

- 24 Shri A. Roy  
 25 Shri R.K. Mattoo  
 26 Shri P.R. Ranachandran  
 27 Shri A. Kazkur  
 28 Shri Murali Krishnan  
 29 Shri M.K. Satye  
 30 Shri Trilok Deep  
 31 Shri P.P. Balachandran  
 32 Shri A.H. Qureshi  
 33 Shri Kailash Parihar  
 34 Shri M. Mohan Joshi  
 35 Shri Manoj Joshi  
 36 Smt Jyotsna Sharma  
 37 Shri Sudhanshu Roy  
 38 Smt Sushma Ramachandran  
 39 Shri Bishen Kumar  
 40 Shri Alok Tomar  
 41 Shri Pankaj Sharma  
 42 Shri Sharad Dwivedi  
 43 Shri A.R. Durrani  
 44 Shri Satvir Tyagi  
 45 Shri R.N. Chaturvedi  
 46 Shri N.P. Verma  
 47 Ms. Shikha Parihar  
 48 Shri Inderjit Bahl  
 49 Shri H.A.V. Valappil  
 50 Shri C.I. Gopinath  
 51 Shri V. Rajagopalan  
 52 Shri K.A. Antony  
 53 Shri N. Mohammad  
 54 Shri K. Cheriyyammakanakath

## (D) Other Guests

- 55 Shri Ravindra Gupta  
 56 Shri R. Mehta  
 57 Shri V. Khanna  
 58 Shri N.A. Unnieerkutty  
 59 Shri P.V. Gangadharan

(c) The expenditure incurred on providing hospitality to the inaugural guests was about Rs. 15,000/- in Indian Currency and equivalent to about Rs. 3.15 lakhs in foreign currency.

### Withdrawal of Restricted Area Permit in North Eastern States

1797. DR. SANJAYA SINH:  
 SHRI DAVID LEDGER:

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Tourism Ministers of eastern and north-eastern States who met in Calcutta recently and urged the "Centre" to waive the restrictions on foreign tourists in the north-east; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Central Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Opening up of restricted areas to foreign tourists is constantly being reviewed in consultation with the Ministry of Home Affairs.

### Case of Corruption against Chairman, National Airport Authority of India

1798. SHRI SOM PAL:  
 SHRI KAPIL VERMA:  
 SHRIMATI SATYA BAHIN:  
 SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA:

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that C.B.I. have registered a case of corruption against the Chairman of National Airport Authority of India in connection with purchase of crash fire tenders-

(b) if so, what are the details thereof, and

(c) what departmental action is being contemplated against the Chairman?