

Research Station proposed to be established under the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research;

(b) when this work is expected to be completed; and

(c) what is its estimated cost?

THE MINISTER FOR NATURAL RESOURCES (SHRI K. D. MALAVIYA): (a) The plan and the programme of work for the Station have been approved by the Governing Body of the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research.

(b) By 1959.

(c) Approximately Rs. 40 lakhs non-recurring, and Rs. 27 lakhs recurring spread over a period of five years.

COMMONWEALTH PRISONS' INSPECTORS' GENERAL COURSE

*166. SHRI N. C. SEKHAR: Will the Minister for HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state;

(a) whether any delegate from India took part in the Commonwealth Prisons' Inspectors' General Course held in London in June 1955;

(b) if so, who was the delegate and what was the particular course if any, which he attended; and

(c) whether any report regarding the Course has been submitted to Government?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI B. N. DATAR): (a) Yes.

(b) Shri A. V. John, Inspector General of Prisons, Travancore-Cochin attended the Overseas Prison Services Study Course held in London in June 1955.

(c) No.

COLLEGES OF MUSIC IN DIFFERENT PARTS OF INDIA

*171. DR. RAGHUBIR SINH: Will the Minister for EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Sangeet Natak Akadami proposes to set up colleges of music in different parts of India;

(b) if so, where are the colleges proposed to be located and what particular schools of music are they expected to specialise in; and

(c) whether any of them have by now started functioning?

THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH (MAULANA ABUL KALAM AZAD): (a) For the present there is no such proposal.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Does not arise.

APPOINTMENT OF A COMMISSION FOR PROMOTING THE STUDY OF SANSKRIT

*172. DR. RAGHUBIR SINH: Will the Minister for EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to set up a Sanskrit Commission to recommend the ways and means for promoting the study of Sanskrit; and

(b) if so, when any definite step in this direction is likely to be taken?

THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH (MAULANA ABUL KALAM AZAD): (a) and (b). The matter is under consideration.

OVERSTAYAL IN INDIA BY FOREIGN TOURISTS

*173. SHFIMATI VIOLET ALVA: Will the Minister for HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any foreign nationals who came to India as tourists during