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(12) S.O. No. 531(E), dated the 16th August, 1991 allowing the import of Cars, Station Wagons, Jeeps, Scooters etc. under OGL, subject to certain conditions.

(13) S.O. No. 559(E), dated the 29th August, 1991 removing the conditions governing the issue of OGL.

(14) S.O. No. 560(E), dated the 29th August, 1991 allowing Non-resident Indians to import Aircraft spares under OGL out of their own foreign exchange resources abroad for maintenance purposes.

[Placed in Library See No. LT-636/91 for (1) to (14)]

III. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Commerce under sub-section (3) of section 16A of the Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Act, 1963:—

(1) S.O. No. 481(E), dated the 25th July, 1991, exempting from purview of sub-section (d) of section 6 of Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Act, 1963 for export of Agriculture and Food Products, Fruit Products, Fish and Fishery Products, Chemical & Allied Products, Engineering Products, Jute Products, Coir Products including Coir Yarn (Baled) and Coir Yarn (Non Baled), Hand Knotted Wollen Carpets, Footwear and Footwear Components and Human Hair (Double Drawn).

(2) S.O. No. 482(E), dated the 25th July, 1991 exempting from purview of sub-section (d) of section 6 of Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Act, 1963 for export of Agriculture and Food Products, Fruit Products, Fish & Fishery Products, Chemicals & Allied Products, Jute Products, Coir Products including Coir Yarn (Baled) and Coir Yarn (Non-Baled), Hand Knotted Wollen Carpets and Human Hair Double Drawn by the Star Trad-

ing Houses, Trading Houses and Export Houses.

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MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON OFFICES OF PROFIT

THE MINISTER OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI K. VIJAYA BHASKARAREDDY): I move the following Motion:—

"That this House concurs in the recommendation of the Lok Sabha that a Joint Committee of the Houses to be called the Joint Committee of Offices of Profit be constituted for the purposes set out in the Motion adopted by the Lok Sabha at its sitting held on the 26th July, 1991, and resolves that this House do join in the said Joint Committee and proceed to elect, in accordance with the system of proportional representation by means of the single transferable vote, five members from among the members of the House to serve on the said Joint Committee."

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Special Mentions. (*Interruptions*).

SHRI YASHWANT SINHA (Bihar) Madam, I have been given permission to raise the matter. (*Interruptions*).

The Chairman has given me permission to raise a matter during this period. (*Interruptions*).

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: The Chairman has permitted him to make a Special Mention. (*Interruptions*). Please sit down. (*Interruptions*).

SHRI YASHWANT SINHA: I have been given permission. You are aware of it, Madam. (*Interruptions*).

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: What is it about? (*Interruptions*).

SHRI S. VIDUTHALAI VIRUMI (Tamil Nadu): Madam, the henchmen of the State Government assualted the DMK legislator in the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly. *(Interruption)*.

SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY (Uttar Pradesh): Madam, I am on a point of order. *(Interruptions)*. I want to know, is there any difference between a dhoti and a saree? Because if it is bad to remove a saree, it is equally bad to remove a dhoti *(Interruptions)*. This is precisely what happened in Tamil Nadu Assembly. Somebody's dhoti was being removed. *(Interruptions)*. So this Parliament should express disapproval of the removal of dhoti as much as the removal of a saree. *(Interruptions)*.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: We talk about our House. We don't take cognisance of what happened in the State Assembly. *(Interruptions)*.

SHRI P. UPENDRA (Andhra Pradesh): Madam, it is a very serious matter. Why are you laughing?

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I am laughing at... *(Interruptions)*... Go back to your seat and I will permit you. ... *(Interruptions)*... When you go back, I will permit you, but only one person, not everybody...

(Interruptions)

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY (Pondicherry): Madam, I should also be permitted.

SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY: Madam, I am on a point of order. Is there any difference between a dhoti and a saree?

(Interruptions)

SHRI S. VIDUTHALAI VIRUMBI:*

SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKATARAMAN (Tamil Nadu):*

SHRI K. K. VEERAPPAN (Tamil Nadu):*

SHRI T. A. MOHAMMED SAQHY (Tamil Nadu):*

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Order, order. ... *(Interruptions)*... Please go back. ... *(Interruptions)*... Order, order.

SHRI DAVID LEDGER (Assam):*

SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY (Assam):*

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I have not permitted you, Mrs. Chakravarty. Please sit down. I have not permitted you. Please sit down. It will not go on record. ... *(Interruptions)*...

