in Notification No. G.S.R. 1692 in Gazette of India dated the 11th November, 1967.

- (iv) The Customs and Central Excise Duties Export Drawback (General) Fifty-seventh Amendment Rules, 1967, published in Notification No. G.S.R 1693 in Gazette of India dated the 11th November, 1967.
- (v) G.S.R. 1696 published in Gazette of India dated the 11th November, 1967, making certain amendment to Notification No. G.S.R. 1406 dated the 16th September, 1967. [Placed in Library, see No. LT-1683/ 67).
- (5) A copy of Notification No. G.S.R. 1694 published in Gazette of India dated the 11th November, 1967, containing corrigendum to G.S.R. 575 dated the 28th May, 1960, under section 159 of the Customs Act, 1962. [Placed in Library, see No. LT-1684/67].

REVIEW OF THE FOOD AND SCARCITY SITUATION IN INDIA

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD, AGRICULTURE, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND CO-OPERATION (SHRI ANNASAHIB SHINDE) : I beg to lay on the Table a copy of the Review of the Food and Scarcity Situation in India (November, 1967). [Placed in Library, see No. LT-1685-/67].

SHRI S. M. BANERJEE (Kanpur): This should be circulated to us as it will help as during the food debate.

THE MINISTER FOOD AND AGRI-CULTURE (SHRI JAGJIVAN RAM) : It is for that purpose.

12.42 Hrs.

MESSAGE FROM RAJYA SABHA

SECRETARY : Sir, I have to report the following message received from the Secretary of Rajya Sabha :---

'I am directed to inform the Lok Sabha that the Rajya Sabha, at its sitting held on the 21st November, 1967, has passed the enclosed motion referring the Monopolies and Restrictive Trade Practices Bill, 1967, to a Joint Committee of the Houses and to request that the concurrence of the Lok Sabha in the said motion and the names of the Members of the Lok Sabha to be appointed to the said Joint Committee may be communicated to this House.

MOTION

"That the Bill to provide that the operation of the economic system does not result in the concentration of economic power to the common detriment, for the control of monopoliss, for the prohibition of monopoliss, for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto be referred to a Joint Committee of the Houses consisting of 45 members; 15 members from this House, namely :--

- 1. Shrimati Violet Alva
- 2. Shri K. V. Raghunatha Reddy
- 3. Shri M. M. Dharia
- 4. Shri Babubhai M. Chinai
- 5. Shri Arjun Arora
- 6. Shri Awadheshwar Prasad Sinha
- 7. Shri Chandra Shekhar
- 8. Shri R. K. Bhuwalka
- 9. Dr. Anup Singh
- 10. Shri Gulam Nabi Untoo
- 11. Shri Niranjan Varma
- 12. Shri Mulka Govinda Reddy
- 13. Shri Dahyabhai V. Patel
- 14. Shri K. Damodaran
- 15. Shri B. N. Mandal.

and 30 members from the Lok Sabha:

that in order to constitute a meeting of the Joint Committee the quorum shall be one-third of the total number of members of the Joint Committee;

that in other respects, the Rules of Procedure of this House relating to Select Committees shall apply with such variations and modifications as the Chairman may make;

that the Committee shall make a report to this House by the last day of the first week of the next session; and

that this House recommends to the Lok Sabha that the Lok Sabha do