

**SHRI BRIJRAJ SINGH
KOTAH :**

Will the Minister of **TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION** be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Study Team on the Indian Airlines has recommended concessional fares on several of its international routes ;

(b) whether the recommendation has been considered ; and

(c) if so, with what result ?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION (DR. KARAN SINGH): (a) to (c). The final report of the Study Team has not yet been submitted to the Corporation. The team has, however, submitted two interim reports recommending *Inter alia* promotional fares/rates on certain sectors. These are being examined by the Indian Airlines.

Demonstration by Employees of National Fitness Corps in New Delhi

3680. **SHRI BENI SHANKER
SHARMA :**
SHRI D. C. SHARMA :

Will the Minister of **EDUCATION** be pleased to state :

(a) whether the employees of the National Finance Corps held a demonstration outside their office in Ramakrishnapuram, New Delhi on the 12th November, 1968 to press their demand for the decentralisation of the corps ;

(b) whether they have also submitted a memorandum to the Prime Minister in this regard ; and

(c) if so the action proposed to be taken in the matter ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION (SHRI BHAGWAT JHA AZAD): (a) Yes, Sir. The demonstration was to press their demand against the decentralisation of the corps.

(b) Yes, Sir

(c) A statement which explains the Government of India decision in the matter is laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library. See No. LT—2586/68].

Activities of Mizo Rebels

3681. **SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO :**
**SHRI KIRIT BIKRAM DEB
BURMAN :**

Will the Minister of **HOME AFFAIRS** be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Mizo hostiles have been active in Tripura area adjoining Lushai in Mizoland and are attacking police stations and threatening the plains people to vacate their land ; and

(b) if so, the steps taken by Government in the matter ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI VIDYA CHARAN SHUKLA): (a) Occasional activity including attacks on two police posts by Mizo rebel in the Jampui Hills area of Tripura adjoining the Mizo Hills district of Assam has come to notice. A warning was contained in some leaflets found in circulation threatening non-tribals to vacate their lands.

(b) Necessary measures have been taken to curb such activities of Mizo rebels and other anti-social elements.

Defective Visions of DTU Drivers

3682. **SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO :**
Will the Minister of TRANSPORT AND SHIPPING be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that a survey conducted recently under the auspices of the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness of Dr. Rajendra Prasad Centre for Ophthalmic Sciences of the All India Institute of Medical Sciences revealed that out of the 1286 DTU Drivers examined, 672 had defective visions and that 85 per cent of them were suffering from trachoma ; and

(b) if so, the steps contemplated by Government in the matter ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT AND SHIPPING (SHRI BHAKT DARSHAN): (a) and (b). The National Society for the Prevention of Blindness have stated that the report of the survey is still being processed and is not yet ready. The Society