

**Mr. Speaker:** Shri S. N. Chaturvedi.

**Shri M. C. Chagla:** If they want any action to be taken, they must report to us.

**Shri Bhagwat Jha Azad:** Was it not possible. . . .

**Mr. Speaker:** No private conversations may be carried on. Unless I allow the question it need not be answered.

**Shri S. N. Chaturvedi:** May I know whether a complaint of the same nature was made to the Inter-University Board, that it took such a long time, about seven years, for a university to revise its syllabus, that by that time it becomes out of date?

**Shri M. C. Chagla:** I do not find that as one of the seven items that I have got here.

श्री शिव नारायण : बोर्ड की मीटिंग में कुछ रुपया गवर्नमेंट ने भी दिया है खर्च करने के लिए ?

श्री मु० क० चागला : जहाँ तक मैं जानता हूँ गवर्नमेंट इसका कुछ रुपया नहीं देती है ।

#### Hindi Medium in Union Public Service Commission Examinations

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- \*418. { Shri Warrior:  
Shri Vasudevan Nair:  
Shri Daji:  
Shri Sidheshwar Prasad:  
Shri M. L. Dwivedi:  
Shrimati Savitri Nigam:  
Shri Prakash Vir Shastri:  
Shri S. C. Samanta:  
Shri Vishwa Nath Pandey:

Will the Minister of **Home Affairs** be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 637 on the 18th December, 1963 and state:

(a) whether the question of introducing Hindi as medium of U.P.S.C. examinations has been finalised; and

(b) if so, the nature of decision arrived at?

**The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri L. N. Mishra):** (a) and (b). The question is still under consideration in consultation with the Union Public Service Commission.

**Shri Warrior:** Last time the Minister was pleased to say that he will con-**Mishra):** (a) and (b). The question is the propagation of Hindi and come to a decision soon. May I know whether that action has been taken by the Minister?

**The Minister of Home Affairs (Shri Nanda):** Yes, Sir.

**Shri Warrior:** With what result?

**Shri Nanda:** Well, we contacted some of the hon. Members interested in the subject, and they have been among themselves considering it, and some further consultations are to take place.

**Shri Vasudevan Nair:** When the Government is thinking of introducing Hindi as a medium of examination for the UPSC, may I know whether they have taken into consideration the various representations made that the regional languages also should be made media of examination for the UPSC?

**Shri Nanda:** That was considered, and it was not found to be feasible.

**Mr. Speaker:** Shrimati Savitri Nigam; Shri Prakash Vir Shastri.

श्री प्रकाशवीर शास्त्री : संविधान की मान्यता के अनुसार १९६५ में केन्द्र में हिन्दी मुख्य राजभाषा बन जाएगी । मैं जानना चाहता हूँ कि क्या १९६५ के बाद संघ लोक सेवा आयोग में हिन्दी को वैकल्पिक माध्यम या किसी तरह का माध्यम बनाने के सम्बन्ध में विचार किया जा रहा है ?

श्री नन्दा : विचार हो रहा है और इसके लिए कदम उठाये जा रहे हैं ।

श्री प्रकाशवीर शास्त्री : १९६५ से जब मुख्य भाषा हिन्दी बन जाएगी . . .

अध्यक्ष महोदय : आर्डर, आर्डर ।  
श्री एच० एन० मुकर्जी ।

**Shri H. N. Mukerjee:** In view of the recommendation made by the Parliamentary Committee on Languages as early as 1958 that along with Hindi the other regional languages might very well be the medium of examination and that an expert examination of a system of moderation would be made before a decision is taken, may I know whether Government have completed that expert examination on the basis of which it is decided against the regional languages other than Hindi?

**Shri Nanda:** We have not completed the expert examination regarding Hindi.

श्री सिद्धेश्वर प्रसाद : परीक्षा के माध्यम अथवा वैकल्पिक माध्यम के रूप में हिन्दी के प्रश्न पर विचार करने के लिए क्या कोई समिति नियुक्त की गई है या सरकार अपने तौर पर विचार कर रही है जिसकी वजह से इतनी देरी हो रही है ?

**Shri Nanda:** There have been consultations with the Union Public Service Commission, and whatever requirements they have mentioned for the purpose of facilitating this change, we are trying to meet.

डा० गोविन्द दास : क्या यह सही नहीं है कि इस सम्बन्ध में पार्लियामेंटरी कमेटी ने १९५८ में अपना निर्णय किया था और उसके बाद सन् १९६० में राष्ट्रपति का इस सम्बन्ध में आदेश भा निकला और हमारे भूतपूर्व गृह मन्त्रा स्वर्गीय पंडित पन्त जाने भा इस सम्बन्ध में आश्वासन दिया था, शास्त्री जा ने भा दिया था ? चार वर्ष इस बात को

व्यतीत हो चुके हैं । मैं जानना चाहता हूँ कि आखिर इस पर विचार करने में कितना समय और लगेगा ?

