

organised in May, 1964, with the agreement of Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

(b) The Central Government gives grants to the State Government towards the expenditure on J & K Militia, including its civilian establishment.

(c) The total annual expenditure on these civilians is about Rs. 2 lakhs.

POLICE FIRING IN HYDERABAD

3290. SHRI BENI SHANKER SHARMA :

SHRI D. C. SHAMA :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether about 25 people were injured in Police firing on a crowd which attacked a Police Outpost near Chandrayngulta, a suburb of Hyderabad on the 29th June, 1968 following an alleged attempt by a drunken Central Reserve Police constable to misbehave with a woman;

(b) whether any inquiry has been made into the matter; and

(c) if so, the outcome thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI VIDYA CHARAN SHUKLA) : (a) In the incident referred to, five members of the public were injured as a result of lathi charge and firing which had to be resorted to by the local police. 14 policemen, including men of the Central Reserve Police, also received injuries in a clash with an unruly mob.

(b) and (c). Yes Sir. The Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Hyderabad is conducting an inquiry into the incident and his report is awaited. In so far as the Central Reserve Police are concerned, the Director General Central Reserve Police has looked into the matter personally and taken appropriate action against the delinquent members of the Force.

MYSORE CHIEF MINISTER'S SUGGESTION REGARDING NATIONAL INTEGRATION

3291. SHRI YASHPAL SINGH : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Mysore Chief Minister has been advocating merger of two or more

States to form a zone for national integration; and

(b) if so, Government's reaction thereto ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI VIDYA CHARAN SHUKLA) : (a) According to the information received from the State Government, the Chief Minister of Mysore has not advocated merger of two or more states to form zones for purposes of national integration. He did give expression to certain thoughts passing in his mind after the close of the National Integration Council meeting at Srinagar, indicating that bigger states might at present help in combating divisive forces showing up their heads now and then in the country.

(b) Does not arise.

NEW AIRPORTS IN GUJARAT

3292. SHRI D. N. SOLANKI : Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state :

(a) whether there are any airports under construction in Gujarat State; and

(b) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION (DR. KARAN SINGH) : (a) No new aerodromes are under construction in Gujarat State, but improvements to existing aerodromes are taken up from time to time to meet the requirements of Indian Airlines.

(b) Does not arise.

दिल्ली-शाहदरा सड़क पर यातायात

3293. श्री ओम प्रकाश त्यागी : क्या परिवहन तथा नौवहन मन्त्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार को पता है कि दिल्ली शाहदरा के बीच कम चौड़ी सड़क पर दुहरा यातायात होने के कारण जनता को भारी असुविधा होती है और स कारण वहां प्रायः दुर्घटनाएं होती रहती हैं;

(ख) यदि हां, तो क्या यातायात की भीड़-भाड़ को देखते हुए स सड़क को और अधिक