

contractor, who is in the Board of Directors of Fairgrowth Agencies, is very near to the Chief Minister of Karnataka and he has shares of Rs. 2 lakh 50 thousand of the company. He has been granted the licence for bottling of 'Arak' for four districts and for opening of distillery in Bangalore he has been given Rs.10 crore. This is the reason that orders are not being given to examine the company, whereas the permission for investigation regarding Vijaya Bank has been given. Some Hyderabad company has taken Rs.23 cror, and the Karnataka Government has given permission for investigations in this case. The C.B.I. is under the Prime Minister and the Chief Minister of Karnataka is also of the Congress Party and this liquor contractor himself is one of the director in Fairgrowth Company, that is why the permission to examine this company is not being granted. Through you, I would like to urge the Government that it should be examined by the CBI and the Central Government should make a statement on this and take the house into confidence. The C.B.I. is under the Prime Minister and Mr. Mahadhavan, Joint Director has been entrusted or the responsibility of investigation on this case. One Minister has resigned in connection with the Fair growth company. Through you, I would like to tell the Government that the liquor Contractor is also in the Board of Directors of Fairgrowth company.'

[English]

MR. SPEAKER: That part of the statement will not form part of the record.

[Translation]

SHRI RABI RAY: Why this discrimination? The permission to examine the Vijaya Bank has been granted, but it is not being given in this case. It is the responsibility of the Central Government and you should ask the Government to make a statement on this issue.

[English]

DR. KARTIKESWAR PATRA(Balassore): Sir, you must heard the news item, yesterday night, on the T.V., which referred to the cyclone that had hit the coastal areas of Orissa.

MR. SPEAKER: I will allow you.

[Translation]

SHRI MOHAMMAD ALI ASHRAF FATMI (Darbhanga): Mr. Speaker Sir, I would like to draw the attention of the House to the games which are going on in Barcelona. The games have started there. After a long time Doordarshan and Radio got an opportunity to telecast the programmes from there through their own network or other medicines but it is very sad that today we are deprived of these games. We are not able to see even a hockey match. Yesterday, there was a hockey match between India and Germany. We telephoned 'Doordarshan' several times that it should make arrangements for direct telecast of this match after talking to some other country. It is very sorry state of affairs that where the 30 countries have got this opportunity but we are deprived of this facility. I want that atleast arrangements should be made to telecast the forthcoming matches. It is our request that the match should be telecast, whether it is with the help of neighbouring country, star T.V. or B.B.C.

SHRI NITISH KUMAR (Barh): Mr. Speaker Sir, we wanted to raise this same question and we want to support this. This is a serious matter. The Government should make some kind of arrangements.....(Interruptions)

[English]

MR. SPEKAER: I have said that I will allow you; please wait for some time.

[Translation]

SHRI RABI RAY: Mr. Speaker Sir, you can ask them that the House should be taken into confidence, why has this not happened?

MR. SPEAKER: First and foremost, we shall listen to Chauhan Sahib, we shall listen to the sportsmen.

SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN: Mr. Speaker Sir, the Government says that the sport in which we win shall be shown on the T.V.

[English]

MR. SPEAKER: MR. Chauhan is a sportsman, let him speak.

[Translation]

SHRI CHETAN P.S. CHAUHAN(Amroha) : Mr. Speaker Sir, I would like to say regarding this matter, that the Olympic comes after four years and about one year back, the Government of India was given an offer, but till now the Government has not done anything about this. Even now, it is not too late. Many matches are left and these games will continue for 17 more days. I would like to appeal to the Government that arrangements for this should be made, and atleast those matches which are good, where we hope to win gold medals, should be shown.

[English]

MR. SPEAKER: Mr. Minister, you inclined to reply?

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(DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS AND DEPARTMENT OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT) (SHRI RANGARAJAN KUMARAMANGALAM): The feelings of the Members of the Parliament would definitely be brought to the notice of the hon. Minister of Information and Broadcasting.

MR. SPEAKER: And he will come back.

SHRI RANGARAJAN KUMARAMANGALAM: He has indicated himself that he would like to respond. Because I earlier told him that this issue would likely come up.

DR. KARTIKESWAR PATRA: There was a news item yesterday evening regarding cyclone hit in Orissa coastal belt. A low pressure was accumulate at Thandbali in Balasore District. Yesterday night the cyclone hit at Balasore, Cuttck, Puri, the coastal belt of Orissa. I contacted the Collector, Balasore yesterday night. He told me that at Thandbali it is very serious. This morning also I contacted Cuttack. In the morning the situation in Cuttack was very serious. It is causing heavy devastation resulting in collapse of houses, saline water inundation, livestock casualty and damage of crops.

I would request through you that the hon. Minister should come forward with a statement stating what steps are proposed to be taken both by the State and the Central Government so far. This is my humble submission.

MR. SPEAKER: Is the Government in a position to say something on this point?

SHRI RANGARAJAN KUMARAMANGALAM: Not immediately Sir. I will have to enquire.

DR. KRUSPASINDHU BHOI (Sambalpur): We have raised concern in 1987-89 also about commercialisation of medical education. Though it is in the concurrent list, by now, after the Joint Select Committee visited the nook and corner of the country and interviewed distinguished persons, more than a hundred private medical colleges have