श्री नन्दा : इस प्रश्न में बहुत से प्रश्न पूछे गए हैं और उनका जवाब दिया गया है ।

श्री विश्वनाथ पांडेय : क्या गृह मन्त्रालय ने कोई निर्णय किया है कि कब तक हिन्दी को वैकल्पिक विषय के रूप में लोक सेवा आयोग में लागू कर दिया जाएगा ?

श्री नन्दा : मैं इसका जवाब दे चुका हूँ ।

**Mr. Speaker:** Shri M. L. Dwivedi.

**Shrimati Savitri Nigam** rose—

**Mr. Speaker:** I called her. She did not stand up.

**Shrimati Savitri Nigam:** I could not hear.

**Mr. Speaker:** Either there is some fault with my voice or her ears! Shri Dwivedi.

श्री म० ला० द्विवेदी : मैं जानना चाहता हूँ कि क्या यह सत्य है कि गृह मन्त्रालय ने इस बारे में नियुक्त पब्लिक सर्विस कमीशन को जो पत्र लिखा था वह गाल मटाल था और उसमें अब तक कोई स्पष्ट बातें नहीं कही गईं जबकि उनको हिन्दी के माध्यम से परीक्षा लेने की तैयारी करने में एक साल लग जायेगा ।

श्री नन्दा : यह सही नहीं है ।

श्री अ० प्र० शर्मा : जैसा कुछ दिन पहले भूतपूर्व मन्त्री जी ने आश्वासन दिया था इस सदन में, जो सर्वाडिनेट सर्विसेज हैं, खास कर रेलवे में, जहाँ पर काम रीजनल बेसिस पर होता है, विशेषकर बिहार और उत्तर प्रदेश में जहाँ कि शिक्षा का माध्यम हिन्दी है, सरकार को क्या कठिनाई है रेलवे के एग्जामिनेशन्स को हिन्दी के माध्यम से करने में ।

**Shri Nanda:** It is beside the point.

श्री राम सेवक यादव : मैं जानना चाहूंगा कि विश्वविद्यालयों के अन्दर जो माध्यम अंग्रेजी है क्या वह इसके मार्ग में बाधक है। यदि हाँ, तो इस आर. मन्त्रालय ने क्या कदम उठाये हैं ?

श्री नन्दा : यह बाधक नहीं है।

**Shri Kapur Singh:** May I know whether the Government realise that the basic question involved here is that of organisation and distribution of political power and not that of the status of a link language and, if so, will the Government bear in mind this aspect of the problem before they come to a final conclusion?

**Shri Nanda:** I could not follow the question.

**Shri Kapur Singh:** I shall repeat it. It is a very important question. Does the Home Minister . . .

**Mr. Speaker:** Ultimately, when all is said, it would amount to a suggestion for action.

**Shri Kapur Singh:** If you will permit me, I shall put it in my own way. It will not amount to a suggestion for action.

**Mr. Speaker:** If he did not put it in his own way earlier, I am sorry.

**Shri Kapur Singh:** I had put it, but the Hon'ble Minister has not been able to follow me. It is not a suggestion for action. I ask for basic information with regard to the appraisals and attitudes of the Government, and without that, we cannot understand what is happening within the Government.

**Mr. Speaker:** Let him put the question.

**Shri Kapur Singh:** I will. My question is, does the Home Minister realise that in this problem which is before him, the real question involved is that of organisation and distribution of political power and not that of the

status of Hindi as a link language. Therefore, will the Government take this aspect of the matter into consideration before coming to a final conclusion?

**Mr. Speaker:** It is a suggestion for action.

**Shri Kapur Singh:** With all respect, it is not a suggestion for action. Please permit him to answer it.

**Mr. Speaker:** He would kindly resume his seat. The question that he put, namely, will the Government take this into consideration when it comes to a final decision, is really a suggestion for action and nothing beyond it.

**Shri Kapur Singh:** The first part of my question is one which is exercising the mind of the whole country and the question is full of potentialities.

**Mr. Speaker:** I do not deny that.

**Shri Kapur Singh:** I want to know whether he is aware of it.

**Mr. Speaker:** Order, order. Shri Venkatasubbaiah.

**Shri P. Venkatasubbaiah:** Before coming to a final decision, may I know whether the Government will ascertain the wishes of the non-Hindi speaking people and call for a conference of the Chief Ministers of the non-Hindi speaking States so that their interests of the non-Hindi speaking people may not be affected?

**Shri Nanda:** This aspect is under consideration.

#### Citizens Grievances

\*419. **Shri Harish Chandra Mathur:** Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have formulated any proposals to deal with citizens' grievances against administration; and

(b) if so, the nature of the proposals?