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12.09 Hrs.

MESSAGES FROM RAJYA SABHA

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

- (i) "In accordance with the provisions of rule 111 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Rajya Sabha, I am directed to enclose a copy of the Indian Penal Code (Amendment) Bill, 1967, by Diwan Chaman Lall, M.P., which has been passed by the Rajya Sabha at its sitting held on the 15th December, 1967."
- (ii) "In accordance with the provisions of rule 111 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Rajya Sabha, I am directed to enclose a copy of the Haryana State Legislature (Delegation of Powers) Bill, 1967, which has been passed by the Rajya Sabha at its sitting held on the 19th December 1967."

BILLS AS PASSED BY RAJYA SABHA

SECRETARY: Sir, I lay on the Table of the House the following Bills as passed by Rajya Sabha:—

- The Indian Penal Code (Amendment) Bill, 1967, by Diwan Chaman Lall, M.P
- (2) The Haryana State Legislature (Delegation of Powers) Bill, 1967.

12.10 Hrs.

COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

EIGHTEENTH REPORT

भी रामावतार श.स्त्रेः (पटना): श्रीमन्, में गैर-सरकारी सदस्यों के विधेयकों तथा संकल्पों संबंधी समिति का 18वां प्रतिबेदन पेश करता हूं।

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC UNDER-TAKINGS FIFTH REPORT

श्री श्रेम चन्द वर्मा (हमीरपुर) : अध्यक्ष महोदय, में गन्ध क के आयत के लिये भारत के राज्य व्यापार निगम द्वारा मैसर्स ओवल इन्डस्ट्रीज, न्यूयार्क के साथ किये गये करार के सम्बन्ध में सरकारी उपक्रमों सम्बन्धी समिति का पांचवां प्रतिवेदन पेश करता हं।

12.101 Hrs.

STATEMENT (UNDER DIRECTION 115) BY MEMBER AND MINIS-TER'S REPLY THERETO

SHRI D. N. PATODIA (Jalore): Mr. Speaker Sir,

Under direction 115 of the Directions by the Speaker I wish to point out inaccuracies in the statement made by the hon. Minister for Information and Broadcasting while replying to a calling attention notice on the 4th December, 1967 relating to an agreement signed between 'Novosti' (or APN) and Press information Bureau.

The hon, Minister made a categorical statement saying: "We have made enquities. This Agency are not the sponsors.." This is not a correct statement as will be seen from the following:

- (a) A news item published in the 'Hindu' on 13th August, 1967 quotes one employee of the Radio Peace and Progress station interviewed by the Reuter representative saying that the station was founded in 1964 by a group of public organizations consisting of among others APN News Agency. Similar report was published in the 'Hindustan Times' on 1-12-1967.
- (b) Such reportings in the Indian press are also supported by the announcements made on Moscow Radio from time to time, and the English translation of two such announcements reads like this;
 - (i) This is a quotation from the broadcast over Moscow Radio in Swedish language to Sweden on 26th January, 1967 at 19.00 hrs. GMT. This radio station belongs to Soviet Social