SHRI DAVID LEDGER:*

SHRI S. VIDUTHALAI VIRUMBI:*

DR. NAGEN SAIKIA (Assam):*

SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKATARAMAN:*

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I say, we cannot discuss anything which has happened in the Assembly. It is not going on record. Mrs. Chakravarty, I have not permitted you. Please don't make noise. ... *(Interruptions)*...

SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY:*

SHRI S. VIDUTHALAI VIRUMBI:*

SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKATARAMAN:*

SHRI DAVID LEDGER:*

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: It is not going on record. There is no point in speaking. ... *(Interruptions)*... It is not going on record. So there is no point in speaking.

SHRI P. UPENDRA: Madam, you said, you would allow them.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I will allow them on Tamil Nadu, not on Assam...

(Interruptions)

*Not recorded.

SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRA-
VARTY:*

(Interruptions)

SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY:
Madam, there is one important point. When China is normally regarded as a friendly country, the Chief Minister of the State had said that China was involved in the internal affairs of India. It is a very serious matter. It is something about which the Parliament must know the truth.

Let the Government make a statement. So far we have never made allegations against China's involvement. ... (Interruption)... But Pakistan is doing that. The new element involved is China. So far we have been saying....

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Subramanian Swamy, please take your seat now.

(Interruptions)

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY:*

SHRI BHUBANESWAR KALITA
(Assam):*

SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRA-
VARTY:*

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mrs. Chakravarty, please take your seat. What happened in Tamil Nadu? ... (Interruptions)... Mrs. Bijoya Chakravarty, will you take your seat?

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY:*

SHRI BHUBANESWAR KALITA:*

SHRI DAVID LEDGER:*

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY:*

SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRA-
VARTY:*

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mrs. Chakravarty, will you please sit down? Please sit down. It is not going on record. ... (Interruptions)... Take your seats. Please sit down.

SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKAT-
RAMAN: I want to represent this,

Madam. Yesterday in the Tamil Nadu Assembly a DMK Member was evicted from the House... (Interruptions)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Just a minute, please. (Interruptions)...

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: If he is allowed I may also be allowed.. (Interruptions)...

AN HON. MEMBER: Madam, this is not a State Legislative Assembly. (Interruptions)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: That is what I wanted to say. Will you please sit down? (Interruptions)...

SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKAT-
RAMAN: Madam, we have got a grievance. (Interruptions)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Just a minute, please. (Interruptions)... Will you sit down for a minute? (Interruptions)... Just one minute, please. (Interruptions)... You see, what happens in the other House or what happens in a State Assembly we do not discuss over here, however horrible the thing might have been. We don't discuss it here. When there were other matters of Tamil Nadu Assembly, I did not permit them to be discussed in this House. In the same way I do not permit this. (Interruptions)... I am not allowing. (Interruptions)... I don't allow. (Interruptions)... Just a minute, please. Will you please sit down? (Interruptions)... Will you sit down? (Interruptions)...

SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY:
Madam, when a sari was pulled you allowed it; but when a dhoti was pulled you are not allowing it. What is the difference between the two? (Interruptions)...

SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOW-
DHURY (Andhra Pradesh): Humilia-
tion and stripping of women has been brought on the floor of the House repeatedly. I am truly sympathetic to

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women and I am equally sympathetic to men. (*Interruptions*).... It is a thing of common concern. This is a matter of morality. Whatever the limits of democracy are, if we come to the hallowed House and be stripped it is so humiliating for the House, Madam. Can you imagine if Members are paraded around... (*Interruptions*)....

SHRI A. G. KULKARNI (Maharashtra): Madam, it is disgusting that we discuss such filthy matters in this House. You can make jokes. (*Interruptions*)... Why don't you stop it? (*Interruptions*)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I am going to stop it. (*Interruptions*)...

SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY: What is this, Madam? (*Interruptions*)....

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: What has happened inside the Assembly of West Bengal? (*Interruptions*)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I am not allowing it. Mr. Kulkarni, will you please sit down? (*Interruptions*)... I am not allowing it. Will you please sit down, Mr. Kulkarni? (*Interruptions*)... Please take your seat. Shri Yashwant Sinha. (*Interruptions*)... I am not permitting. (*Interruptions*)...

SHRI P. UPENDRA: Madam, you have permitted him. (*Interruptions*)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I have not permitted. I said, "You go back". I don't know what he was raising. When he raised it I find I can't permit it.

