which the issues pertaining to National Integration are discussed. The valuable suggestions/recommendations of the Council are sent to all concerned for suitable action.

## CBI probing role of Maoists/Naxalites in violence at Maruti factory at Manesar

1155. SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the Central Bureau of Investigation has been ordered to probe the role of Maoists/Naxalites in the violence at the Maruti factory in Manesar near Gurgaon, Haryana;
- (b) if so, the reasons *prima facie* for suspecting a Maoist/Naxalite hand in the violence and murder of the General Manager; and
- (c) whether such Maoists/Naxalites operating in rural, tribal and urban areas are integrated into a network or operating independently of each other?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI JITENDRA SINGH): (a) and (b) The Government of India has not ordered an investigation by the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) into the violence at the Maruti factory in Manesar in Gurgaon, Haryana. There is no intelligence/information to suggest that the violence in the Maruti factory was instigated by the Left Wing Extremists. However, subsequent to the incident, a number of 'front organizations' of the banned CPI (Maoist) party as well as organizations sympathetic to the said outfit like the Mehnatkash Mazdoor Morcha, Democratic Students Union, People's Democratic Front of India, Committee for Release of Political Prisoners, etc. have organized demonstrations/agitations supporting the cause of the workers of the Maruti factory. Their objective is essentially to exploit the situation to gain a foot-hold among the working class in the National Capital Region (NCR).

(c) The CPI (Maoist) is the largest Left Wing Extremist Organization operating in India. The CPI (Maoist) vision for its so called 'protracted people's war' against the Indian State is elucidated in its strategy paper titled 'Strategy and Tactics of the Indian Revolution'. Briefly stated, this document contains a comprehensive plan of action to capture political power and usher in a so called 'New Democratic Revolution' in India. The strategy for 'New Democratic Revolution' is a combination of military and political

tactics involving the creation of 'base areas' (liberated areas) in the countryside and gradual encirclement and capture of the urban areas. This objective is sought to be achieved through armed warfare by the 'People's Liberation Guerilla Army' cadres of the CPI (Maoist), political mobilization through its 'front organizations' and alliances with other insurgent outfits active in different parts of India, which in CPI (Maoist) parlance is called the 'Strategic United Front'.

The strategy of CPI (Maoist) for urban areas is documented in a paper titled 'Urban Perspective'. Briefly stated, the strategy for urban areas of the country includes mobilization and organization of the working classes, building a united front of classes similarly placed to the working classes and military tactics involving sabotage actions and select assassinations by 'action teams'.

It is clear from the above facts that the CPI (Maoist) have a plan of action which integrates their activities into a Pan-Indian framework. However, till now, they have failed to make any significant headway in the urban areas of India primarily on account of the revulsion of the urban population towards mindless violence and atrocities perpetrated by the Maoists in their strongholds in Central India. It is pertinent to mention that since the year 2001, the Maoists have killed 5665 civilians and 2036 security forces personnel in the country.

## Missing children in metro cities

†1156. SHRIMATI MAYA SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether an increase in the case of missing/disappearance of children has been registered in the country and more than 50 cases of missing of children in just one week have been registered especially in Delhi;
- (b) whether it is a fact that incidents of missing of children in metro cities outnumber small cities; and
- (c) the details of number of such missing/disappeared children traced by Delhi Police during last three years and information received by investigation agencies from these children?

<sup>†</sup> Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.