

Statement

With a view to prevent thefts and pilferage of consignments, various measures are being taken. More important of them are as under :

- (i) Intensification of the tempo of vigilance at points where crime is endemic ;
- (ii) Concerted and vigorous drive against wagon breakers and receivers of stolen property—590 habitual criminals and receivers of stolen railway property have been arrested or detained under the preventive laws during the last one year;
- (iii) Special security measures, such as, escorting goods trains carrying vulnerable commodities, patrolling in vulnerable yards and collection of intelligence and conduct of raids, on the basis of such information, both by the railways as well as the Central Crime Bureau of the Railway Protection Force functioning in the Railway Board ;
- (iv) Insistence on provision of dunnage to protect flap doors in case of wagon load consignments of sugar, grains, pulses oilseeds, etc ;
- (v) Proper marking, addressing and labelling to prevent the consignment from going astray ;
- (vi) Use of nuts and bolts for riveting wagons loaded with valuable goods ;
- (vii) Proper maintenance of wagon so that incidence of sickness of wagons resulting in detention and transshipment is minimised, and also damage by wet and pilferage through doors and body-holes is reduced ;
- (viii) Patching of panel cuts of wagons in sick-lines, yards and goods sheds to reduce the circulation of defective wagons ;
- (ix) Proper supervision and careful tallying of packages during loading and unloading operations ;

(x) Intensified supervision at break-of-gauge transshipment points and repacking points;

(xi) Prompt fixation of staff responsibility.

रेल प्रकाशनों का निर्यात

* 413. श्री बापूरावजी मावठरावजी देशमुख : क्या रेल मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) 31 मई, 1976 को समाप्त हुए वर्ष के दौरान भारत ने किन्-किन देशों की रेलों से संबंधित तकनीकी और गैर-तकनीकी साहित्य भेजा ;

(ख) इस प्रकार भेजे गए साहित्य का म्योरा क्या है और उससे कुल किन्ती विदेशी मुद्रा की कमाई हुई ; और

(ग) क्या विदेशों में इस प्रकार के साहित्य की मांग है, यदि हाँ, तो 31 मई, 1977 को समाप्त होने वाले वर्ष के दौरान उनका किन्ना निर्यात होने की संभावना है ?

Export of railway publications

* 413. SHRI BAPURAOJI MAROTRAOJI DESHMUKH : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) what are the names of the countries to which India supplied technical and non-technical literature on railways during the year ended 31st May, 1976 ; and

(b) what are the details of the literature supplied and what is the total amount of foreign exchange earned thereby ; and

(c) whether there is demand for such literature in the foreign markets ; if so, what is the likely extent of its export during the year ended

en रेल संज्ञासूचक में उपर्युक्त (श्री कृष्ण सिंह) : (क) से (ग) एक विवरण सभा घटस पर रख दिया गया है जिसमें अपेक्षित सूचना दी गयी है।

[] English translation.

विवरण

(क) से (ग) हमकी बहुत कम मांग है। कुछ रेलवे माहित्य (तकनीकी और गैर तकनीकी) इंग्लैण्ड, अमरीका, नाइजीरिया, हांग कांग, कनाडा, चेकोस्लोवाकिया, पश्चिम जर्मनी, जापान और अन्य को भेजा गया था। जो माहित्य भेजा गया था उसका ब्यौरा हम प्रकाश है :—

1. इण्डियन रेलवे मैगज़ीन
2. इण्डियन रेलवे टेक्नीकल बुलेटिन
3. हाकुमेटेशन नोट्स
4. इण्डियन रेलवे मैगज़ीन—

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(दू कोर एलेक्सीवन केबल कार इंटर वेडिकल एमरजेंसी कप्लर) —

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(पी०बी०सी० इन्सुलेटेड एल्यूमीनियम स्क्रीन केबल कार रेलवे सिग्नलिंग)

विदेशी मुद्रा के रूप में 333 रुपए की रकम खर्च की गई जो बहुत कम मांग को देखते हुए ऐसा समझा जाता है कि 31-5-1977 को समाप्त होने वाले वर्ष के दौरान उनका ही रकम खर्च हो पायेगी।

[THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BUTA SINGH) : (a) to (c) A statement giving the required information is laid on the Table of the Sabha.

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(a) to (c) There is a very limited demand. Certain railway literature (technical and non-technical) was supplied to England, U.S.A., Nigeria, Hong-Kong, Canada, Czechoslovakia, West Germany, Japan and U.S.S.R. The details of the literature supplied are:—

1. Indian Railways Magazine.
2. Indian Railways Technical Bulletin.
3. Documentation Notes.
4. Indian Railways Specifications:—
No. E-5A-68

[] English translation.

(Two core flexible Cable for Inter-Vehicle Emergency Couplers) No. S-35-70

(PVC Insulated Aluminium Screened Cable for Railway Signalling). An amount of Rs. 333 in foreign exchange was earned.

In view of the very limited demand, it is felt that only a similar amount is likely to be earned during the year ending 31-5-1977.

Allotment of hook stalls to educated unemployed at Delhi, New Delhi and Hazrat Nizamuddin Stations

*414. SHRI SAT PAUL MITTAL : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government consideration to allot bookstalls at Delhi, New Delhi, and Hazrat Nizamuddin Stations to cooperative societies of educated unemployed ; and

(b) if so, by when these bookstalls are likely to be transferred to such cooperative societies from their present allottees ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BUTA SINGH) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Express trains between Varanasi and Puri

*415. SHRI NARASINGHA PRASAD NANDA : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to introduce an Express train between Varanasi and Puri; and

(b) if so, by when ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BUTA SINGH) : (a) and (b) The proposal to introduce a direct train between Puri and Varanasi was considered but has not been found feasible at present.