

अगस्त, 1967 के बाद ही विचार किया जा सकता है जब बर्न अभिसमय का संशोधित पाठ उपलब्ध हो जाएगा।

(ग) अभिसमय के अन्तर्गत जिम्मेदारियाँ एकतरफा नहीं हैं। भारतीय कृतियाँ अब विदेश के अभिसमय देशों में सुरक्षित हैं। अभिसमय के हटने से यह स्वाभाविक है कि भारतीय कृतियों को ऐसा संरक्षण नहीं मिलेगा।

#### Statehood for Manipur

**1094. Shri D. C. Sharma:** Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether Manipur State Congress has demanded full Statehood for Manipur; and

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto?

**The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs and Minister of Defence Supplies in the Ministry of Defence (Shri Hathi):** (a) Yes.

(b) Government do not propose any change in the status of this Union territory.

#### Text Books in Delhi

**1095. Shri D. C. Sharma:** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the text books racket causing shortage and non-availability has become an annual feature in Delhi for Secondary Classes and it is more acute this year; and

(b) if so, the steps taken to check the same?

**The Minister of Education (Shri M. C. Chagla):** (a) No, Sir. There was some delay in respect of a few books which were not put out in the market in April-May. There is no question of any racket. All the textbooks for this year are now available on the re-opening of schools after the vacations.

(b) Does not arise.

#### Metropolitan Council for Delhi

**1096. Shri D. C. Sharma:**  
**Shrimati Savitri Nigam:**  
**Shri M. L. Dwivedi:**  
**Shri Subodh Hansda:**  
**Shri S. C. Samanta:**  
**Shri Bhagwat Jha Azad:**  
**Shri Prakash Vir Shastri:**  
**Shri Hukam Chand**  
**Kachhavaia:**  
**Shri Raghunath Singh:**  
**Shri Jagdev Singh Siddhanti:**

Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether any tentative date for the setting up of a Metropolitan Council for Delhi has been fixed; and

(b) if so, when it is expected to come into being?

**The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs and Minister of Defence Supplies in the Ministry of Defence (Shri Hathi):** (a) and (b). The Metropolitan Council will be set up after the general elections, next year. Until the Metropolitan Council comes into existence, it is proposed to constitute an Interim Metropolitan Council for Delhi. A notification calling upon the members of the electoral college for Delhi to elect 42 members of the Interim Metropolitan Council is expected to be published on 9th August, 1966. The elections may be completed by the last week of that month. It is expected that Interim Metropolitan Council will be established early in September 1966.

#### Scientists invited from Abroad

**1097. Shri A. N. Vidyalankar:** Will the Minister of Education be pleased to state:

(a) the number of scientists, technical experts and specialists invited by Government from abroad for consultations, lecture tours, study and report or for the purpose of scientific and technological collaboration, during the years from 1963 to 1966, year-