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to revision on receipt of final estimates from the States.

## [Translation]

### **Bodo Problem**

#### **\*50**. **SHRI CHITTA BASU:** SHRISONTOSH MOHAN DEV:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any talks were held recently between representatives of Bodos, Government of Assam and Government of India:
- (b) if so, the outcome of those discussions: and
- (c) the follow-up action being taken by Government of India to find an amicable solution of the problem?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MUFTI MOHAMMAD SAYEED): (a) Yes. Sir.

(b) and (c). The discussions are till continuing with a view to working out an amicable solution.

# **LTTE Activities**

#### \*51. SHRI N. DENNIS: SHRI RAJENDRA AG-NIHOTRI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government are keeping any watch over the activities of LTTE on Indian soil:
- (b) if so, the number of person killed by LTTE militants so far:

- (c) the number of LTTE Militants captured or killed: and
- (d) the reaction of Government in regard to violent activities of the LTTE militants and the action taken to curb them?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MUFTI MOHAMMAD SAYEED): (a) Yes. Sir.

- (b) and (c). As per information from the State Government, in recent incidents 17 persons have been killed by suspected LTTE militants, and the State Police has detained 27 LTTE activists.
- (d) The Government is firm that no violent activities by militants, including LTTE militants, will be permitted on Indian soil. The Tamil Nadu Government has stated that no militant activity by any Sri Lankan Tamil militant group would be allowed in the State. Various measures, including setting up of additional policy check-posts along the coastal belt manned by specially trained and equipped personnel of the Tamil Nadu Special Police force, have been taken to curb militant activity.

[Translation]

## Support Price for Fruits and Vegetables

#### SHRI K.D. SULTANPURI: \*52. SHRI MAHESHWAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government propose to fix support price for apples, potatoes and other varieties of vegetables and fruits;
  - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the amount allotted this year to the fruit growing hill States for this purpose?