SHRI P. UPENDRA: Madam, you said, "You go back. I will allow you." (*Interruptions*)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Yes. I said, "You go back. I will allow you." But when I came to know what he is raising I said, "No, I won't permit". (*Interruptions*)... Before

I hear you how can I say that I won't allow you?

SHRI S. VIDUTHLAI VIRUMBI: Madam, you told that you will allow. (*Interruptions*)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: How do I know what you are raising? (*Interruptions*)... Just a minute. (*Interruptions*)... Please, just a minute. (*Interruptions*)... Will you listen to me? I don't know what you are raising. When you raised the issue then only I can stop you. I will never allow you to raise anything that happened in the State Assembly. (*Interruptions*)...

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Where were these people when Jayalalitha's sari was pulled? What were they doing? (*Interruptions*)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Why didn't you ask for a special mention? I got information in the morning at 8 o'clock. It came in the newspapers also. (*Interruptions*)

SHRI DIPEN GHOSH (West Bengal): People from Punjab have come to Delhi and are sitting in dharna...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I have allowed him; he has got a special mention on it, but not now. I cannot allow everybody at the same time. (*Interruptions*) I want to explain to you again, I am trying to tell you the rule which is that anything happening in the other House or in the State Assemblies is not raised over here, however horrible it is. I repeat it, you might condemn what happened over there but please don't describe anything. Say what happened is bad and it should not happen anywhere. That is all I can permit you, not to describe what all happened. (*Interruption*) Anything happening like that is wrong.

SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKATRAMAN: I want to put it this way, Madam. The constitutional machinery is not working properly there... (*Interruptions*)

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: No description. Just say anything of this kind should be condemned.

श्री सिकन्दर बल्ल : (मध्य प्रदेश) जों नारायणस्वामी जी ने कहा है कि उस आदमी ने कांग्रेस को तोहीन की यों तभी ऐसा उसके साथ हुआ। अगर ऐसा यहाँ हुआ तो हम लोगों को अपनी धीती सभाल कर रखनी होंगी।

SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKAT-RAMAN: There is a constitutional breakdown. The constitutional machinery is not working properly there. Opposition Members are actually thrown out. They are assaulted. (Interruptions) Why is this gentleman disturbing me like this? (Interruptions)

SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA (Bihar): Why are you quarrelling? Let him finish and then you can say what you want to. (Interruptions)

SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKAT-RAMAN: The Chairman has permitted me. There is no safety for Opposition Members in the Assembly there. When something was raised in the Assembly by Mr. Parithi Ilamvazhuthi, he was simply bundled and thrown out by AIADMK and Vazhappadi group Members. There are two groups now in the Congress. There are 36 Members on the one side and 24 on the other.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Two wrongs will never become one right. So, let us condemn such actions. Whatever has happened in the past is also condemnable and whatever has happened in the present is also condemnable... (Interruptions)... Yes, Mr. Yashwant Sinha... (Interruptions)...

RE. ABETMENT OF TERRORISM BY SOME NEIGHBOURING COUNTRIES

SHRI YASHWANT SINHA (Bihar): Madam, in the course of his reply in this House, the hon. Home Minister had levelled a very serious charge. He had said that a super-power was behind the assassination of late Shri Rajiv Gandhi. Whatever

might have happened to that statement... (Interruptions)... It was a charge made by no less a person than the hon. Home Minister. We now have a Chief Minister of a State—I am referring to the Assam Chief Minister—who has made a statement in the State Assembly... (Interruptions)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: As I have already said, we cannot raise any issue of the State Assemblies here... (Interruptions)...

SHRI YASHWANT SINHA: I am raising an issue which the Chief Minister has raised. He has alleged that ULFA has links with Bangladesh, China and Pakistan... (Interruptions)...

SHRI BHUBANESWAR KALITA (Assam): You cannot discuss the State Assembly here... (Interruptions)...

SHRI YASHWANT SINHA: This has appeared in the news-papers... (Interruptions)... I am not discussing what happened in the State Assembly. I am just saying what the Chief Minister had said... (Interruptions)...

SHRI BHUBANESWAR KALITA: You cannot discuss it here. The Chair has already given a ruling that whatever happened in the State Assemblies would not be discussed... (Interruptions)... We are going by the ruling of the Chair... (Interruptions)...

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY (Pondicherry): You cannot discuss it... (Interruptions)... You cannot discuss the statement of a Chief Minister... (Interruptions)...

SHRI KAMAL MORARKA (Rajasthan): Is Saikia above the law? Why cannot Saikia's statement be discussed?... (Interruptions)... Mr. Saikia is a Chief Minister and whatever he says can be discussed... (Interruptions)...