THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SARDAR SWARAN SINGH): The question of exodus of Indian nationals from Burma was raised at the talks with General Ne Win, and his party, during their recent visit to India. Our views regarding the large number of Indian nationals who are leaving Burma were conveyed to General Ne Win. Discussion on this matter will continue through diplomatic channels.

WITHDRAWAL OF BENEFITS ENJOYED BY PEONS OF DEPUTY HIGH COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, DACCA

350. $\begin{cases} \text{Shri D. L. SEN GUPTA:} \\ \text{Shri BHUPESH GUPTA:} \end{cases}$

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any benefits enjoyed earlier by the Peons in the Office of the Deputy High Commissioner, Dacca, have been withdrawn in or about November, 1964;
 - (b) if so, what are those benefits; and
- (c) what were the reasons for the withdrawal of those benefits?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SARDAR SWARAN SINGH): (a) Some benefits were withdrawn from locally recruited Class IV employees in August, 1963.

- (b) The benefits withdrawn were Childten's Education Allowance, Home Leave Passage, Assisted Medical Attendance and free furnished accommodation etc.
- (c) The above mentioned benefits are admissible to India-based Class IV staft only and these had to be withdrawn when it was found that the locally recruited Class IV personnel were enjoying the same erroneously.

ंडाक की जीवन बीमा योजना का जीवन बीमा निगम में मिलाया जाना

to Questions

195. श्री विमलकुमार मन्नालालजी चौरड़िया: क्या संचार मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

- (क) डाक की जीवन बीमा योजना को जीवन बीमा निगम में मिलाने की योजना का ब्यौरा क्या है; और
- (ख) इन दोनों के मिल जाने से कितने खर्च की बचत का अनुमान है ?

‡[Merger of postal life insurance scheme with the L.I.C.

- 195. SHRI V. M. CHORDIA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:
- (a) the details of the scheme for the merger of the postal life insurance scheme with the Life Insurance Corporation; and
- (b) the estimated amount of expenditure likely to be saved on account of the merger ?]

संचार विभाग में उपमंती (श्री बी० भगवती): (क) डाक जीवन बीमा को जीवन बीमा निगम में मिलाने की कोई योजना सरकार के विचाराधीन नहीं है। कुछ समय पूर्व इस प्रस्ताव की जांच की गई थी और यह निश्चय किया गया था कि इस योजना को अलग ही रखना सरकारी कर्मचारियों के हित में होगा और यदि इसे मिला दिया गया तो डाक जीवन बीमा के बीमेदारों को जो कुछ मुविधाएं इस समय उपलब्ध हैं, वे वापम ले ली जायेंगी।

(ख) डाक जीवन बीमा की व्यवस्था पर होने वाला समूचा खर्चा डाक जीवन बीमा निधि के नामे लिखा जाता है । अतः खर्च

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^[] English translation.