

communicated to this effect. The enterprises have however been advised to create posts only in exceptional circumstances and only after exhausting all the channels of utilising the existing manpower.

Indian Initiatives for International monetary system

2514. **SHRI DHULESHWAR MEENA** : Will the Minister of **EXTERNAL AFFAIRS** be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Prime Minister during the discussion on the world economic situation at the recent Commonwealth Summit in Nassau, had stressed the need for another Bretton woods to refashion the international monetary system owing to serious imbalances, and distortions in the world economic order caused by the reappearance of negative trends in the world economy ; and

(b) if so, what initiative, if any; India is taking to strengthen the International Monetary System evolved at Bretton woods over forty years ago ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN) : (a) and (b) In his statement circulated at the Commonwealth Summit, Prime Minister emphasised that a conscious effort was needed at reshaping the world economic system. In this regard he also referred to the differing perceptions reflected in two recent reports submitted by the Group of Ten (G-10) and the Group of Twenty four (G-24) representing respectively the views of the industrialised countries on the functioning of the international monetary system and of the developing countries on monetary and financial issues. He stressed the need to evolve a consensus on these issues as soon as possible so that concrete steps could be taken to solve the problems.

L.T.C. facilities for pensioners

2515. **PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA** : Will the **PRIME MINISTER** be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are considering to allow L.T.C. facilities to the Central Government pensioners and their spouses and family pensioners also every fourth year to visit any place in India as is given to the serving employees ; and

(b) if so, from which date this facility is proposed to be made available ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AND PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSION (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Development of Chandaka Elephant Sanctuary in Bhubaneswar

2516. **SHRI JAGADISH JANI** : Will the **PRIME MINISTER** be pleased to state :

(a) the amount of the Central assistance sought by the Orissa Government to implement schemes for the development of Chandaka Elephant Sanctuary at Bhubaneswar ; and

(b) the amount sanctioned by the Central Government for the said purpose during 1985-86 ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FOREST (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI) : (a) The state Government of Orissa submitted a proposal for the development of the Chandaka Sanctuary which envisaged a total cost of Rs. 508.00 lakhs.

(b) No amount has been sanctioned by the Central Government for the Chandaka Sanctuary during 1985-86 as the State Government have not yet reported utilization of the amount of Rs. 8.00 lakhs released during 1984-85.