

Indo-Pakistani conflict imposed on India by the infiltrations from Pakistan-occupied Kashmir. So far as the Government are concerned, the interview has not had any outcome.

### Home Guards in Delhi

804. Shri Shiv Charan Gupta: Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) the total strength of Home Guards sanctioned for Delhi;

(b) the strength of Home Guards as on 31-3-63, 31-3-64, 31-3-65 and 31-7-65;

(c) what is its present strength; and

(d) the steps being taken to make it a task force for various purposes connected with civil defence and law and order?

The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri L. N. Mishra): (a) 11,000.

(b) (i) 3,153.

(ii) 6, 120.

(iii) 7,601.

(iv) 7,699.

(c) 9,047.

(d) Training is being imparted to Home Guards in civil defence duties, such as, Rescue Work, First Aid, Fire Fighting and manning of Control Rooms.

### Re-Development of Kingsway, Delhi

805. Shri Shiv Charan Gupta: Will the Minister of Rehabilitation be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have agreed to finance schemes for the construction of quarters at Gur-ki-mandi and for the re-development of Kingsway locality in Delhi;

(b) the amount Government have agreed to pay to the Municipal Corporation of Delhi for these schemes;

(c) the amount given so far and the amount to be given during 1965-66; and

(d) the present progress of these schemes and when these are likely to be completed?

The Minister of Rehabilitation (Shri Tyagi): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) (i) Gur-ki-Mandi . . . . . Rs. 16.55 Lakhs.

(ii) Redevelopment of Kingsway. . . . . Rs. 190.23 Lakhs.

(c) *Gur-ki-Mandi Re-development of Kingsway*

Amount already paid (payment up- to 1964-65)	Rs. 7.00 Lakhs	Rs. 36.37 Lakhs
Amount provided in B.E. 1965-66	Rs. 4.00 Lakhs	Rs. 20.00 Lakhs

(d) Gur-Ki-Mandi—The Corporation have undertaken construction of 93 tenements out of the total of 170 tenements proposed to be constructed.

These have reached an advanced stage and are likely to be completed by the end of the current financial year. The construction of the remaining 77