for each camp, State-wise?

The Minister of Health and Family Planning (Dr. S. Chandrasekhar): (a) and (b). The required information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha as soon as available.

Currency Printed in Hong Kong by China in Circulation in Kerala

3998. Shri Baburao Patel:
Shri Prakash Vir Shastri:
Shri Ram Avtar Sharma:
Shri Hukam Chand Kachwai:
Shri Raghuvir Singh Shastri:
Shri Y. S. Kushwah:
Shri Shiv Kumar Shastri:
Shri Arjun Singh Bhadoria:
Shri Atam Das:

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that currency notes worth Rs. 500 crores printed in Hong Kong by the Chinese have been surreptitiously introduced in Kerala with the help of the local Government;

(b) if so, the steps Government have taken against this sabotage of our financial stability; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

The Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance (Shri Morarji Desai): (a) No such report has been received by Government.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.