

SHRI A. B. VAJPAYEE: Is it a fact that some misunderstanding has developed among the participating countries in regard to the working of this Organisation and, if so, what is the nature of that misunderstanding?

SHRIMATI LAKSHMI MENON: No, Sir; there has been no misunderstanding at all. Originally the scheme was only for three years, because the United States Government could not make any commitment for more than three years. Then it was extended to four years, and now they find that the procedures are too difficult to fulfil the project rapidly under these circumstances.

SHRI A. B. VAJPAYEE: May I know whether any other organisation is going to be set up 'for the completion of the work left over'?

SHRIMATI LAKSHMI MENON: It is decided that hereafter bilateral agreements will be made instead of tripartite agreements and if any countries want to participate, there will be separate agreements.

SHRI A. D. MANI: What are the liabilities of the Organisation? The Minister referred to the liabilities.

SHRIMATI LAKSHMI MENON: The liability is with regard to the residuary amount that is still unspent. That will be calculated. I do not know exactly what the liabilities are.

ESTABLISHMENT OF EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCILS ON REGIONAL BASIS

*683. SHRI A. B. VAJPAYEE: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state whether there is a proposal under Government's consideration to establish export promotion councils for selected regions, particularly for the regions with which India has a large adverse balance of trade at present and where markets are fast expanding?

THE MINISTER OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI MANUBHAI SHAH): An Export Promotion Council for Trade with Europe is being set up.

SHRI A. B. VAJPAYEE: May I know whether any other Councils are proposed to be set up with a view to promoting our export with countries with which we have adverse trade at present?

SHRI MANUBHAI SHAH: The general scheme of things that we are pursuing is to organise our efforts for five broad regions of the world, (1) for Latin America and the United States, (2) for the European continent including the United Kingdom, (3) for the East European countries, (4) for the African and Arab countries and (5) for the South East Asia and Asiatic countries. We are starting with the Export Promotion Council for Europe here and gradually we shall cover all the countries with such Councils and in all the regional posts we are trying to appoint very high-level officers, one in charge of each of these continents as Regional Director of Foreign Trade.

भारत में बसे तिब्बतियों के बारे में ल्हासा के सिनेमा-घरों में दिखाई गई फिल्में

***६८४. श्री ए० बी० वाजपेयी : क्या प्रधानमंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :**

(क) क्या यह सच है कि ल्हासा के सिनेमा घरों में ऐसी फिल्में नियमित रूप से दिखाई जाती हैं जिन में भारत में बसे हुए तिब्बती उद्वासित को अत्यन्त दयनीय दशा में चित्रित किया गया है ; और

(ख) क्या सरकार ने इस बात की कोई जांच की है कि भारत में बसे हुए तिब्बतियों के चित्र चीनी कैसे ले सके ; और यदि की है, तो उस का क्या परिणाम निकला ?