SHRI ONKAR LAL BERWA;
SHRI N. R. LASKAR;
SHRI CHENGALRAYA
NAIDU;
SHRI YAJNA DATT
SHARMA;
SHRI D. N. PATODIA;
DR. SUSHILA NAYAR;
SHRI RAGHUVIR SINGH
SHASTRI;
SHRI K. LAKKAPPA;

SHRI A. SREEDHARAN:

Will the Minister of LAW AND SOCIAL WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to appoint a high-power committee to inquire late the status of Indian. Women:
- (b) if so, its personnel and the terms of reference of the Committee; and
- (c) when the Committee is expected to submit its report?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE [DR. (SHRIMATI) PHULRENU GUHA]:
(a) The Government have decided to appoint a National Committee to enquire into the Status of Indian Women.

- (b) The composition of the Committee and its terms of reference are under consideration.
- (c) No definite date can be indicated at present.

Social Welfeare Department's Indifferent Attutude on Committee on Untonchability

2584. SHRI SURAJ BHAN: Will the Minister of LAW AND SOCIAL WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is fact that the Elayaperumal Committee has in its report complained againt the indifferent non-cooperative and even hostile attitude of the Department of Social Welfare; and
- (b) if so, what action Government propose to take against the Officers responsible for that?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRI MUTHYAL RAO): (2) and (b):

The version of the report received from Shri Elayaperumal is not complete and further papers have been called for from him.

उत्तर रेलवे के बीफ रिजर्गेशन सुपरवाहकर तथा रिजर्गेशन धीर इन्यवाबरी क्लकं

3585. भी सर्जुन सिंह भवौरिया: क्या रेलवे मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

- (क) उत्तर नेलवे में अब्बुडिजन-वार किलने कितने चीक रिजवेंशन सुपरवाइजर तथा रिजवेंशन ग्रीर इंड्यारी क्लक हैं;
- (स) वर्तमान नियमों के भ्रमुसार उपर्युक्त दो वर्गों में भ्रमुक्कित जातियों के सियं कितने पद भारक्षित हैं;
- (न) इन झारक्षित पदों में से प्रव तक कितने भरें गये हैं धौर कितने धारक्षित पद रिक्त पड़े हैं जिलमें धनुसूचित जाति के उम्मीद-वार नियुक्त नहीं किये गये हैं;
- (घ) धनुसूचिन जानि के उम्मीदवारों को नियुक्त करके इन पदों को न भरने के क्या कारण हैं: धीर
- (ङ) ऐसे पद कब तक भरे जाने की संभा-बना है?

रेलवे मंत्री (डा॰ राम सुमग सिंह) : (क)		
कोटि	मंडल	तंस्या
(i) मु रुव धा रक्षण पर्यवेक्षक दिल्ली		5
370-475 হ০	कीरोचपुर	1
	इसाहाबाद	2
	लवनऊ	1
	मुस्यालय	2
(ii) मुस्य पूजता छ ग ौर	. वि स्त ी	11
भारकमा क्लकं	भीरोजपुर	1
250-380 To	इलाहाबाद	4
	ससनऊ	3
	मुरादाबाद	1
	मुक्यालय	6
(क) मुख्य प्रारक्षण पर्ववेक्षक 2		
मुक्य पुद्धतान्त्र भीर भारक्षण क्लकं ६		

(ग) कोटि मर गये पर्दो काली पर्दो की संख्या की संख्या

Written Answers

- (i) मुरूप म्नारक्षण पर्यवेक्षक कुछ नहीं
- (ii) मुक्य पूखताछ ग्रीर ग्रारक्षण क्लकं 2
- (घ) भीर (ङ). (i) मुक्य भारक्षण पर्य-वेक्षक - 1966 में किये गये प्रवरण में पात्रता के दायरे में भनुसूचित जातियों के उम्मीदवारों का उपलब्ध न होना। शीध्र ही एक नया प्रव-रण किये जाने की सम्भावना है भीर यदि भनुभूचित जाति के उम्मीदवार उपलब्ध हुए भीर चुने गये तो उन्हें भारक्षित कोटे में तैनात कर दिया आएगा।
- (ii) मुख्य पूछताछ भीर भारक्षण क्लर्क1966-68 में किये गये पिछले प्रवरण में भनुसूचित जातियों के लिए भारक्षित 6 रिक्तियों
 के लिए केवल 4 उम्मीदवार उपलब्ध थे भीर
 इनमें से 3 चुने गये। इनमें से 2 को रख लिया
 गया भीर तीसरे को शीघ्र ही तैनात किया
 जायेगा। भागामी प्रवरणों में, यदि उस समय
 उपयुक्त उम्मीदवार पर्याप्त संख्या में उपलब्ध
 हुए तो इस कमी को पूरा करने की कोणिश
 की जायेगी।

Complaints from Minority Community and Harijans during Mid-term Elections

2586. SHRI SARJOO PANDEY:
SHRI K. LAKKAPPA:
SHRI YASHPAL SINGH:
SHRI SHRI CHAND GOYAL:
SHRI LATAFAT ALI KHAN:

Will the Minister of LAW AND SOCIAL WELFARE be placed to state :

- (a) whether it is a fact that on the eve of mid-term election the Chief Election Commissioner received a large number of complaints from the minority communities and Hurijans that they are being terrorised either to vote in a particular way or to abstain from voting;
- (b) if so, the areas from Where such complaints were received; and
 - (c) the action taken thereon?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRJ M. YUNUS SALEEM): (a) Yes, Sir.

- (b) Complaints were received in respect of the constituencies in the Districts of Meerut and Muzaffarnagar in Uttar Pradesh and Patna and Muzaffarpur in Bihar.
- (c) As soon as the complaints were received in the Election Commission from the Uttar Pradesh and Bihar, these were sent to the State Governments concerned requesting them to take immediate precautionary measures.

Increase in Pattern of Scholarships to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes

- 2587. SHRI S. M. SOLANKI: Will the Minister of LAW AND SOCIAL WELFARE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether Government have decided to increase the pattern of scholarships for the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in 1969; and
 - (b) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRI MUTHYAL RAO): (a) and (b). The matter is under consideration.

Appeals pending before Income-tax Appliate Tribunal

2588. SHRI B. K. DAS-CHOWDHURY: SHRI SHRI GOPAL SABOO: SHRI KANWAR LAL GUPTA: SHRI SHARDA NAND: SHRI BANSH NARAIN SINGH:

Will the Minister of LAW AND SOCIAL WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of cases pending with the Income-tax Appellate Tribunals till the end of the year 1968;
- (b) whether it is proposed to increase the number of tribunals in view of the increasing number of pending cases; and
- (c) whether there is any proposal to bring the Tribunals under the supervision of the High Courts?