

prestigious institutions, Indian Council of Historical Research and N M M & L; and

(d) what are the other details in this regard?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SEUA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) and (d) The Chairman of the Indian Council of Historical Research holds constitutional office in a fully honorary capacity. The working responsibility of the ICHR falls upon its Chief Executive Officer who has the designation of Member—Secretary. All Chairmen of the Indian Council of Historical Research (with one exception) have been full time paid employees of scholarly bodies who have been appointed to the honorary position of Chairman in view of their scholarly distinction.

**Extension of a Superannuated Director Nehru Memorial Museum and Library**

4321. SHRIMATIMIRA DAS:  
SHRI ANANTRAY  
DEVSHANKER

DAVE: SHRI SARADA MOHANTY:  
SHRI G. G. SWELL:  
SHRISHANKARDAYAL SINGH:  
SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA:  
Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that recently the Director of Nehru Memorial Museum and Library has been granted extension of five years at a stretch against all rules and conventions even after his superannuation;

(b) who is the head of the Governing Body of the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library and when he was appointed;

(c) who are the members of the Governing Body of the institution and whether all of them are party to the decision of extension by five years; and

(d) if so, what are the extra ordinary reasons for decision of extension for five years?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SEUA): (a) Director, Nehru Memorial Museum and Library has been granted extension in service for a period of five years w.e.f. 1.12.92 till 30.11.97 with the approval of the competent authority.

(b) Shri Narayan Dutt Tiwari is the Chairman of the Executive Council of the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library which was constituted in September, 1987.

(c) Following are the members of the Executive Council of the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library Society:

- (i) Shri Narayan Dutt Tiwari  
Chairman
- (ii) Shri B.K. Nehru Vice-Chairman
- (iii) Prof. Nurul Hasan Member  
(Since expired)
- (iv) Shri G. Parthasarathi Member
- (v) Shri Abid Hussain Member
- (vi) Secretary, Department of Culture  
Ex officio Member
- (vii) Financial Adviser, Department  
of Culture Ex-officio Member
- (viii) Director, Nehru Museum Ex-officio Member

Decision of extension by five years in case of Director, Nehru Memorial Museum and Library was unanimously resolved in the Meeting of the executive Council of the Museum held in November, 1991.

(d) Decision of extension for five years to the Director, Nehru Memorial Museum and Library was taken with the approval of the competent authority in Government in the interest of the Organisation.

**Scholarship to students of Sainik School**

4322. SHRI SARADA MOHANTY:  
Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether his Ministry vide their circular dated the 6th January, 1988 addressed to Education Secretaries of all the Union