

RAJYA SABHA

*Tuesday, the 6th August, 1991/
15th Shravana, 1913 (Saka)*

**The House met at eleven of the clock,
The deputy Chairman in the Chair**

HOMAGE TO ATOM BOMB VICTIMS OF HIROSHIMA

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN :
Hon. Members, I have to refer to the holocaust that shook mankind the world over forty-six years ago when the first ever atomic bomb was dropped on Hiroshima on August 6, 1945. It sent shock waves throughout the world. Hundreds of thousands of innocent persons fell victim to this mad outrage against humanity. It was man's cruelty perpetrated by man against man. The untold sufferings caused to mankind are affecting the lives of succeeding generations even today. It is heartening that since those days, world opinion has moved to wards the need to eliminate nuclear war-heads and all weapons of mass destruction. I pray, these tragic incidents will never be repeated.

I would request Members to rise in their places and observe silence as a mark of respect to the memory of the victims of the Hiroshima tragedy.

*(Hon'ble Members then stood in
silence for a minute)*

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

**I. Report and Accounts (1989-90)
of the Indian Institute of Advanced
Study, Shimla and related papers**

**II. Report and Accounts (1989-90)
of the Board of Apprenticeship
Training, Madras and related
papers**

**III. Accounts (1989-90) of Visves-
varaya Regional College of
Engineering, Nagpur and related
papers**

**IV. Report and Accounts (1989-90)
of the Central Tibetan Schools
Administration, New Delhi and
related papers**

**V. Report and Accounts (1989-90)
of the Indian Council of Historical
Research, New Delhi and related
papers**

**VI. Accounts (1988-89) of the
Pondicherry University and
related papers**

**THE MINISTER OF HUMAN
RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI ARJUN SINGH) :** Madam,
I lay on the Table a copy each (in
English and Hindi) of the following
papers :—

(i) (a) Annual Report and Accounts
of the Indian Institute of
Advanced Study, Shimla, for the
year 1989-90, together with the
Audit Report on the Accounts.
[Placed in Library, See No.
LT-257/91 for (a) and (b)]

(b) Review by Government on
the working of the Institute.

(ii) (a) Annual Report and Accounts
of the Board of Apprenticeship
Training Madras, for the year
1989-90, together with the
Audit Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on
the working of the Board.

(c) Statement giving reasons for
the delay in laying the papers
mentioned at (a) above.
[Placed in Library. See No.
LT-255/91 for (a) to (c)]

(iii) (a) Annual Accounts of the
Visvesvaraya College of
Engineering, Nagpur, for the
year 1989-90, and the Audit
Report thereon.