

(a) whether an enquiry into the violence and other connected matters pertaining to the Meham bye-election by a sitting judge of the Supreme Court has been ordered;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons for not appointing the said enquiry so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAY): (a) to (c). The State Government of Haryana have been requested to accord their specific consent under section 6 of the Delhi Special Police Establishment Act empowering CBI to investigate the Meham incidents. The State Government have so far not given the required consent. However, the Union Government have appointed a Commission of Inquiry to look into the Meham incidents, headed by Shri Justice D.P. Madon, retired Judge of the Supreme Court. The Commission has sought the services of CBI to assist the Commission under Section 5A of the Commission of

Inquiry Act and necessary concurrence of the Government of India has been accorded to the Commission in the matter.

Expenditure on Security and Tours of Prime Minister

1207. SHRI RESHAM LAL JANGDE: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the expenditure incurred on the security and tours (such as Air and other items) of the Prime Minister from 1988 to November, 1989 and from December, 1989 to July, 1990, respectively; and

(b) whether there is any proposal to curtail the above expenditure?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAY): (a) The over-all amount of Budgetary expenditure incurred on the salary, wages, travel expenditure and transport of the SPG, which provides security to Prime Minister, is as below:-

1988-89	Rs. 4,71,36,815-00
April 89 to November, 1989	Rs. 4,63,78,669-00
December, 89 to July, 1990	Rs. 4,61,28,613-00

(b) Continuous efforts are made to reduce unnecessary and wasteful expenditure.

Tree Plantation Under Jawahar Rozgar Yojana

1208. SHRI MITRA SEN YADAV: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether any evaluation has been

made at National/State level regarding the progress of the programme for tree-plantation under Jawahar Rozgar Yojana; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI UPENDRA NATH VERMA): (a) No evaluation study regarding the progress of the programme of tree plantation

under Jawahar Rozgar Yojana (JRY) has been made as the programme was launched only during the year 1989-90.

(b) Question does not arise.

[English]

Pakistani Infiltrators in J&K and Punjab

1209. SHRI C.K. KUPPUSWAMY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the special gangs working under the directions of the field intelligence Unit, a wing of the Pakistan Military intelligence network in the border areas of Jammu and Kashmir and Punjab;

(b) if so, the steps being taken by Government to bust these gangs; and

(c) the details of information obtained about their activities?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAY): (a) to (c). Sustained interrogation of the arrested militants has revealed that large number of youths are being trained in Pakistan and POK with the intention of being infiltrated into the Valley. A number of security measures have been taken in J&K which include large induction of Central Police Forces; better coordination between State Police, Central Police Organisations and the Army; intensive raids and combing operation on selective basis and strengthening of vigil on the border.

Infiltration into J&K by Pakistanis

1210. SHRIMATI BASAVA RAJESWARI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether security forces foiled an attempt by Pakistani trained subversives to cross over the side of the border in the Poonch sector on 10th June, 1990;

(b) if so, the number of times Pakistanis tried to enter the Indian territory in Jammu & Kashmir; and

(c) the steps being taken by Government to prevent such happenings and attempts on the parts of Pakistanis?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAY): (a) to (c). On a number of occasions in the recent past a number of militants/ subversives trying to cross the border have been apprehended or killed in various sectors. There is no report of foiling such an attempt on 10th June in Poonch Sector; however, in Kupwara Sector two militants were apprehended and two killed in an interruption on that day.

Prime Minister's Visit Abroad

1211. SHRI G.S. BASAVARAJ: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the countries visited by the Prime Minister in the month of July, 1990; and

(b) the countries likely to be visited by the Prime Minister in near future?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI I. K. GUJRAL): (a) USSR

(b) The Prime Minister is likely to visit Male for SAARC Summit in Nov., 1990. He is also likely to visit Nepal soon. Dates of visit have not yet been decided.