

Kashmir, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Tripura and West Bengal".

*Enacting Formula*

2. That at page 2, line 6,—  
for "Twenty-fourth" substitute  
"Twenty-fifth". Clause 1.

3. That at page 2, line 11,—  
for "1973" substitute "1974"

4. that at page 2, line 13,—  
for "Gujarat, Haryana, Jammu and  
Kashmir, Karnataka and Kerala".

*substitute—*

"Assam, Bihar, Gujarat, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Tripura and West Bengal".

5. That at page 2, lines 17 and 18,—

for "Gujarat, Haryana, Jammu and  
Kashmir, Karnataka and Kerala"  
*substitute—*

"Assam, Bihar, Gujarat, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Tripura and West Bengal".

*Clause 3*

6. That at page 3, lines 32 and 33,—

for "Gujarat, Haryana, Jammu and  
Kashmir, Karnataka and Kerala"

*substitute—*

"Assam, Bihar, Gujarat, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Tripura and West Bengal".

7. That at page 4, line 13,—

for "Boards" *substitute—*

"Boards, of whom not exceeding two shall be from those".

**NORTH-EASTERN AREAS (REORGANISATION) AMENDMENT BILL**

AS PASSED BY RAJYA SABHA

SECRETARY-GENERAL: Sir, I lay on the Table of the House the North-Eastern Areas (Reorganisation) Amendment Bill, 1974, as passed by Rajya Sabha.

13.10 hrs.

**STATEMENT RE. ALLEGED ASSAULT ON SHRI RAM HEDA00 M.P. AT NAGPUR**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA): According to information received from the Government of Maharashtra, Field Marshal Manekshaw was invited by the Nagpur Municipal Corporation to inaugurate, on the 28th February, 1974, the newly constructed Martyrs' Memorial at the Cotton Market Chowk in Nagpur in memory of soldiers killed in the 1971 war. The leaders of the Maha Vidarbha Rajya Sangharsh Samiti started an agitation, demanding that the statue of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose should be erected at the site.

On 28th February, 1974, at 3-30 a.m., the police received information that some workers of the Samiti had gone to the Cotton Market and were trying to damage the Memorial. Police rushed to the spot and arrested two persons under 151 Cr. P.C. while the others ran away. At about 9-30 a.m., Shri Ram Hedao, M.P., along with 30 other followers, started a 'Dharna' at the Memorial and wiped out the painted names of war martyrs. To avoid a confrontation with the Samiti the Corporation authorities decided to hold the function at the Corporation Hall.

However, the Field Marshal along with Mayor, Deputy Mayor and a few corporators went to the Memorial to place a