

सैनिक निकायों से कोई भी समझौता करना इन्हीं निर्वाचित प्रतिनिधियों का काम है। यह समझौता स्वतन्त्रता के आधार पर हो सकता है और अधिक स्वायत्तता के आधार पर भी—जो भी निर्वाचित प्रतिनिधियों को, जो पहले ही निर्वाचित किए जा चुके हैं उनको, स्वीकार्य हो, और यही एक मात्र उपाय है जिससे निगड़ती हुई स्थिति को रोका जा सकता है और बंगला देश में ऐसी परिस्थितिया पैदा की जा सकती हैं जिनमें वहाँ के शरणार्थियों को वापसी सुगम हो सके।”

ऊपर के उद्धरण से स्पष्ट हो जायेगा कि यह प्रश्न किसी गलाफतमी पर आधारित है जो हमारे कुछ अखबारों में मेरे भाषण के अधूरे और गलत ढंग में प्रकाशित अंशों के कारण पैदा हुई है।

Kashmir shown as Pakistan's Territory on World Hockey Cup

*112 SHRI DEVINDR SINGH GARCHA :

SHRI N. SHIVAPPA :
SHRI BIRENDER SINGH
RAO :

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Pakistan has engraved on the "World Hockey Cup" a map showing Kashmir as Pakistan's territory ; and

(b) if so, whether any protest has been lodged with Pakistan Government ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI SURENDRA PAL SINGH) :

(a) Government has seen press reports to this effect.

(b) No, Sir

Purchase of Arms by Pakistan from East European Countries

*113. SHRI P. K. DEO : Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state ;

(a) whether a Pakistani freighter

"Mainamati" carried arms from some East European countries ;

(b) the names of the countries from which these arms were purchased ; and

(c) the reaction of Government of India in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI SWARAN SINGH) :
(a) and (b). The Pakistani freighter "Mainamati" arrived in Karachi in August/September, 1971, after calling at ports in Turkey and Yugoslavia. According to press reports, it had carried some arms and ammunition. However, there is no evidence of such arms having been procured from any East European countries.

(c) Government have been assured by governments of East European countries that they are not supplying any arms and ammunition to Pakistan.

Minister of External Affairs' Visit to U. S. A.

*114 SHRI C. JANARDHANAN : Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether he recently visited U. S. A. ;

(b) if so, whether he discussed with U. S. Government the question of continuing U. S. arms aid and financial assistance to Pakistan ; and

(c) the results of the talks ?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI SWARAN SINGH) :
(a) I visited U. S. A. in June last.

(b) Yes, Sir. I did so during my visit to U. S. A. in June last. My visit to New York in September/October last was for attending the U. N. General Assembly.

(c) I made a statement in the House on 25th June, 1971 on my visit to various countries including the U. S. A. There was also an exhaustive discussion on the subject in the Lok Sabha on 28th June.

Delegations sent Abroad by Government

*115. SHRI DHARAMRAO AFZAL-PURKAR :
SHRI SHYAMNANDAN MISHRA ;