

neatly absorbed in the newly created cadres and services?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI H. M. PATEL): (a) and (b) Recently Ministries/Departments have been advised to make provision for 'Initial Constitution' of the newly created services/cadres in the Recruitment Rules with the following purposes in view:—

(i) To provide for a high level screening Committee with a UPSC Member wherever necessary to decide on the fitness of the existing incumbents for inducting them into the new cadre;

(ii) the determination of the *inter se* seniority of the existing incumbents in the new service; and

(iii) the manner in which persons who are not found fit for the new cadre should be dealt with.

(c) Does not arise.

Children reported missing in Delhi

*337. SHRI SYED AHMAD HASHMI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of children reported missing in the capital during the years 1977, 1978 and so far 1979;

(b) the number amongst them recovered; and the number of them kidnapped; and those found killed;

(c) the number of cases in which no clue has been found so far; and

(d) the number of cases in which culprits have been apprehended for kidnapping and killing the children?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. D. PATIL): (a) to (d) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement

Children Reported Missing in Delhi.

Year	Children reported missing	Children recovered out of those reported missing	No. of children reported to be kidnapped out of those reported missing.	No. of children reported killed out of those reported to be kidnapped.
1977	3134	1520	137	Nil
1978	3415	1862	178	3
1979 (upto 28-2-79)	679	363	26	Nil

Year	No. of cases of missing children in which no clues have been found	No. of cases of kidnapping of children in which the culprits have been apprehended	No. of cases of kidnapping of children in which the culprits have been apprehended for killing children
1977	61	67	Nil
1978	74	74	2
1979 (upto 28-2-79)	21	6	Nil