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· LOK SABHA

Thursday, June 23, 1977/Asadha 2, 1899 (Saka)

The Lok Sabha met at Eleven of the Clock

[MR. Speaker in the Chair]
ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

श्रम मंत्रालय में कर्मचारियों की बहाली

*166. श्री सत्यदेव सिंह : क्या संसदीय कार्य तथा श्रम मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

- (क) भ्रापातकाल के दौरान उनके मंत्रालय के कितने कर्मचारी मुम्नित्तल तथा कितने भ्रनिवार्य रूप में सेवा निवृत्त किये गए;
- (ख) मुम्रत्तिल किये गये ऐसे कर्म-चारियों में से कितने कर्मचारी सरकार ने बहाल कर दिए हैं; स्रौर
- (ग) कितने कर्मचारी बहाल नहीं किये गो हैं स्त्रीर इसके क्या कारण हैं ?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND LABOUR (SHRI RAVINDRA VARMA): (a) to (c). No employee of the Ministry (Main Secretariat) was suspended or compulsorily retired during the emergency; complete information in respect of attached and subordinate offices is being collected.

SHRI SATYA DEO SINGH: I have no supplementary.

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SHRI L. K. DOLEY: The word emergency has been used in this question, and hon. Members particularly are very much concerned about the emergency. Should I put a question on this? Is it emergency which has brought the emergence of the Janata party?

SHRI RAVINDRA VARMA: The question does not arise from the main question but if the hon. Member is interested to know the answer he has to ask his own conscience and not this House.

Visakhapatnam Steel Plant

- *167. SHRI M. KALYANASUND A-RAM: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:
- (a) whether Government are likely to drop the proposal of a steel plant at Visakhapatnam;
 - (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) if not, steps being taken to start the work at this proposed plant?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI BIJU PATNAIK): (a) No, Sir.

- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) M/s. M. N. Dastur & Co. (P) Ltd. Consultants, have been commissioned by Steel Authority of India Limited in April, 1975 to prepare the Detailed Project Report which is to be submitted to Steel Scheduled Authority of India Limited by September of this Preparatory year. steps for provision of infra-structural facilities have been taken besides land acquisition.