

INFILTRATION OF PAKISTAN NATIONALS IN ASSAM

*726. SHRI SITARAM JAIPURIA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that there is a large scale infiltration of Pakistani nationals into Assam;

(b) if so, the number of Pakistani nationals who have infiltrated during the last two months;

(c) whether the Government of India have asked the Government of Assam to furnish full details in this respect;

(d) if so, the details so furnished; and

(e) what steps are being taken to curb such infiltration and to send these Pakistani nationals back to Pakistan?

THE PRIME MINISTER (SHRIMATI INDIRA GANDHI) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) 320 in June and July, 1970.

(c) and (d) Information is being furnished by the State Government periodically. The infiltration has been substantially controlled, the figure for 1969 being only 2447.

(e) The establishment of the Border Security Force the stepping up of the frequency of patrolling along the border, the establishment of a network of watch posts covering not only the border areas but also areas affected by such infiltration inside the State so as to maintain constant vigilance, issue of notices to illegal infiltrators and setting up of tribunals for dealing with cases of infiltration are among the measures taken to detect, deport and prevent unauthorised immigration of Pakistani nationals into Assam. As a result of these measures, a substantial number of such persons either left on their own or were deported.

RIFT IN CIVIL AVIATION DEPARTMENT

*727. SHRI BAHARUL ISLAM : Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to a news item entitled "Major Rift in Civil Aviation Department" published in the Calcutta Edition of the Statesman of July 13, 1970; and

(b) if so the various steps Government have taken to improve the sorry state of affairs?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION (DR. KARAN SINGH) :

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) No such rift exists.

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*728. श्री राम सहाय : क्या शिक्षा तथा युवा सेवा मन्त्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि 1969-70 के दौरान बेकार इंजीनियरों के लिए अल्प-कालीन प्रशिक्षण के 207 और दीर्घकालीन प्रशिक्षण के 71 स्थान उनके मंत्रालय की मर्जी पर छोड़े गये थे;

(ख) इन स्थानों पर प्रत्येक राज्य से कितने-कितने डिप्लोमा तथा डिग्रीधारी विद्यार्थियों को व्यवहारिक प्रशिक्षण के लिये भेजा गया और उन्हें उपलब्ध की गई सुविधाओं का व्यौरा क्या है ; और

(ग) क्या इन लोगों को व्यावहारिक प्रशिक्षण के बाद रोजगार उपलब्ध कराने की कोई योजनायें सोची गई हैं ?

UNEMPLOYED ENGINEERS

*728. SHRI RAM SAHAI : Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND YOUTH SERVICES be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that 207 seats of short term and 71 seats of long term courses for unemployed engineers were kept at the disposal of his Ministry for the year 1969-70;

(b) the number of diploma and degree students who were sent for practical training in Engineering from each of the States out of this number together with the details of the facilities provided to them; and

†[] English translation.