Commons that there was no breach of privilege; it may be a breach of courtesy. When the House is in session all matters of policy ought to be announced first to the House. That is the rule that has been adopted for several years in this House also.

So far as this matter is concerned. the hon. Minister has explained that it is only an expansion of the NCC for which he need not come before the House for any particular sanction from time to time. So far as the announcement of the new policy is concerned, the hon. Minister says that there will be a Resolution and he will discuss it here. Even if he had made a statement, that is not a breach of privilege and no consent should be given to raise it as a matter of privilege. But all the same. I am sure the hon. Ministers will observe this decorum and courtesy to this House. So far as this matter is concerned. I am satisfied that the hon. Minister has not said anything outside the House which, even as a matter of courtesy, he ought to have placed before the House before saying it outside . . .

Shri Hem Barua (Gauhati): May I ask for a clarification?

Mr. Speaker: Order, order. After hearing about a particular matter and disposing of it. I will not allow hon. Member to get up.

12.06 hrs.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE AMENDMENTS TO DELHI SALES TAX RULES

The Minister of Finance (Shri Morarii Desai): I beg to lay on the Table, under sub-section (4) of Section 28 of the Bengal Finance (Sales Tax) Act, 1941, as in force in the Union Territory of Delhi, a copy of Notification No. F.4(54)/59-Fin. (E) dated the 26th November, 1959 published in Delhi Gazette making certain further amendments to the Delhi Sales Tax Rules, 1951. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-1797/59.1

REPORT OF INDIAN DELEGATION TO 15TH SESSION OF GATT

The Minister of Parliamentary Affairs (Shri Satva Narayan Sinha): On behalf of Shri Kanungo I beg to lay on the Table a copy of the Report of the Indian Delegation to the 15th Session of the Contracting Parties to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade held in Tokyo during October 26-November 21, 1959. [Placed in Library, See No. LT-1798/

REPORT OF UNION PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Datar): I beg to lay on the Table, under Article 323(1) of the Constitution, a copy of the Ninth Report of the Union Public Service Commission for the period 1st April, 1958 to 31st March. 1959. [Placed in Library, See No. LT-1799/59.1

NOTIFICATION TO BE ISSUED UNDER MADRAS MOTOR VEHICLES TAXATION AcT

Shri Datar: I beg to lay on the Table, under sub-section (3) of Section 17 of the Madras Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1931 read with clause (b) of the proclamation dated 31st July, 1959 issued by the President in relation to the State of Kerala, a copy of Notification No. TB4~36008/58/PW containing draft amendment to Schedule II of the said Act. [Placed in Library, See No. LT-1800/59.]

NOTIFICATION ISSUED UNDER MADRAS MOTOR VEHICLES TAXATION ACT

Shri Datar: I beg to lay on the Table, under Sub-section (2) of Section 11 of the Madras Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1931 read with clause (b) of the proclamation dated the 31st July, 1959 issued by the President in relation to the State of Kerala, a

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copy of Notification No. 17551/59/ PW/TI dated the 10th September, 1959 published in Kerala Gazette. [Placed in Library, See No. LT-1817/ 59.1

AMENDMENTS TO KERALA WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (ENFORCEMENT) RULES

Shri Datar: I beg to lay on the Table, under sub-section (5) of Section 43 of the Kerala Weights and Measures (Enforcement) Act, 1958 read with clause (b) of the proclamat'on dated the 31st July, 1959 issued by the President in relation to the State of Kerala, a copy of each of the following Notifications, published in Kerala Gazette making certain amendments to the Kerala Weights and Measures (Enforcement) Rules, 1958:

- (i) No. 19603/EI/59/Rev. dated the 7th July, 1959.
- (ii) No. 14587/EI/59/Rev. dated the 12th June, 1959.
- (iii) No. 22537/EI/59/Rev. the 11th August, 1959. [Placed in Library, See No. LT1801/ 59.1

AMENDMENTS TO CUSTOMS AND CEN-TRAL EXCISE DUTIES EXPORT DRAW-BACK (GENERAL) RULES

The Minister of Revenue and Civil Expenditure (Dr. B. Gopala Reddi): On behalf of Shrimati Tarkeshwari Sinha I beg to lay on the Table, under sub section (4) of Section 43B of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 and Section 38 of the Central Excises and Salt Act, 1944 a copy of each of the following Notifications making certain further amendments to the Customs and Central Excise Duties Export Drawback (General) Rules, 1959:-

- (i) G.S.R. No 1325 dated the 5th December, 1959.
- (ii) G.S.R. No. 1326 dated the 5th December, 1959.
- (iii) G.S.R. No. 1327 dated the 5th December, 1959.

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- (iv) G.S.R. No. 1329 dated the 5th December, 1959.
- (v) G.S.R. No. 1330 dated the 5th December, 1959.
- (vi) G.S.R. No. 1332 dated the 5th December, 1959.
- (vii) G.S.R. No. 1333 dated the 5th December, 1959. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-1802/ 59.1

NOTIFICATIONS ISSUED UNDER SEA CUSTOMS ACT

pr. B. Gopala Reddi: On behalf of Shrimati Tarkeshwari Sinha I beg to lay on the Table, under Sub-section (4) of Section 43B of the Sea Customs Act, 1878, a copy of each of the following Notifications: -

- (i) G.S.R. No. 1334 dated the 5th December, 1959.
- (ii) G.S.R. No. 1335 dated the 5th December, 1959.
- (iii) G.S.R. No. 1336 dated the 5th December, 1959.
- (iv) G.S.R. No. 1338 dated the 5th December, 1959. [Placed in Library, See No. LT-1803/ 59.1

12,091 hrs.

MESSAGE FROM RAJYA SABHA

secretary: Sir, I have to report the following message received from the Secretary of Rajya Sabha:

'In accordance with the provisions of rule 125 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Rajya Sabha, I am directed to inform the Lok Sabha that the Rajya Sabha, at its sitting held on the 14th December, 1959, agreed without any amendment to the Kerala State Legislature (Delegation of Powers) Bill, 1959, which was passed by the Lok Sabha at its