

*Result of searches & seizures*

Financial year	No of searches carried out	Value of assets seized (Rs in lakhs)	No of infructuous searches
1967-68	109	90	3
1968-69	81	59	2
1969-70	170	95	1
1970-71	195	140	3
1971-72	516	243	5
1972-73	469	384	8
(upto 31-1-1973)			

## PURCHASE OF PLANES BY INDIAN AIRLINES

\*313 SHRI KALYAN ROY

SHRI BALACHANDRA MENON

Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the report captioned, 'More Planes for Indian Airlines' published in the 'Economic Times' on December, 25, 1972,

(b) if so, the number of planes, Indian Airlines propose to buy and from which sources and

(c) whether more planes are to be utilised for its trunk routes on a chartered basis and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION (DR KARAN SINGH) (a) Yes, Sir

(b) and (c) Indian Airlines are still examining their fleet requirements

## DEMAND OF U P COTTON TEXTILE MILL OWNERS' ASSOCIATION

314 SHRI SITARAM JAIPURIA Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state

(a) whether it is a fact that a demand has been made by the U P Cotton Textile

Mill Owners Association for declaring cotton textile industry a priority industry for purposes of taxation and for giving it liberal concessions,

(b) if so what are the details of the demand and

(c) what action has been taken or is proposed to be taken thereon?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI A C. GEORGE) (a) and (b) The Chairman of the U P Cotton Textile Mill Owners' Association at the Fifth Annual meeting of the Association held in January 1973, made the suggestion that the cotton textile industry should be declared as a priority industry for the purpose of taxation and other concessions. No formal detailed proposals have, however been made to the Government

(c) Does not arise

## LOSSES SUFFERED BY AIR INDIA

\*315 SHRI K B CHETRI

SHRI GANESHILAL CHAUDHARY

SHRI SHYAMLAL GUPTA

SHRI BALACHANDRA MENON

SHRI YOGENDRA SHARMA

SHRI SITARAM KESRI