

(c) the number of houses built by each of them?]

**निर्माण, आवास और संचरण मंत्री  
(श्री मेहर चन्द खन्ना) :** (क) से (ग)  
अभीष्ट जानकारी साथ लगे विवरण में दी  
गई है। [देखिये परिशिष्ट ४०, अनुपत्र सख्या  
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t[THE MINISTER OF WORKS, HOUSING  
AND SUPPLY (SHRI MEHR CHAND KHANNA):  
(a) to (c). The attached statement gives the  
required information. (See Appendix XL, An-  
nexure No. 62.)]

PASSPORTS ISSUED TO SCHEDULED CASTES  
PERSONS FOR U.K.

679. SHRI B. K. GAIKWAD: Will the  
PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of applications  
received during the period from the 1st  
January, 1962 to 30th June, 1962, from  
Scheduled Castes persons for the issue of  
passports for the United Kingdom for  
technical training after passing their  
Matriculation Examination;

(b) how many of them were issued  
passports;

(c) the total number of matriculates from  
non-Scheduled Castes communities who  
applied for passports for the United Kingdom  
for technical and other education since  
January, 1962 to June, 1962; and

(d) how many of them were refused  
passports?

THE PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER  
OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI  
JAWAHARLAL NEHRU): (a) The information is  
not available with the Government as the  
Passport Issuing Authorities do not maintain  
statistics by caste of passport applications re-  
ceived and passports granted. There

is also no provision in the existing rules  
relating to the grant of passports calling upon  
an applicant to declare his/her Caste.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

**प्रेस सूचना विभाग के सूचना केन्द्र में स्थित  
बुक स्टाल**

६८०. श्री नवाबसिंह चौहान : क्या  
सूचना तथा प्रसारण मन्त्री यह बताने की  
कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) प्रेस सूचना विभाग के दिल्ली  
स्थित सूचना केन्द्र में चल रहे बुक स्टाल में  
कितने कर्मचारी काम करते हैं और उन पर  
वेतन के रूप में प्रति मास कितना खर्च  
होता है ;

(ख) अब तक इस स्टाल पर कुल  
मिलाकर कितना खर्च हो चुका है और वहां  
कितनी व कितने मूल्य की पुस्तकें बिकीं और  
लागत इत्यादि काट कर इन पुस्तकों की  
बिक्री से सरकार को कितना लाभ हुआ ;  
और

(ग) स्टाल में काम करने वाले कर्म-  
चारियों के अतिरिक्त सूचना केन्द्र में और  
कितने कर्मचारी काम करते हैं व इनका कुल  
मासिक वेतन कितना होता है ?

t [BOOKSTALL RUN IN THE INFORMATION  
CENTRE OF P.I.B.

680. SHRI NAWAB SINGH CHAU-HAN:  
Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND  
BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) the number of employees working in  
the Bookstall that is being run in the  
Information Centre of the P.I.B. in Delhi and  
what monthly expenditure is incurred on them  
by way of their salaries;

t [ ] English translation,