

10. Government Departments:

Government Departments; public sector undertakings and other bodies/ institutions having substantial areas of unutilised lands must bring such land under tree cover.

11. Media and Communications:

A massive publicity campaign through the traditional media of folk art and culture, radio, television and other audio-visual aids should be undertaken to create awareness among the masses.

12. Monitoring and Evaluation:

The State/U. T. Governments should evolve appropriate monitoring and evaluation mechanisms to ensure qualitative implementation of the programme.

Police verification for Excise Inspectors/Income-tax Inspectors

2254. SARDAR JAGJIT SINGH AURORA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what type of police verification is carried out for successful candidates for the posts of Excise Inspectors/Income Tax Inspectors before their appointment;

(b) whether there is any special verification procedure for the Sikh candidates; and

(c) if so, what are the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI BIREN SINGH. ENGTI): (a) Since Excise Inspectors/Income Tax Inspectors are Group 'C' posts, the usual type of verification prescribed for all Group 'C' posts in the Central Government is also applicable to them before appointment.

(b) No special verification is prescribed exclusively for the Sikh candidates

(c) Does not arise.

Shifting of Central Finger Print Bureau from Calcutta to Delhi

2255. SHRI SUKOMAL SEN: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state whether Government have decided to shift the Central Finger Print Bureau from Calcutta to Delhi and if so, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): Yes Sir. Based on the report of the Task Force appointed by the Ministry of Home Affairs for setting up of National Crime Record Bureau (NCRB) it has been decided to merge the Central Finger Print Bureau with NCRB except that portion of staff who are concerned with investigation work of CBI.

As the National Crime Record Bureau is located in Delhi the modalities of shifting Central Finger Print Bureau from Calcutta to Delhi are being worked out.

Influx of Chakmas into Mizoram and Tripura, from Bangladesh)

2256. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any assessment has been made by the Government regarding Chakma population in Mizoram and Tripura and what is their monthly average infiltration into the country from Bangladesh;

(b) whether the continuous infiltration of Chakmas into the country have any impact on the economic and ethnic problems in the region; and

(c) if so, what measures have been taken so far by Government to check their infiltration into the country