CENTRAL ASSISTANCE TO ASSAM TO MAINTAIN LAW AND ORDER

1625. SHRI K. L. N. PRASAD: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government have received any request from the Government of Assam for assistance to maintain law and order in the State; and
- (b) whether the Government of India have agreed to give assistance to the Government of Assam in this regard; if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI K. C. PANT): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) In addition to the 24th Companies of the Central Reserve Police already available with the Assam State Government, 3 Companies of this force have been made available to the State Government recently, in aid of civil authority for the maintenance of Law and order. These are in addition to the units of the Border Security Force and the Railway Protection Special Force already with the State Government.

SCHOLARSHIPS GRANTED TO INDIAN STUDENTS
BY FRANCE AND CANADA

1626. SHRI R. P. KHAITAN: Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND YOUTH SERVICES be pleased to state:

- (a) What is the number of scholarships offered by the Governments of France and Canada during this year (subjectwise) for the students belonging to India;
- (b) whether any conditions have been prescribed by those Governments for the grant of scholarships; if so, the details thereof;
- (c) what is the number of students selected in each category during this year, todate;
- (d) whether it is a fact that the selection was made twice during this year; if so, the reasons therefor; and

(e) what are the names of the students selected in the languages and literature during the two selections made and the criteria adopted for their selection?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND YOUTH SERVICES (SHRI A. K. KISKU): (a) to (c) A statement with the requisite information is attached. [See Appendix LXXIII, Annexure No. 73.]

- (d) Selection for Canadian scholarships were made once only. Selections of candidates against scholarships made by the Government of France for 1970-71 were made twice. Initially, the Government of France had offered 62 scholarships/fellowships. After the offer had been advertised, the French Government revised their offer, raising the total number of scholarships/fellowships to 75. Selections had therefore to be made a second time against the additional awards.
- (e) Fellowships for Indian Professors of French.
 - 1. Shrimati A. M. Kunte
 - 2. Shrimati V. B. Tongaonkar.
 - 3. Kumari M. Kodikar.
 - 4. Shrimati L. M. Pai.
 - 5. Shri S. S. Mourouguessane.
 - 6. Shrimati P. B. Dalvie.
 - 7 Shri J. Bose.

Scholarships for Higher studies at Postgraduate level in French Language and Literature.

- 1. Shri S. K. Bhosle.
- 2. Shri Syce Aroquiassamy,
- 3. Kumari G. F. Patel.
- 4. Shri Madangobalane,
- 5. Shri B. K. Joshi.
- 6. Kumari S. C. Deshpande.
- 7. Shri Joseph Biswas.
- 8. Kumari M. K. Ghyara.
- 9. Kumari Ayesha Sheikhawat.
- 10. Kumari J. V. Desai.
- 11. Shri S. Azizoudine.
- 12. Kumari B. D. Tuljapurkar
- 13. Shri H. Mukhopadhyaya.
- 14. Shri V. S. Srinivasa Sastry.
- 15. Shri Aga Mohsin.
- 16. Shri D. G. Bhagwut.