

(घ) यदि हाँ, तो सरकार ने उक्त अधिकारी के विरुद्ध अभी तक क्या कार्यवाही की है और क्या सरकार केन्द्रीय जांच ब्यूरो द्वारा इस मामले की जांच करवाने तथा भ्रष्ट अधिकारी के विरुद्ध कार्यवाही करने का विचार रखत है ?

संचारमंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री कार्तिक उरांव): (क) 1979-80 के करार के सवीनीकरण न होने के कारण बिहार में डाक फार्मों की कोई कमी नहीं थी। 1978 में निर्णित करारों के आधार पर फार्मों के मुद्रण का आदेश देने के कारण भी सरकार को कोई हानि नहीं हुई थी।

(ख) डाक-तार लेखा परीक्षा की रिपोर्ट में किसी भी अधिकारी के नाम का वर्णन नहीं किया गया है और न ही किसी हानि अथवा भवन का वर्णन किया गया है। अनुचित ढंग से मामले को छिपाने का प्रयत्न ही नहीं उठता।

(ग) विभाग के पास इसकी सूचना नहीं है। चूंकि इस में अधिकारी के नाम का वर्णन नहीं किया गया है अतः कुछ भी कहना संभव नहीं है।

(घ) उपरोक्त (क), (ख) एवं (ग) को मद्देनजर रखते हुए ऐसी कार्यवाही करने का प्रश्न ही नहीं उठता।

Grant of COB Licences to Companies

1430. SHRI K. V. R. S. BALASUBBA RAO: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM, CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state.

(a) what are the names of the items for which companies have been granted COB Licences during the last three years, year-wise including the particular criteria/parameter involved in the grant of COB Licence;

(b) whether the manufacture of any of the items involve use of any im-

ported raw materials and if so, the quantity imported by the concerned manufacturer during the last three years; and

(c) what are those items for which proposals of various companies have been rejected for the grant of COB Licence during the last three years including the current year?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM, CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Translation of Books in Russian Language

1431. SHRI RAM BHAGAT PASWAN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that an agreement has been signed with the Russian publishers for translation of books in Russian language; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (MISS KUMUD-BEN M. JOSHI): (a) and (b). This Ministry has entered into 'Option Agreements' with various publishers in Russia. Under this, the foreign publishers have identified the titles given below for their consideration with a view to translating and publishing these books in Russian languages. Selection of books is, however, at the discretion of the foreign publisher.

(i) Rabindranath Tagore by H. Banerjee.

(ii) Jawahar Lal Nehru by M. Chalapati Rau.

(iii) Indian Classical Dance by Dr. (Mrs.) Kapila Vatsayan.

(iv) The Last Tiger by Ruskin Bond.