

With regard to (iii), action has already been initiated by the Government of Jammu & Kashmir and Delhi Administration for the revival of the direct movement of goods traffic between Jammu and Delhi as early as possible.]

**SCRAPPING OF PROHIBITION IN  
TAMIL NADU**

\*45. SHRI K. C. PANDA :

SHRI SUNDAR MANI  
PATEL :

Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND  
SOCIAL WELFARE/शिक्षा और

समाज कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government of  
Tamil Nadu has scrapped prohibition  
in the State;

(b) whether it was done with prior  
consultation with the Union Govern-  
ment; and

(c) if not, what is the reaction of  
the Government of India in this  
regard ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND  
SOCIAL WELFARE/शिक्षा और समाज  
कल्याण मंत्रालय में उपमंत्री (SHRI K. S.  
RAMASWAMY) : (a) and (b) No  
communication on scrapping of prohibition in  
the State has been received from the  
Government of Tamil Nadu.

(c) Does not arise.

**UNESCO EQUIPMENT FOR REGIONAL  
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, BHOPAL**

\*46. SHRI N. K. KRISHNAN :

SHRI K. C. PANDA :  
SHRI SUNDAR MANI  
PATEL ;

Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND  
SOCIAL WELFARE/शिक्षा और

समाज कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that nearly half of  
the valuable scientific equipment

supplied by UNESCO to the Regional College  
of Education, Bhopal, is missing or has been  
misused;

(b) whether it is also a fact that a  
UNESCO team recently visited this Institute  
to investigate the alleged misuse of scientific  
equipment;

(c) if so, the details of the report, if any,  
submitted by the UNESCO team; and

(d) the action taken by the Government  
of India thereon ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL  
WELFARE/शिक्षा और समाज

कल्याण मंत्रालय में उपमंत्री (PROF. D. P.  
YADAV) : (a) Rs. 1.65 lakhs worth of  
UNESCO Science equipment were supplied  
to the Regional College of Education, Bhopal.  
Verifications so far made has yielded the  
result that Rs. 1,500 worth of equipment could  
not be located.

(b) and (c) There has been no investigation  
by UNESCO team but a UNESCO expert  
attached to N.C.E.R.T. has recently made a  
report that a few items are missing.

(d) Detailed stock verification has been  
taken in hand.

\*47. [Transferred to the 28th July,  
1971]

**ASSISTANCE FROM AID INDIA  
CONSORTIUM**

\*48. SHRI- SUHRID MULICK  
CHOUDHURY: Will the MINISTER OF  
FINANCE वित्त मंत्री be pleased to  
state the total amount of assistance  
Government have received or expect to  
receive from Aid India Consortium for the  
period 1971-72?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE  
वित्त मंत्री (SHRI Y. B. CHAVAN) :

The members of the Aid India Consortium  
agreed at the recent meeting held in Paris that,  
for the year 1971-72, total fresh commitments  
of about S 1150 million (Rs. 862 crores) in  
the