

**OVER-HAULING OF FOREIGN AEROPLANES
AND AERO-ENGINES BY HINDUSTAN
AIRCRAFT LTD.**

59. **SHRI M. VALIULLA:** Will the Minister for DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Hindustan Aircraft Limited has any advice from the Centre as to the overhauling of aeroplanes and aero-engines belonging to foreign countries; and

(b) whether any British or French aeroplane operating in Malaya or Indo-China was brought to the Hindustan Aircraft Ltd., for overhaul within the last two years?

THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE ORGANISATION (SHRI MAHAVIR TYAGI): (a) Hindustan Aircraft Limited invariably consult the Government of India in such matters.

(b) No, Sir.

**EXAMINATION OF ANCIENT MONUMENTS BY
THE ARCHAEOLOGICAL CHEMIST**

60. **SHRI M. VALIULLA:** Will the Minister for EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of monuments of national importance examined by the Archaeological Chemist in 1952-53; and

(b) the work done by him at each of these monuments?

THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH (MAULANA ABUL KALAM AZAD): (a) 39.

(b) A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [See Appendix VI, Annexure No. 32.]

**ACCEPTANCE OF THREE FRIGATES FROM THE
BRITISH NAVY**

61. **SHRI M. VALIULLA:** Will the Minister for DEFENCE be pleased to state the expenditure incurred so far by the Government of India on the three frigates obtained on loan from the British Admiralty?

THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE ORGANISATION (SHRI MAHAVIR TYAGI): Rs. 117 lakhs for the three ships.

EXPENDITURE ON THE HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHY (EASTERN AND WESTERN)

62. **DR. KALIDAS NAG:** Will the Minister for EDUCATION be pleased to state the money that was spent by Government on the compilation and publication of the History of Philosophy (Eastern and Western)?

THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH (MAULANA ABUL KALAM AZAD): The total expenditure has been Rs. 30,184. Government have already received an amount of Rs. 5,468 by way of royalties from the publishers and further payments are expected.

**SCHEME TO TEACH HINDI TO NON-HINDI
EMPLOYEES IN THE SECRETARIAT**

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

(a) the details of the scheme of the Education Ministry to teach Hindi to the non-Hindi speaking employees in the Secretariat;

(b) the number of Hindi classes which are being conducted in New Delhi under this scheme;

(c) the number of persons who have benefited from them so far and how many are attending the classes at present; and

(d) the amount which have so far been spent on the scheme?

THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH (MAULANA ABUL KALAM AZAD): (a) to (d). A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement

(a) With a view to teach Hindi to non-Hindi knowing Central Government employees and to provide facilities to them for learning simple Hindi expeditiously, it was decided