RAJYA SABHA

Wednesday, the 29th July, 1987|7th Sra vana, 1909 (Saka)

The House met at eleven of the clock, The Deputy Chairman in the Chair:

Re. CERTAIN REMARKS MADE BY **CHAIR ON 28TH JULY 1987**

SHRI M S. GURUPADASWAMY (Karnataka); May I ----- (Interruptions).

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Yes.

SOME HON. MEMBERS: It is the Questions Hour... (Interruptions).

SHR1 M. S. GURUPADASWAMY: I have sought Permission.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN; We had a meeting with the Leader of the House and, therefore, he has ----- (Interruptions).

SHR1 M. S. GURUPADASWAMY: I have the permission of the Chair.

Deputy Chairman, certain Madam things happened yesterday in the House. We tried to raise some issues, as a result of which there was commotion, confusion anti free-torall. That led to certain developments I feel rather difficult to express. What happened vesterday'was not normal. I want, the Opposition want, good atmos--phere to prevail in the House. We in the Opposition would like to protect the dignity of the Chair arid there should not be any ill-will between the Chair and the Members of this House. Saving this. I would like to express that you' vesterday afternoon made some remarks about the behavior of the Opposition Members. We are all concerned, as I said, with goodwill, understanding, that kind of atmosphere, to prevail in the House. Keeping that uppermost in my mind, I say that we never meant disrespect to the Chair; we do not want any disrespect to the Chair. And I expect you, Madam, as the Deputy Chairman, as the presiding officer, to treat every section of the House uniformly, alike. I do not want to elabo-724 RS-I

rate on this. When I have said that we do not mean disrespect to you, and particularly we regard you with respect, I have to point out that you by your remarks/ yesterday wounded the feelings Of many of the Opposition Members of the House, all the Opposition Members of the House. I do not want this to go on. It should end. Therefore, I suggest, Madam, that you remove the expressions which hurt the feelings Of the members of the Opposition. I will leave the language to you-I do not impose my language on the Chair. With a view to re-establish har-, mony and goodwill among ourselves in the House, you please remove those expressions and remarks which have really hurt us. We* and the Members of the Treasury Benches have got to function together. The conventions are .important. The Chair is very important in this regard Therefore, may I suggest that you remove those expressions which have hurt the feelings of the Members of the Opposition. I hope and trust that you will do it.

Members

SHRI P. N. SUKUL (Uttar Pradesh): on a point of order. Madam. Mr. Guru padaswamy just said that with a. view to • re-establish harmony you should withdraw the remarks. What is this? Did she dis rupt the harmony? You disrupted the harmony of the House. She said all that with deep anguish. (Interruptions) You disrupted the harmony. (Interruptions).

SUSPENSION OF MEMBER

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Whatever the Members have said will not go on record. This is the unruly behaviour ..' of the members. What is this he* is showing? You cannot show it like that in the House. Please sit down. I am dealing with that.

Mr. Radhakrishna you will withdraw from the (Interruptions) House Mr. Puttapaga Radhakrishna withl withdraw from the House. The Chair has given this order, You will have to withdraw from the House, (Interruptions)

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Mr. Radhakrishna, withdraw from the House. (Interruptions). Mr, P. Radhakrishna, your behaviour is grossly dis orderly and I direct you to withdraw from the House immediately. (Interruptions)

SHRI K. MOHANAN (Kerala); He will not withdraw. (Interruptions).

SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY (Andhra Pradesh). Madam Deputy Chairman, I want to make one submission. (Interruptions).

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Radhakrishna, you do not withdraw, I name you. You will be suspended. (Interruptions) Please sit down everybody, Mr. Jacob will move a Motion. It has to be according to the rules and Mr. Jacob will move the Motion.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF **PARLIAMENTARY** AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): Madam, I move: The hon. Member, Mr. Puttapaga Radhakrishna has violated the rules of this House by exhibiting deroga-tory remarks written on a piece of Paper which is contemp of this House, and the House unanimously resolves that he may be suspended for a week from the House-

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN; The question is... (Interruptions).

SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA (Andhra Pradesh). May I make a submission? (Interruptions)

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: The question is

"That shri Puttapaga Radhakrishna be suspended from the service of the House for a period of one week.

The motion was adopted.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Shri p. Radhakrishna is suspended for one week from the House.

> The House is adjourned for one hour.

The House then adjourned at thirteen minutes past eleven of. the clock till fifteen minutes past twelve of the clock.

The House reassembled at twenty-six minutes past twelve of the clock, The Vice-Chairman (Shri H- Hanumanthappa), in the Chair.

THE VICE- CHAIRMAN (SHRI ,H. HANUMANTHAPPA): Hon, Members. certain consultations are being held with the leaders of both the sides, to see the the Business of the House is transacted smoothly. It will take some time. Therefore, the House is adjourned till 3 p.m.

The House then adjourned at twenty seven minutes past twelve of the clock.

The House reassembled at three. of the clock, The Deputy Chairman in the Chair.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I may inform that the Leader of the House and the leaders of political groups in opposition are having discussions to ensure cooperation of all parties for smooth conduct of the business in the House. I, therefore, adjourn the House till 11.00 a.m. tomorrow.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Merger of Air India and Indian Airliues

- *41. SHRI VISHWA BANDHU GUPTA: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be nieased to state
- (a) what is the status of merger plans of Air India and Indian Airlines;
- (b) whether Government propose to effect the merger in a phased manner;
- (c) what is the financial saying expected by the merger; and
- (d) in what manner the merger is likely .to effect the employees in various cate gories?