## COMMITTEE ON ABSENCE OF MEMBERS FROM THE SITTINGS OF THE HOUSE.

## FIFTH REPORT

## (Third Lok Sabha)

I, the Chairman of the Committee on Absence of Members from the Sittings of the House, having been authorised by the Committee, present this their Fifth Report.
2. The Committee held its sitting on the 4th May, 1963.
3. The Committee considered applications for leave of absence from 16 members. The recommendations of the Committee with respect to these applications are given in the Appendix.
4. The Committee would once again like to draw the attention of the House to the case of Shri U. Muthuramalinga Thevar. Since his election to the House at the last general election, he has not taken his seat in the House and has been applying for leave of absence from the sittings of the House on grounds of illness.

So far he has been granted leave of absence from the sittings of the House for the following periods:
(1) 16-4-1962 to 13-6-1962 ( 59 days)
(2) 6-8-1962 to 7-9-1962 ( 39 days)
(3) 8-11-1962 to 11-12-1962 and 21-1-1963 to 25-1-1963 (39 days).

The Committee in their Fourth Report presented to the House on the 22nd March, 1963, drew specific attention of the House to his case.

He has not attended any of the sittings during the current session. He has also not applied for leave of absence so far. His continuous absence during this session upto the 4th May, 1963 comes to 76 days.
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| R. K. KHADILKAR, |
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| Chairman, |

$\frac{\text { May 4, } 1963 .}{\text { Vaisakha } 14,1885 \text { (Saka). }} \quad$ Committee on Absence of Members

## APPENDIX

(Vide para 3 of the Report)


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    **As the Member had completed 60 days of absence on the 2 rst March, 1963 and the application for leave of absence was received after that date, the Committee recommend that the period of his absence till the date of application may be condoned.

