

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI SURENDRA PAL SINGH) :
 (a) Government have not received any reports of drilling by Pakistani experts off the shores of Kutch.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Regional Test House For Export Goods

7303. SHRI RAM AVTAR SHARMA : Will the Minister of FOREIGN TRADE AND SUPPLY be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal under consideration of Government to set up a pilot regional test house with the assistance of United Nations Development Programme to test the quality of goods for export;

(b) if so, where it is to be set up and when it will start functioning; and

(c) the details of the function to be performed by this test house ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE AND SUPPLY (SHRI CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). The proposal is in its initial stages of processing.

Supply of Sub-standard Disinfectant

7304. SHRI N. R. DEOGHARE : Will the Minister of FOREIGN TRADE AND SUPPLY be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Central Bureau of Investigation has submitted its report on the investigations regarding the supply of sub-standard disinfectant fluid to Southern Railway and Medical Stores Department by a firm which went into liquidation:

(b) if so, the findings of the C. B. I.; and

(c) if not, when the report is likely to be submitted ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE AND SUPPLY (SHRI CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK) : (a) to (c). C. B. I. have not carried out any investigation into the supplies made by the firm to the Southern Railway and the Medical Stores Department.

P. M. 's Visit to Singapore and Malaysia

7305. SHRI A. SREEDHARAN :
 SHRI K. LAKKAPPA :
 SHRI DEVEN SEN :
 SHRI P. N. SOLANKI :
 SHRI D. R. PARMAR :
 SHRIONKAR LAL BERWA :
 SHRI KIKAR SINGH :
 SHRI YASHPAL SINGH :

Will the Minister of FOREIGN TRADE AND SUPPLY be pleased to state :

(a) whether any Trade Agreement was signed during Prime Minister's visit to Malaysia and Singapore in 1968;

(b) if so, the terms of agreement; and

(c) the details thereof ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE AND SUPPLY (SHRI CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Steps taken To Maintain Emotional Integration

7306. SHRI OM PRAKASH TYAGI :
 SHRI NARAIN SWARUP SHARMA :
 SHRI RAM SWARUP VIDYARTHI :
 SHRI BHARAT SINGH CHAUHAN ;
 SHRI BAL RAJ MADHOK :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government propose to issue directions to the Central and State Cabinets to the effect that no Minister should take part in the organisations and meetings organised to encourage casteism and regionalism with a view to maintain emotional integrity in the country; and

(b) if not, the reasons therefor ?