- (15) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Sardar Vallabhbhai Regional College of Engineering and Technology, Surat, for the year 1994-95, alongwith Audited Accounts.
  - (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Sardar Vallabhbhai Regional College of Engineering and Technology, Surat, for the year 1994-95.
- (16) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (15) above.

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- (17) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Regional Engineering College, Hazratbal, Srinagar, for the year 1992-93, alongwith Audited Accounts.
  - (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English version) by the Government of the working of the Regional Engineering College, Hazratbal, Srinagar, for the year 1992-93.
- (18) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (17) above.

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12.01hrs

### STANDING COMMITTEE OF FINANCE

#### First and Second Reports

[English]

SHRI BIJU PATNAIK (ASKA): I get to present the following Reports (Hindi and English Versions) of the Standing Committee on Finance.

- (1) First Report on Demands for Grants (1996-97) of the Ministry of Planning and Programme Implementation.
- (2) Second Report on Demands for Grants (1996-97) of the Ministry of Finance.

12.02 hrs

[English]

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FOOD, CIVIL SUPPLIES AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

### First and Second Reports and Minutes

SHRI RAGHUNANDAN LAL BHATIA (AMRITSAR): I beg to present the following Reports and Minutes (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Food, Civil Supplies and Public Distribution:—

- (i) First Report on the Demands for Grants (1996-97) of the Ministry of Food.
- (ii) Second Report on the Demands for Grants (1996-97) of the Ministry of Civil Supplies, Consumer Affairs and Public Distribution.

12.03 hrs

STANDING COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS

## Thirty-sixth Report

[English]

PROF. JITENDRA NATH DAS (JALPAIGURI): I beg to lay on the Table a copy (Hindi and English versions) of the Thirty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Science and Technology, Environment and Forests on the Demands for Grants (1996-97) of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research.

12.04 hrs.

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT AND TOURISM

## Twenty-Fifth Report

[Translation]

SHRI RAM TAHAL CHAUDHARY: I beg to lay on the table a copy (Hindi and English versions) of the Twenty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Transport and Tourism on the Demands for Grants (1996-97) of the Ministry of Surface Transport.

12.05 hrs

### STATEMENT BY MINISTER

# Celebration of Fiftieth Anniversary of India's Independence

[English]

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI S.R. BOMMAI): Sir, on 15th