

प्रौद्योगिकियों का, जिनका विकास किया जा रहा है और जिसके लिए अभी तक केवल प्रायोगिक संयंत्र ही लगाए गए हैं, मूल्यांकन करने के लिए इन प्रायोगिक संयंत्रों में भारतीय कच्चे माल का परीक्षण करने के लिए व्यवस्था की गई है।

(ख) और (ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठते।

Explosions at Heavy Water Plant, Baroda

*246. SHRI N.K. SHEJWALKAR : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the reasons of the two explosions at the Heavy Water Plant, Baroda;

(b) estimates of the damage suffered in each; and

(c) findings of the enquiry Commissions about the explosions ?

THE PRIME MINISTER (SHRI-MATI INDIRA GANDHI) : (a) There was only one explosion in the Heavy Water Plant, Baroda which occurred in December, 1977 as a result of one of the injection blocks in the high pressure synthesis gas line giving way.

(b) The cost of repairs for the damages suffered was around Rs. 270 lakhs.

(c) The cause of the mishap was failure of material.

Pak Spies Infiltrated in Punjab as Nihangs

*251 SHRI M. RAMGOPAL
REDDY :
SHRI SATYENDRA NA-
RAIN SINHA :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it has come to the notice of Government that a number

of Pak spies have infiltrated in Punjab as Nihangs;

(b) if so, whether Government have investigated these reports;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the steps taken by Government to meet the situation ?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P.C. SETHI) : (a) Government do not have any such information.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

Construction of Wall on Indo-Bangla- desh Border

*252 SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN
DEV :
SHRI JAIPAL SINGH
KASHYAP :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Central Government had agreed to make available funds to Assam for construction of a boundary wall to prevent illegal entry from Bangladesh; and

(b) if so, the details of the plan, the amount of funds and schedule for commencement and completion of plan for construction of the wall ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI NIHAR RANJAN LASKAR) : (a) and (b) The Government of India had appointed an expert-Group for studying in depth the problem of infiltration from Bangladesh. This Group has recently submitted its report and their recommendations cover a number of measures to be taken for checking infiltration. The report is under consideration of Government.