अध्यक्ष महोदय : जब उन्होंने जवाब दे दिया तो फिर आप क्यों कर रहे हैं, मुझे समझ नहीं आता।

श्री हरीश कुमार गंगवार : पूरे हिन्दुस्तान में कहीं भी इसकी व्यवस्था नहीं है, आप मुझे, एक नाम भी बता दीजिए....

(व्यवधान)

अध्यक्ष महोदय : श्रीआ० पी० यादव ...

नेशनल बुक ट्रस्ट द्वारा प्रकाशित हिन्दी पुस्तकें

*366. **श्री राजेन्द्र प्रसाद यादव** : क्या शिक्षा और संस्कृति मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) नेशनल बुक ट्रस्ट द्वारा गत तीन वर्षों के दौरान कितनी मौलिक हिन्दी पुस्तकें प्रकाशित की गयीं और इन पुस्तकों के लेखन तथा प्रकाशन हेतु क्या प्रक्रिया अपनाई गई तथा एक ही नाम से अंग्रेजी में कितनी पुस्तकें प्रकाशित हुई ;

(ख) हिन्दी और अंग्रेजी में ऐसी कितनी पुस्तकें हैं जिन्हें दूसरी प्रकाशन संस्थाओं द्वारा पहले ही प्रकाशित किया जा चुका है ; और

(ग) एक ही नाम तथा एक ही लेखक की पूर्व प्रकाशित पुस्तकों के प्रकाशन के लिए ट्रस्ट द्वारा क्या प्रक्रिया अपनाई जाती है ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRIES OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE AND SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRI P.K. THUNGON) : (a) A statement is laid on the table of the House.

(b) During the last 3 years, National Book Trust has published 2 books in English and 1 in Hindi published by other publishing institutions.

(c) The books written by outstanding authors and published long time back, and which are in demand, are brought out.

Statement

Regarding Hindi Books Published by National Book Trust.

The number of original Hindi books published by National Book Trust during the period from 1.4.1981 to 31.3.1984 is 13. The number of books published in English on the same titles in the said period was 4. The procedure adopted is that books are published by National Book Trust in major Indian languages and English under various publication series. A committee of experts advises the Trust on specific books to be published and also suggests suitable authors. Depending upon the proficiency of the author in his language or English, books are got written. Manuscripts are also sometimes submitted to the Trust by individual authors on their own. These manuscripts, if found suitable, are taken up for publication. Manuscripts are duly reviewed by experts and are finalised on the basis of comments thus received.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Instant booking counter at New Delhi Station

*354. SHRI NARAYAN CHOUBEY : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any instant booking counter at New Delhi Station ;

(b) whether this counter starts functioning from 11 p.m. ;

(c) whether the Government are aware that notorious anti-social elements invade this counter from outside and threaten the genuine passengers ; and

(d) whether the Government propose to make enquiry in this regard and take necessary remedial steps ?