

BEN M. JOSHI): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:—

(i) Annual Report and Accounts of the Indian Association for the Advancement of Medical Education, New Delhi, for the year 1980-81, and the Auditors' Report on the Accounts, together with a statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-3724/82].

(ii) Annual Report and Accounts of the Regional Cancer Centre, Trivandrum for the year 1980-81, and the Auditors' Report on the Accounts. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-3725/82].

Statements showing the action taken by Government on the various assurances, promises and undertakings given during various sessions.

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI KALPNATH RAI): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table the following statements (in English and Hindi) showing the action taken by Government on the various assurances, promises and undertakings given during the Sessions shown against them:—

(i) Statement No. XIII—Hundred-Thirteenth Session, 1980.

(ii) Statement No. XIV—Hundred-Fourteenth Session, 1980.

(iii) Statement No. XI—Hundred-Fifteenth Session, 1980.

(iv) Statement No. XIII—Hundred-Sixteenth Session, 1980.

(v) Statement No. VIII—Hundred-Seventeenth Session, 1981.

(vi) Statement No. VII—Hundred-Eighteenth Session, 1981.

(vii) Statement No. V—Hundred-Nineteenth Session, 1981.

(viii) Statements Nos. III and IV—Hundred-Twentieth Session, 1981.

(ix) Statement No. I—Hundred-Twenty-First Session, 1982.

[Placed in Library. See No. LT-3765/82 for (i) to (ix)]

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC UNDERTAKINGS

SHRI R. R. MORARKA (Rajasthan): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Thirtieth Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings on action taken by Government on the recommendations contained in the Seventeenth Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings (Seventh Lok Sabha) on Coal India Limited (Ministry of Energy—Department of Coal).

REPORTS OF THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

SHRIMATI MAIMOONA SULTAN (Madhya Pradesh): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Reports of the Public Accounts Committee:—

(i) Seventy-sixth Report on Development of a Helicopter.

(ii) Eighty-fourth Report on Customs Receipts and Union Excise Duties.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT ASSURANCES

श्री नागेश्वर प्रसाद शाही (उत्तर प्रदेश):
श्रीमान् मैं आपकी आज्ञा से सरकार की आश्वासनों संबंधी समिति का इसकी सवां प्रतिवेदन प्रस्तुत करता हूँ ।

यह भी सदन हो सूचित करता है कि 1972 में यह कमेटी बनी थी। 1980 में मैं इस कमेटी का चेयरमैन बनाया गया। मैंने इस सत्र में इन टेकग्रावर किया था। 1973 में पैडिंग जितने केसेज थे मैंने अपने इन दो सालों के दौरान सारे आश्वासनों की फुलफिल कर दिया, डिस्पोज ग्राफ्ट कर दिया है। 1980 तक के सब आश्वासन समाप्त हो भये हैं।

STATEMENT BY MINISTER

Attack on U.S. Consulate-General's Office in Bombay

MR. CHAIRMAN: Shri Laskar to make a *suo motu* statement.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI NIHAR RANJAN LASKAR): Sir, according to a report received from the Government of Maharashtra at about 4.45 p.m. on March 25, 1982, four persons went to the US Consulate-General's Office at Bhulabhai Desai Road, Bombay, and asked for some import-export forms. When told that such forms were not available, two of the persons started attacking the Consulate staff with plastic containers with lighted wicks. Forty others from outside rushed in and started smashing the window panes of parked cars and setting them on fire. Four cars were burnt and seven were damaged. They also damaged furniture, flower pots and window panes of the building. The police guards on duty opened fire resulting in the death of one person. Thirty persons including their leader Bandu Shingre were arrested. The miscreants threw leaflets purporting to have been issued by an organisation called Azad Hind Sena. Investigation of the case is in progress. The Chief Secretary has assured the US Consulate General at Bombay of full protection for the Consulate.

The Government greatly deplore the incident. The Ministry of External Affairs have conveyed their regret over the incident to the American Ambassador in New Delhi.

SHRI LAL K. ADVANI (Gujarat): Who were the persons involved? Do they have any political affiliations or links. Or, has there been any contact between them and the Consulate there?

SHRI NIHAR RANJAN LASKAR: We are trying to collect all this information. Only this is the information with me.

श्री जगदीश प्रसाद माथुर (उत्तर प्रदेश): श्रीमन्, इसी विषय पर मेरा स्पेशल मेंशन है।

श्री माणेश्वर प्रसाद साहू (उत्तर प्रदेश): क्या ये शिव सेना के लोग तो नहीं थे ?

SHRI NIHAR RANJAN LASKAR: No. We are collecting it and I think...

MR. CHAIRMAN: I think another statement may be made on Monday. That would be best.

SHRI LAL K. ADVANI: This is perhaps the first incident of its kind in the country. It has to be taken seriously. It never happened before.

MR. CHAIRMAN: After a detailed statement is made on Monday, you can ask questions.

श्री जगदीश प्रसाद माथुर: श्रीमन्, मेरा इसी विषय पर स्पेशल मेंशन है। अभी आप इजाजत दे दें तो मैं बोलूँ।

श्री सभापति: ठीक है, कद लीजिए।

श्री जगदीश प्रसाद माथुर: श्रीमन्, मंत्री जी ने भी केवल वे ही बातें बताई हैं जो अखबारों में आई हैं। उन्होंने कोई नई बात नहीं बताई है। इस संबंध में