

which the management was not in a position to handle. The inmates were evicted when one of them threatened to commit suicide.

(b) There were 7 women and 2 children at the time of closure of the

Home. The maximum number enrolled was 24 women and 3 children.

(c) The following amount of grants was given to AIWC by the Department of Women and Child Development for running 6 homes as under:—

Location of home	1986-87	1987-88	1988-89
	(in Rs.)		
Bapnu Ghar (New Delhi)	..	65,575	73,100
Midnapore (West Bengal)	1,66,000
Balasore (Orissa)	1,66,000
Puri (Orissa)	1,66,000
Shahjahanpur (U.P.)	1,66,000
Brindaban	1,66,000

(d) and (e) Yes, Sir. This Department had called for a detailed report in the matter. As an incomplete reply was received, the organisation has been requested to send clarifications. Necessary action if found necessary can be initiated only on receipt of these clarifications.

Visit of Pakistan's Minister of Interior to India

831. SHRI B. STAYANARAYAN REDDY: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Pakistan's Minister of Interior Mr. Aitaz Ahsan called on the Prime Minister and other Union Ministers of the Government of India on April 11, 1989;

(b) if so, what subjects were discussed with him; and

(c) what decisions have been taken as a result of talks held with him?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P. V. NARASIMHA RAO): (a) to (c) During his visit to

India from 8-11 April, 1989, the Interior Minister of Pakistan had discussions with the Prime Minister, External Affairs Minister and the Home Minister on bilateral and other matters of mutual interest. Both sides expressed their commitment to work for the improvement of bilateral relations between the two countries.

Withdrawal of IPKF from Sri Lanka

832. SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether, in view of the latest developments and situation prevailing in Sri Lanka, Government propose to withdraw the Indian Peace Keeping Force from Sri Lanka;

(b) if so, by when and if not, what are the reasons therefor; and

(c) what is the number of IPKF personnel withdrawn so far and the number still remaining in Sri Lanka and the total number of IPKF personnel killed so far and also the number