

However, a copy of the memorandum seeking the support of Non-Aligned Nations Conference held in Cairo in October, 1964 was made available to the Government of India, and a copy of the same memorandum was handed over to all the Delegations, including Indian Delegation in Cairo.

(b) The question was not discussed at the Cairo Conference. The Government of India believe that these difficulties could best be resolved through direct negotiations between the parties concerned.

UNOFFICIAL COMMONWEALTH RELATIONS CONFERENCE

/SHRI KRISHAN DUTT : \ SHRI P. ABRAHAM :

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that an "Unofficial Commonwealth Relations Conference" was held in New Delhi in the second week of January, 1965;

(b) if so, the names of the countries which sponsored that Conference and what were the objects of the Conference; and

(c) who were the members of the Indian delegation at the Conference ?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SARDAR SWARAN SINGH) : (a) Yes.

(b) The Commonwealth Relations Conference is generally held once in five years by rotation in different Commonwealth countries. The Conference in Delhi was held under the auspices of the Indian Council of World Affairs. Discussion on matters of mutual interest on various international events and their bearing on the Commonwealth take place in these Conferences;

(c) The Indian delegation consisted of the following persons :

(1) SHRI Asoka Mehta, Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission;

(2) SHRI N. V. Gadgil, Vice-Chancellor, Poona University;

(3) Dr. P. S. Lokanathan, Director General, National Council of Applied Economic Research;

(4) Lt.-Gen. Kalwant Singh;

(5) Dr. Mohan Singh Mehta, Vice-Chancellor, University of Rajasthan;

(6) Mr. Frank Anthony, M.P. (Lok Sabha);

(7) Shri S. N. Mishra, M.P. (Rajya Sabha);

(8) Shri G. S. Pathak, M.P. (Rajya Sabha);

(9) Lt.-Gen. P. S. Gyani;

(10) Mr. Frank Monies, Editor, Indian Express.

(11) Shri S. P. Godrej, Hony. Secretary, Bombay Branch of Indian Council of World Affairs;

(12) Dr. P. N. Dhar, Director, Institute of Economic Growth;

(13) Dr. Rashid Ahmed Khan, Head of Department, Political Science, Osmania University;

(14) Shri Sisir Gupta, Research Secretary, Indian Council of World Affairs; and

(15) Mrs. Dharma Kumar, Director of Studies, Common Market Project, Indian Council of World Affairs.

PRIME MINISTER'S MEETING WITH THE KING OF BHUTAN

f SHRI S. C. DEB : 160. <j SHRI JAGAT NARAIN : I SHRI D. THENGAR I :

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state the subjects that were discussed between the Prime Minister and King of Bhutan at their meeting held in Calcutta on the 11th and 12th January, 1965?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SARDAR SWARAN SINGH) : The meeting between the King of Bhutan

and our Prime Minister in Calcutta was availed of for a free and informal, general exchange of views between them. There was no specific agenda for this meeting. Bhutan's development needs were discussed. It will be recalled that the Government of India have undertaken to finance Bhutan's Five Year Plan (1961—66) in its entirety.

विदेशों में किराये पर लिये गये भवन

161. श्री विमलकुमार मन्नालालजी चौरड़िया : क्या वैदेशिक कार्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) ऐसे कौन-कौन से देश हैं जहाँ भारतीय दूतावासों ने भवन किराये पर ले रखे हैं किन्तु जिनके किराये-नामे 31 दिसम्बर, 1964 तक नहीं लिखे गये थे ;

(ख) उपरोक्त भवन किस-किस तारीख से कब्जे में हैं, और

(ग) किराये-नामे न लिखे जाने के क्या कारण हैं ?

"[BUIU)NCS ON RENT IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES

161. SHRI V. M. CHORDIA: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) the names of the countries where buildings have been taken on rent by the Indian diplomatic missions but the rent-deeds of the same were not executed up to the 31st December, 1964;

(b) the date from which the said buildings have been in occupation; and

(c) the reasons for not executing the rent-deeds ?]

वैदेशिक कार्य मंत्री (सरदार स्वर्ण सिंह) :

(क) से (ग) सूचना इकट्ठी की जा रही है और सदन की मंजूरी पर रख दी जाएगी।

t[THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SARDAR SWARAN SINGH): (a)

to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.]

टेलीफोन की वर्कशापों में एबोनाइट तथा बेकेलाइट

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

(क) टेलीफोन की किन-किन वर्कशापों में कितने-कितने रुपयों का एबोनाइट तथा बेकेलाइट 31 मार्च, 1964 को स्टॉक में था ;

(ख) उपरोक्त भाग (क) में उल्लिखित वस्तुएं कितने-कितने सालों से स्टॉक में पड़ी हैं; और

(ग) उक्त वस्तुओं के कब तक उपयोग में आने की संभावना है ?

T[EBONITE AND BAKEUTE IN TELEPHONE WORKSHOPS 162. SHRI V. M. CHORDIA : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) the names of the telephone workshops, where ebonite and bakelite were in stock as on the 31st March, 1964 and what was their value at each of the workshops-;

(b) for how many years each of the articles mentioned in part (a) above, has been in stock; and

(c) by when the above articles are likely to be used ?]

संचार विभाग में उपमंत्री (श्री बी० भगवती) : (क), से (ग) सूचना इकट्ठी की जा रही है और उसे यथाशीघ्र सभा पटल पर रख दिया जाएगा।

1[THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI B. BHAGAVATI): (a) to (c) The in-

t[] English translation.