

[Secretary]

join in the said Joint Committee and communicate to this House the names of members to be appointed by the Lok Sabha to the Joint Committee."

12.43 hrs.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON
OFFICES OF PROFIT
FIRST REPORT

श्री जगन्नाथ राव जोशी (भोपाल) :
अध्यक्ष महोदय, मैं लाभ के पदों संबंधी संयुक्त
प्रवर समिति का पहला प्रतिवेदन सभा
घटल पर रखता हूँ।

STATEMENT BY DEPUTY PRIME
MINISTER AND MINISTER
OF FINANCE ON HIS
RECENT VISITS ABROAD

THE DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER
AND MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI
MORARJI DESAI) : The statement I
have to make is a long one. May I lay
it on the Table?

MR. SPEAKER : Yes.

SHRI MORARJI DESAI : I beg to
lay on the Table a statement on my recent
visits abroad. [Placed in Library See
No. LT-1686/67].

SHRI HEM BARUA (Mangaldai) :
Will it be circulated to us ?

SHRI MORARJI DESAI : I think so.
The office will.

43-1/2 hrs.

MOTION OF NO-CONFIDENCE
IN THE COUNCIL OF
MINISTERS—*contd.*

MR. SPEAKER : Further consideration
of the following Motion moved by Shri
Madhu Limaye on 22nd November 1967
namely :—

"That this House expresses its
want of confidence in the Council
of Ministers".

Before we begin, I would like to say this.
We have taken the whole of yesterday and
today also we will devote the whole day
to this. Tomorrow is a non-official day
and we do not have much time. So I

think the Prime Minister may reply tomo-
row immediately after Question Hour.
Then Shri Madhu Limaye may have to
reply. Meanwhile the Deputy Prime Mi-
nister, the Home Minister and the Plann-
ing Minister will also say a few words.

SHRI SURENDRANATH DWIVEDY
(Kendrapara) : All these three today ?

MR. SPEAKER : Time is allotted to
each party; it is not as though other par-
ties' time is going to be taken by the Minis-
ters. It is not as though the Opposition's
time is being taken for that purpose. If
one Opposition leader takes one hour,
naturally the time for the others will be
less. Time is allotted for each party.
The Swatantra Party took only 20 minutes
yesterday. That means some other mem-
ber may speak from that party. Each party
has got its own time; nobody is encroach-
ing on others' time.

SHRI VASUDEVAN NAIR (Peeermade) :
Bengal Members should be called.

MR. SPEAKER : All Members are the
same for me. If the parties concerned
want Bengal Members to speak, they may
request their Bengal Members to speak.
But I cannot say only Bengal Members
must speak. It is a general motion of no-
confidence, a one-sentence motion.

SHRI HEM BARUA (Mangaldai) :
Assam Members should also be called.

MR. SPEAKER : Now I call upon
Shri Hanumanthaiya to continue. How
long will he take ?

SHRI HANUMANTHAIYA (Banga-
lore) : Whatever you give me, I will take.

MR. SPEAKER : No question of giving.
After all, he is the Deputy Leader of the
Congress Party and a senior Member.
Naturally I do not want to ring the bell.

SHRI NATH PAI (Rajapur) : How
many years of membership does it require
to be a senior Member ?

MR. SPEAKER : He has been here for
three terms.

SHRI NATH PAI : Two.

MR. SPEAKER : Two terms make a
member senior.