

2437. [Transferred to the 4th November, 1982].

Protection of Environment around Historical Monuments

2438. SHRIMATI SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have plans to set up a special authority to protect the environment around historical monuments;

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard; and

(c) by when the authority will be set up?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRIES OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE AND SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRI P. K. THUNGON): (a) to (c) The Department of Environment has constituted a Committee for conserving the environment and improving the aesthetic quality of national heritage areas. In its first meeting held in October, 1982, this Committee

has *inter alia* considered the question of setting up of a National Trust concerning the preservation of monuments and natural heritage areas including the ecological/landscape aspects and has recommended that a separate committee be formed by the Department of Environment to consider all the relevant issues connected therewith.

Appointment of Teachers in Delhi

2439. SHRI M. BASAVARAJU: Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of teachers proposed to be appointed in Delhi during the year 1982; and

(b) by what time all vacancies are proposed to be filled up?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRIES OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE AND SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRI P. K. THUNGON): (a) and (b) As reported by the Delhi Administration, the following number of posts have been sanctioned during the year 1982-83:—

1. Principal	19
2. Vice-Principal	10
3 P.G.T.	167
4. T.G.T.	387
5. Language Teachers	165
6. Domestic Science Teachers	8
7. Drawing Teachers	19
8. Music Teachers	9
9. Assistant Teachers	9
10. Work Experience Teachers	22
11. Headmaster (Primary)	1
12. Head Clerk	12
13. U.D.C.	10
14. Librarians	14
15. Laboratory Assistants	28
16. Class IV	91
17. Class IV (Part-time)	8
18. Tabla Player	1
19. Yoga Teachers	16
20. Junior Yoga Teachers	3