प्रवान बंदो (भी बोरारकी वैसाई):
(क) ग्रोर (ब). राष्ट्रीय व्यावहारिक ग्राधिक ग्रनुसंग्रान परिषद्(एन सी ए ई ग्रार) की कम्बाइन हार्बेस्टर्स के उपयोग से संबंधित एक रिपोर्ट की परीक्षा करने के लिए ग्रीर श्रीमकों के विस्थापन सहित ग्रन्य सभी संबंध पहलुग्रों को व्यान में रखते हुए पांचवीं योजना की भवधि में देस के कतिपय क्षेत्रों में इन हार्बेस्टरों की संबावित जरूरत पर विचार करने के लिए योजना ग्रायोग ने एक समिति बनाई थी।

समिति की रिपोर्ट, जो मांतरिक कार्य संबंधी दस्तावेज है, मधी विचाराधीन है। इसी बीच समिति ने यह विचार व्यक्त किया है कि कृषि क्षेत्र में प्रधिकाधिक रोजगार के भवसर उपलब्ध कराने की दृष्टि से कम्बाइन हार्वेस्टर्स का भीर भ्रायात न किया जाए।

दूरदर्शन की परिवहन यूनिटों के कार्यकरण की आंच

522. श्री नवाब सिंह चौहांन: क्या सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री दूरदेशन की परिवहन यूनिटो के कार्यकरण की जांच के बारे में 20 जुलाई, 1977 के श्रतारांकित प्रश्न संख्या 4156 के उत्तर के संबंध में यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

- (क) दूरदर्शन के परिवहन विभाग के कार्यों की जो जाचं चल रही है, उसमें इस बीच क्या प्रगति हुई है और दोषी अधिकारियों के विरुद्ध क्या कार्यवाही की जा रही है; भीर
- (ख) ऐसे ग्रधिकारियों के नाम क्या है ग्रीर दूरदर्शन में वे किस किस पद पर हैं?

सूचना ग्रीर प्रसारण मंत्री (श्री लाल कृष्ण ग्रहवाणी): (क) 20 जुलाई, 1977 के ग्रातारांकित प्रश्न संख्या 4156 के उत्तर में उल्लिखित जिन 9 मिन्नकारियों के विरुद्ध विभागीय कार्यवाहियां शुरू की गईं थीं, उनमें से एक भ्रराजपितत भ्रधिकारी के विरुद्ध अनुशासनात्मक कार्रवाई पूरी हो चुकी है भीर उसकी बड़ा दण्ड दिया जा चुका है। शेष 8 भ्रधिकारियों के विरुद्ध विभागीय कार्यवाहिया चल रही हैं।

(ख) उपरि उल्लिखित 9 प्रधिकारियों में एक केन्द्र निदेशक, एक सहाजक केन्द्र निदेशक, एक सहाजक केन्द्र निदेशक, दो कार्यक्रम एकजींक्यूटिव, एक प्रोड्यूसरग्रेड-2, 2 ट्रांसमिशन एक्जिंक्यूटिव और दो क्लर्क ग्रेड-1 हैं।

LAW AND ORDER IN DELHI

523. SHRI AHMED M. PATEL:
SHRI SUKHDEO PRASAD
VERMA:
SHRI BRIJ RAJ SINGH:
SHRI SIVAJI PATNAIK:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government are aware that law and order situation in the Union Territory of Delhi has further deteriorated during the period from August to October, 1977:
- (b) if so, the number of bad elements arrested during the above period; and
- (c) the measure taken by the Government to normalise the law and order situation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI DHANIK LAL MANDAL): (a) While the number of crimes under certain heads has shown an increase, under certain other heads it has shown decrease.

- (b) 8048.
- (c) With a view to control the crimes and improve the law and order situation, the following steps have been taken by the Delhi Administration:—
 - (1) Patrolling has been intensified particularly in the crime-affected areas.
 - (2) General Gasht is being done in the districts with an element of surprise for criminals by changing its timings and dates.

- (3) Pickets are being detailed at vulnerable points as preventive measures.
- (4) Externment proceedings are being stepped up against habitual offenders and District Ss. P. are paying personal attention to this.
- (5) Frequent drives against antisocial elements are being carried.
- (6) Mohalla Committees at Thana level are being constituted to improve law and order situation.
- (7) S.D.Ms. are patrolling the area frequently.

Hijacking of DTC Buses by Students

524. SHRI AHMED M. PATEL: SHRI SUKHDEO PRASAD VERMA: SHRI D.B. CHANDRE GOWDA: SHRI ISWAR CHAUDHRY:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of D.T.C. buses hijacked by the students in Delhi during the period from August to October, 1977;
- (b) what were the demands of the students:
- (c) the total loss incurred as a result thereof; and
- (d) the action taken by Government to meet their demands?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT (SHRICHAND RAM): (a) Thirty-five.

- (b) The demands mainly related to introduction of additional services, augmentation of existing services, provision of new stops and queue shelters, posting of of traffic supervisory staff at bus stops, and opening of pass issue counters in colleges.
 - (c) About Rs. 5,635.
- (d) For dealing with the demands of the students, the Delhi Administration have set up an Apex Committee consisting of representatives of the University of Delhi, Delhi University Student's Union, Delhi Administration, Police Deptt. and Delhi Transport Corporation. This Committee has already held a series of meetings. It received 275 demands from various colleges concerning the services of

the Corporation. Action on 176 demands has already been taken by the Corporation by providing additional trips, diversion of certain routes and extension of a few services. The other demands have not been implemented as they were not in the interest of the general public and were likely to have an adverse effect on the operational efficiency of the Corporation.

The Corporation has also set up a "Grievances Cell" to deal with the demands of students. A number of officers have also been deputed by it to establish rapport with students.

Momorandum from All India Power Engineers Federation on Power Crisis

525. SHRI AHMED M. PATEL: SHRI SUKHDEO PRASAD VERMA:

Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the All India Power Engineers Federation has submitted any memorandum to Government in regard to the severe power crisis in the country in the near future; and
- (b) if so, steps taken by Government to meet the crisis?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRIP.RAMACHANDRAN):(a) Yes,

(b) A number of steps are being taken to improve power availability in the country. In the short term, efforts are being concentrated on maximising generation from available capacity, transfer of power from surplus to deficit areas wherever possible, ensuring distribution of available energy according to national priorities and expediting commissioning of projects in advanced stages of construction. Multi teams comprising experts disciplinary from Central Electricity Authority, equip-ment manufacturers and State Electricity Boards have been inspecting power plants which are performing below normal, to identify problems and recommend timebound rectification measures. Information systems for monitoring of projects under construction, and power stations in operation have been set-up to provide feedback to all the decision making levels to enable corrective measures to be taken promptly. The Electricity (Supply) Act has been amended to strengthen the structure of the Electricity supply industry at the Central, Regional and State levels.

In the long-term perspective, projects which will yield benefits within the next five to seven years have been identified and