

(a) whether Defence Fire Research Institute had organised an International Conference on Fire Safety in New Delhi from 19 to 23 November, 1990;

(b) if so, the details of the experts from all over the World who participated in the conference; and

(c) the outcome of discussions held at the conference?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI LALIT VIJOY SINGH): (a) No, Sir. International Conference on Fire Safety Management held at New Delhi during November 19-21, 1990 was organised by International Institute of Fire Safety Management, New Delhi.

(b) The conference was attended by 76 participants which included 64 participants from UK and USA.

(c) The conference made number of useful observations on various aspects of fire safety management. It emerged that there was urgent need to impart mass training at all levels of organisations so that fire protection becomes part of institutionised involvement. There was considerable scope for development of fire extinguishing chemicals, fire retardant & fire resistant materials, equipments for efficient and effective delivery of extinguishant and fire detection & alarm systems.

Production Target of H.A.L.

467. SHRI M.V. CHANDRASHEKARA MURHTY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Hindustan Aeronautics Limited, Bangalore, has failed to achieve the production target during the last one year; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI LALIT VIJOY SINGH): (a) and (b). The Value of Production at H.A.L. exceeded the target for the year 1989-90.

Study Material for C.A. Examinations

468. PROF. VIJAY KUMAR MALHOTRA:
SHRI GANGA CHARAN LODHI:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to the replies given on 17 April, 1990 to Unstarred Question No. 5027 and on 24 April, 1990 to Unstarred Question No. 6152 and state:

(a) the efforts made so far to prepare and publish the study material for Chartered Accountants examinations in Hindi medium and also to provide question papers for intermediate and final examinations in Hindi;

(b) the outcome thereof;

(c) whether the qualified and experienced persons are available in the Institute for this purpose; and

(d) if so, the reasons for not entrusting the translation work to them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRIKAMAL MORARKA): (a) and (b). The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India which conducts the Chartered Accountants Examinations has approached several organisations including private publishers to get the study material for its examinations translated into Hindi. However, because of the technical nature of the work, these efforts have not been fruitful as yet. As regards the question papers, the Institute presently provides