

**Murder of Indian Family in Kenya**

490. SHRI AHMED M. PATEL:

SHRI B. P. JADEJA:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that an Asian family in Nairobi has been found murdered in the home;

(b) the number of persons murdered;

(c) what are the causes of the murder;

(d) whether any enquiry has been conducted by the Kenya Government;

(e) if so, the result of the enquiry; and

(f) whether Indian Government has sent any protest note to the Kenya Government?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P. V. NARASIMHA RAO): (a) and (b). Three Asians were found murdered in Nairobi on 10th April, 1980. They were Mr. J. P. Patel, his wife and niece holding Kenyan and British passports.

(c) The motive of murder is suspected to have been robbery.

(d) and (e). Yes Sir, The Kenyan authorities are continuing their investigations.

(f) Does not arise; none of the victims was holder of Indian passport.

**Rakes for Small-scale Industries**

491. SHRI SUDHIR KUMAR GIRI:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state the State-wise number of rakes allotted monthly for the movement of raw materials for the small scale industries during the last three years month-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI C. K. JAFFER SHARIEF): Information in regard to the movement of raw materials to the Small

Scale industries is not being compiled by the Railways and it is difficult to collect this information readily. However, the concerned railway authorities have instructions to assist the industries which approach them for assistance in the movement of raw materials required by them.

कोरबा से छत्तीसगढ़ एक्सप्रेस का चलाया जाना

492. श्री नन्द किशोर शर्मा : क्या रेल मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार को कोई ऐसा प्रस्ताव मिला है जिसमें छत्तीसगढ़ एक्सप्रेस को बिलासपुर की बजाय कोरबा से चलाने की मांग की गई है;

(ख) इस बारे में निर्णय कब तक ले लिए जाने की सम्भावना है;

(ग) क्या इस सुझाव को कार्यरूप देने के लिए सरकार को अतिरिक्त खर्च वहन करना पड़ेगा; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो कितना अतिरिक्त खर्च वहन करना पड़ेगा ?

रेल मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री सी० के० जाफर शरीफ) . (क) जी हां ।

(ख) 137/138 हजरत निजामुद्दीन-बिलासपुर छत्तीसगढ़ एक्सप्रेस को कोरबा तक से बढ़ाने का यातायात सम्बन्धी कोई औचित्य नहीं है ।

(ग) जी हां ।

(घ) 137/138 हजरत निजामुद्दीन बिलासपुर छत्तीसगढ़ को कोरबा तक से बढ़ाने के यातायात सम्बन्धी औचित्य न होने के तथ्य को ध्यान में रखते हुए प्रश्न नहीं उठता, क्योंकि इससे प्रतिदिन 7000 रुपये से अधिक की अनुमानित हानि होगी ।

**Inter-Island ferry service in Andaman and Nicobar Islands**

493. SHRI MANORAJAN BHAKTA: Will the Minister of SHIPPING AND TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the inter-Island ferry service in the Union