- 8. Shri Chaturanan Mishra.
- 9. Shri V. Ramanathan.
- 10. Shri Anand Prakash Gautam

(Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Petitions.

(Interruptions)

[English]

COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE MEMBERS'
BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

[English]

12.16 1/4 hrs.

## Sixty-sixth Report

SHRIM. THAMBIDURAI (Dharmapuri): Sir, I beg to present the Sixty-sixth Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Private Members' Bills and Resolutions.

12.14 1/2 hrs.

**RULES COMMITTEE** 

[English]

## **Third Report**

PROF. N.G. RANGA (Guntur): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table under sub-rule (1) of rule 331 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Lok Sabha, the Third Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Rules Committee.

12.14 3/4 hrs.

## COMMITTEE ON PETITIONS

[English]

## **Ninth Report**

SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL (Kopargaon): Sir, I beg to present the Ninth Report

SHRI AMAL DATTA: Sir, the judgement has been fully reported in the newspaper. Strictures have been passed by the Court. (Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER: Mr. Amal Datta, your outbursts cannot do anything. I have to look into it and I will give the judgement today.

SHRI AMAL DATTA: What judgement?

MR. SPEAKER: My ruling. I do not know what my ruling will be.

SHRI AMAL DATTA: This is a matter which should be discussed in this House.

MR. SPEAKER: I will allow if it is allowable and if not, I will not.

(Interruptions)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (PROF. K.K. TEWARY): Sir, this matter has nothing to do with the Freedom of the Press. We are committed to the principle of Freedom of the Press. The man who has made the statement is involved in several financial irregularities. He is guilty of economic offences... (Interruptions)

PROF. MADHU DANDAVATE (Rajapur): Sir, he is going into the merits of the case. Here is the case of Freedom of the Press. (Interruptions)