

(a) whether Government have received any information regarding holding of the Afro-Asian Countries Conference in the near future; and

(b) if so, when and where the conference is likely to be held?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER *m* THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI DINESH SINGH); (a) and (b) The Second Afro-Asian Conference which was to take place on June 29, 1965 has been postponed to November 5, 1965. Algiers remains the venue of the Conference.

PAK. OCCUPATION OF INDIAN ENCLAVES

•455. SHRI DEVI SINGH: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Pakistan has occupied Indian enclaves in East Pakistan;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what action Government have taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI LAKSHMI N. MENON): (a) and (b) In April, 1965, Pakistanis infiltrated into Indian enclave Daikhata, J. L. No. 38 in Dinajpur District and also constructed a road cutting through this enclave. Pakistanis vacated this area in early May, 1965.

(c) The Government of West Bengal lodged a protest with the Government of East Pakistan on the above issue. Action has been taken to send teams of officials for visiting Indian enclaves on a reciprocal basis. The Government of India have requested the Government of West Bengal to ask the East Pakistan Government for reciprocal facilities to post police parties in Indian enclaves for administrative purposes.

RECRUITMENT TO ARMY

•456. SHRI Y. A. REDDY: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that recruitment to the Armed Forces in Andhra Pradesh is slow and not in conformity with its population; and

(b) if so, what steps Government propose to take to step up recruitment to the Armed Forces in that State?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI Y. B. CHAVAN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

MEDIUM-WAVE TRANSMITTERS

♦465. SHRI RAM SINGH: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to purchase two medium-wave transmitters from Yugoslavia;

(b) if so, whether the terms and conditions have been finalised;

(c) when the transmitters are expected to be supplied; and

(d) at which places the transmitters are proposed to be installed?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRIMATI INDIRA GANDHI): (a) The procurement of a 1000 kw mw transmitter comprising two units each of 50 kw power from Yugoslavia is awaiting certain clarifications from the tenderer.

(b) Not yet. The Director General, Supplies and Disposals expects to finalise shortly the terms and conditions with the suppliers in Yugoslavia.

(c) The transmitter is expected to be installed and commissioned within 30 months of the placement of the order.