

Smt. Vijayalakshmi Pandit Memorial

979. DR. C. SILVERA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government propose to raise some memorial in the memory of late Shrimati Vijayalakshmi Pandit; and
(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DAULAT RAM SARAN): (a) At present there is no such proposal under consideration.

- (b) Does not arise.

[*Translation*]

CBI enquiry into Sugar scandal

980. SHRI HARSH VARDHAN: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether an inquiry is being conducted by C.B.I. into the sugar import scandal of 1989;
(b) if so, the details of the progress made in this regard so far; and
(c) when the said inquiry is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI SARWAR HUSSAIN): (a) to (c). C.B.I. has completed the investigations and submitted its report to the Government.

[*English*]

Amendments in Mental Health Act

981. SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO: