

have now been transferred to the private sector for manufacture;

(b) whether his attention has been drawn to the decision of the Director-General, Ordnance Factories Industrial Council meeting held on the 22nd to 24th January, 1968 at Ordnance Factory, Tiruchirapalli on the discontinuation of placing order outside the ordnance factories; and

(c) if so, the steps contemplated by Government in the matter ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY DEFENCE (SHRI L. N. MISHRA) : (a) This applies only to a few of the general stores and clothing items. In the wake of the emergency in 1962 additional capacity had to be created in the Ordnance Factories to meet the increased requirements of the Services. As these items are now available at cheaper rates in the civil sector, orders are being placed through D.G.S. & D., sometimes to meet part and sometimes to meet the full requirements of the Services after taking into account cost considerations, available capacity in Ordnance Factories, delivery schedules, etc.

(b) The Agenda and the proceedings of the Industrial Council Meeting centred on the diversion of orders to civil trade of components/accessories of arms and ammunition items. Government are aware of the recommendations of the Industrial Council meeting.

(c) In the case of items connected with the production of arms and ammunition where it is necessary and possible to augment the D.G.O.F.'s capacity to meet the Services requirements, orders have been placed in the civil sector for manufacture of certain components/accessories. In the case of ordinary general stores and clothing items Ordnance Factories are not likely to be called upon in future to set up additional capacities.

INDIAN ECONOMY

*731. SHRI SHIVA CHANDRA JHA : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Planning Commission has given up the ideal of reaching the "take-off" stage by the Indian economy;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) if not, when the Indian economy will reach the 'take-off' stage at the rate the Indian economy is passing through at present ?

THE PRIME MINISTER, MINISTER OF ATOMIC ENERGY, MINISTER OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI INDIRA GANDHI) : (a) There is no question of giving up our aim. The whole structure of our Plans is based on the objective of attaining self-sustaining growth.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The assessment made at the time of the preparation of the Draft Outline of the Fourth Five-Year Plan which was presented to Parliament in August, 1966, visualised the economy attaining self-reliance by the beginning of the Sixth Plan period. A fresh view is now being taken in the light of the factors which have been in evidence since.

PRESS SET UP BY MIZO HOSTILES IN EAST PAKISTAN

*732. SHRI D. C. SHARMA :
SHRI BENI SHANKER SHARMA :
SHRI HIMATSINGKA :

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Mizo hostiles have decided to open a Press at Rangamati in East Pakistan to print their propaganda material according to a document seized by the Army from some hostiles;

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto;

(c) whether the matter has been taken up with the Pakistan Government; and

(d) if so, the result thereof ?

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

(a) to (d). From time to time Government of India have received information that Pakistan is giving active assistance to the Mizo hostiles in a variety of ways. Notes have been sent to the Government of Pakistan protesting against this and demanding the discontinuance of such assistance to the Mizo hostiles. The Government of India have also received reports about the setting up of the printing press as mentioned in the question. The report is being studied carefully. Appropriate action will be taken as has been done in the past.

**DIVERSIFICATION OF INDUSTRIES IN
VARIOUS REGIONS**

*733. **SHRI HEM RAJ :
SHRI YASHPAL SINGH :**

Will the **PRIME MINISTER** be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Planning Commission has framed any scheme for the equal distribution of Industries in various States, Union Territories and regions;

(b) if so, its broad outlines; and

(c) if not, whether it proposes to do so to avoid congestion of industries in certain States, Union Territories or regions ?

THE PRIME MINISTER, MINISTER OF ATOMIC ENERGY, MINISTER OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI INDIRA GANDHI) : (a) and (b). A specific scheme to distribute industries equally among all parts of the country is not feasible because of techno-economic factors. However, in the location of industrial projects the special needs of comparatively back-ward regions are kept in view, as far as possible.

(c) Certain measures have already been taken to foster the regional dispersal of industries and to reduce the pressure on metropolitan towns; further steps

will be considered in the preparation of the Fourth Plan.

**भारतीय वायु क्षेत्र, भूमि क्षेत्र और जल-
प्रांगण का अतिक्रमण**

*734. **श्री हुकम चन्द कच्छवाय :** क्या रक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) फरवरी, 1968 से आज तक की अवधि में चीन और पाकिस्तान ने भारतीय तटवर्ती और स्थल राज्य क्षेत्र तथा वायु क्षेत्र का कितनी बार अतिक्रमण किया और ऐसे अतिक्रमण किन-किन स्थानों में किये गये; और

(ख) इन अतिक्रमणों के विरुद्ध सरकार ने क्या कार्यवाही की है ?

प्रतिरक्षा मंत्री (श्री स्वर्ण सिंह) : (क) पाकिस्तान ने जम्मू काश्मीर में भारतीय भूसत्ता के ऊपर अन्तरिक्ष क्षेत्र का अतिक्रमण किया और युद्ध-विराम रेखा का एक उल्लंघन भी। इसके अतिरिक्त 32 पाकिस्तानी जलपोत भी कच्छ के तट के परे हमारे जलक्षेत्र में पाए गए थे।

(ख) पाकिस्तानी अधिकरणों को अन्तरिक्ष क्षेत्र के उल्लंघन के संबंध में भेजे गए विरोध-पत्र के अतिरिक्त युद्ध-विराम का उल्लंघन करने संबंधी एक शिकायत संयुक्त राष्ट्रों के अधिकरणों को कर दी गई है। अपने तटीय जलक्षेत्र में पाए गए पाकिस्तानी जलपोतों को पकड़ लिया गया था, और उसके संबंध में भी एक विरोध-पत्र पाकिस्तानी अधिकरणों को भेजा गया था।

**KABIR COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL
SAMPLE SURVEY**

*735. **SHRI BENI SHANKER SHARMA :** Will the **PRIME MINISTER** be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Humayun Kabir Committee appointed by the Centre has recommended that entire National Sample Survey work should be brought