डॉ० रत्नाकर पाण्डेय (उत्तर प्रदेश) : माननीय उपसभाध्यक्ष जी, यह जीवन-मरण का प्रश्न है, उसकी ओर मैं ध्यान दिलाना चाहता हूं । संघ लोक सेवा आयोग के दरवाजे पर पांच छात्र हिन्दी और भारतीय भाषाओं को परीक्षा का माध्यम बनाने के लिए ...(व्यवधान)...उनमें से एक की हालत...(व्यवधान)... वह डैथ बैड पर है...(व्यवधान)...27 तारीख से वह चल रहा है...(व्यवधान)... उसपर सरकार को ध्यान देना चाहिए... (व्यवधान)...जीवन-मरण का प्रश्न था, इसलिए मैंने उठा दिया...(व्यवधान)...

THE VICE-CHAIRMAN (SHRI JAGESH DESAI): No, please sit down. No, no, I don't allow it. Nothing will go on record.

श्री वीरेन्द्र वर्मा (उत्तर प्रदेश) : उपसभाध्यक्ष महोदय, सुन लें : बहुत गंभीर प्रश्न है...(व्यवधान)...

श्री लाल कृष्ण आडवाणी (मध्य प्रदेश): हौशल मैंशन में एलाउ कर दीजिएगा ...(व्यवधान)...

MOTION FOB EXTENSION OF TIME FOR THE PRESENTATION OF THE REPORT OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSES ON THE SHIPPING AGENTS (LICENSING) RILL, 1988

SHRT BHASKAR ANNAJI MASODKAR (Maharashtra); Sir, I beg to move the following Motion:—

> "That the time appointed for the presentation of the Report of Joint Committee of the Houses On the Shipping Agents (Licensing) Bill, 1987, be extended up to the first day of the last week of the 151st Session of the Rajya Sabha."

The question was put, and the motion was adopted.

DISCUSSION ON THE WORKING OF THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS—Contd.

THE VICE-CHAIRMAN (SHRI JAGESH DESAI); shri Narasimha Rao.

श्री रजनी रंजन साहू : उपसभाध्यक्ष जी, आज के अखबार में छपे हुए पर, जो 'टाइम्स आफ इण्डिया' में छपा है ...(व्यवधान)...

THE VICE-CHAIRMAN (SHRl JAGESH DESAI); I have called the Minister.

THE MINI'STER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P. V. NARASIMHA RAO): Sir,, this debate, I am afraid, has been rather intermittent and of a diffused nature spread over many days and als$_0$ interrupted by three days on which we had no Parliament sittings. However, Members have made some important points. Although each one of these issues needs a separate debate, deserves a separate debate in the Houses of Parliament, pending the possibility of getting enough time for such debates, I shall only respond to certain selected issue$_s$ which I consider important and which have been raised in the debate.

Sir. I start with the world situation in general because that is how most of the Members also started their speeches, and that is how one has to start any debate on international relations. The situation as we found it after the INF treaty, has been described in many debates in this House, in many of our speeches, "n many fora of the world. We made a categorical statement, positive statement on the floor of the United Nations. We expressed great hope that the situation as it developed after the INF treaty, would continue unabated in the same direction and become irreversible as soon as possible. We could see the light at the end of the tunnel and we could also see, or at least imagine, that the tunnel is not too long-There was a change from confrontation to dialogue. These are sentences which have been found in