

वालों के प्रतिनिधियों द्वारा इस बात की पुष्टि की गई है कि चालू मौसम में उपज अनुमानतः 57 लाख गांठों से कम नहीं होगी। जून, 1970 में तैयार किये गये मूल आयात कार्यक्रम के अनुसार 8.25 लाख कपास की गांठों का आयात किया जाएगा। अतिरिक्त कपास का आयात करने पर विचार किया जा रहा है। तत्काल आधार पर स्टेशन फाइबर की 1.5 लाख गांठों के आयात करने की व्यवस्था भी की गई है।

(c) The number of such decorations awarded during the last three years is as follows :

Year	Bharat Ratna	Padma Vibhu- shan	Padma Bhus- shan	Padma Shri
1968		5	28	44
1969		5	29	55
1970		7	28	69

#### Awarding of National Awards on Republic Day

4794. SHRI E. K. NAYANAR :  
SHRI D. R. PARMAR :  
SHRI GUNANAND THA-  
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the National Awards and Titles are declared by Government in the name of the President of India like Padma Shri, Padma Bhushan, Padma Vibhushan and Bharat Ratna on the eve of every Republic Day ;

(b) if so, the criteria for awarding the said Awards and titles ; and

(c) the number of such Titles and Awards given to various dignitaries during the last three years ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS, AND MINISTER OF STATE, DEPARTMENTS OF ELECTRONICS AND SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH (SHRI K. C. PANT): (a) Government do not award any titles, Padma Shri, Padma Bhushan, Padma Vibhushan and Bharat Ratna are decorations and they are awarded on Republic Day every year.

(b) the decorations are awarded to individuals for distinguished service in their respective fields of activity.

#### National Income

4795. SHRI D. N. DEB : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) what is the national income during the current financial year ;

(b) whether the national income during the last two years was higher than the national income during the current year ; and

(c) if so, the details thereof ?

THE PRIME MINISTER, MINISTER OF ATOMIC ENERGY, MINISTER OF FINANCE AND MINISTER OF PLANNING (SHRIMATI INDIRA GANDHI) : (a) The estimate of national income for the current financial year, *i. e.* 1970-71, has not been prepared so far.

(b) It is not possible to take such comparison at present.

(c) This question does not arise.

#### Foreigners ordered to leave India

4796. SHRI JYOTIRMOY BASU : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be to state :

(a) the names of foreign personnel ordered to leave India during 1969 and 1970 on charges of undesirable activities ; and

(b) the nationality of each of such foreign personnel ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS, AND