

RAJYA SABHA

Wednesday, the 14th June, 1967/the
24th Jyaishta, 1889 (Saka)

The House met at eleven of the
clock, MR. CHAIRMAN in the Chair.

ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

*459. [The questioner (Shri Sundar Singh Bhandari) was absent. For answer, vide cols. 3787-89 infra.]

कानपुर के मेसर्स राधे लाल मुन्नीलाल

*460. श्री विनयकुमार भन्नालाल-
जी चौरडिया :
श्री बो० बो० रामास्वामी†

क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा
करेंगे कि कानपुर के मेसर्स राधे लाल मुन्नीलाल
तथा उनके साझेदारों के संस्थान से अप्रैल
1967 में आयकर विभाग द्वारा ली गई
तलाशियों के बाद कुल कितना ऐसा धन
पकड़ा गया, जिसका कोई हिसाब किताब
नहीं था ?

†[M/s. RADHEY LAL MUNNI LAL OF
KANPUR

*460. SHRI V. M. CHORDIA:
SHRI V. V. RAMASWAMY†

Will the Minister of FINANCE be
pleased to state the total amount of
unaccounted money which was seized
from the premises of M/s. Radhey
Lal Munni Lal of Kanpur and its part-
ners after searches were made by the
Income-tax Department during April,
1967?]

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI
K. C. PANT): Rs. 23,60,100.

§[वित्त मंत्रालय ने राज्य मंत्री (श्री के०
सी० पन्त) : 23,60,100 रुपये]

† [English translation.

The question was actually asked
on the floor of the House by Shri
V V Ramaswamy.

§ [Hindi translation.

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INDIA, THE DIRTIEST COUNTRY IN
THE WORLD

*461. SHRIMATI C. AMMANNA
RAJA:†

SHRI N. SRI RAMA REDDY:

Will the Minister of HEALTH
AND FAMILY PLANNING be
pleased to state:

(a) whether he made a statement
soon after he took over as Minister
of Health that India is the dirtiest
country in the world and Delhi is
the dirtiest city; and

(b) if the reply to part (a) above
be in the affirmative, what steps have
been taken by Government to im-
prove matters?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY PLANNING (DR. S.
CHANDRASEKHAR): (a) Yes, Sir.
With a view to emphasise the need
for improvement of sanitation I had
observed that Delhi was the dirtiest
town in the world, and that India, as
a whole, was a filthy country.

(b) The subject of sanitation falls
within the jurisdiction of the State
Governments and local bodies. They
will, no doubt, take due notice of
the observation made by me and take
appropriate action to improve the
sanitation of their areas.

SHRIMATI C. AMMANNA RAJA:
Sir, if Kathlene Mayo had said such
a thing, there would have been an
uproar in regard to this matter. I
want to know whether it is necessary
for a Minister to make a statement
like this instead of taking appropri-
ate action to improve matters. What
is the use of declaring to the world
that Delhi is the dirtiest city in the
world?

DR. S. CHANDRASEKHAR: Sir, I
want the State Governments and the
local bodies to be aware of this fact.
As it is, they do not even provide

†The question was actually asked
on the floor of the House by Shrimati
C. Ammannna Raja.