

EXPENDITURE ON REHABILITATION

138. DR. R. P. DUBE: Will the Minister for REHABILITATION be pleased to state:

(a) the distribution under major heads of accounts of the estimated expenditure of Rs. 50-70 crores for the next two years for the rehabilitation of displaced persons mentioned at page 4 of the Report of the Ministry of Rehabilitation for 1953-54;

(b) the estimated amount required for their complete rehabilitation; and

(c) the year in which their rehabilitation is likely to be completed?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR REHABILITATION (SHRI J. K. BHONSLE): (a) A statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha. [See Appendix VIII, Annexure No. 98.]

(b) and (c). The level up to which the economic recovery of the individual should have taken place before he can be said to have been completely rehabilitated is not easy to define and so far no such definition has been suggested or worked out. Consequently, it is not possible to estimate expenditure required for complete rehabilitation or to indicate the time by which the work is likely to be completed.

PURCHASE OF INDIAN ASSEMBLED MOTOR CARS AND TRUCKS BY MINISTRIES

139. SHRI M. VALIULLA: Will the Minister for COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that instructions were issued in 1952-53 to the various Ministries that as far as possible motor cars and trucks to be purchased by them should be those assembled in India;

(b) the number of motor cars and trucks purchased by the various Ministries since the issue of those instructions; and

(c) how many of them were assembled in India?

THE MINISTER FOR COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI T. T. KRISHNA-MACHARI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). Fourteen cars and 2,607 trucks have so far been purchased since 1st April 1952. Except one, all of them were assembled in the country.

INDIANS IN CEYLON

140. SHRI M. VALIULLA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state the number of Indians and persons of Indian origin at present residing in Ceylon?

THE PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS AND DEFENCE (SHRI JAWAHARLAL NEHRU): 983,304, according to the census of March 1953.

141. [Withdrawn.]

NON-GAZETTED STAFF EMPLOYED IN THE OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY CONTROLLER OF STATIONERY, CALCUTTA

142. KAZI KARIMUDDIN: Will the Minister for WORKS, HOUSING AND SUPPLY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of non-gazetted employees recruited and retrenched in each quarter in 1953 and in 1954 in the Office of the Deputy Controller of Printing and Stationery, Calcutta,

(b) what has been the total number of employees of non-gazetted rank in that office during the above period; and

(c) how many of them are quasi-permanent and how many are temporary?

THE MINISTER FOR WORKS, HOUSING AND SUPPLY (SARDAR SWARAN SINGH): (a) to (c). A statement is placed on the Table of the Sabha. [See Appendix VIII, Annexure No. 99.]

PERSONS EXTRADITED FROM INDIA TO NEPAL AND vice versa

143. SHRI M. VALIULLA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state: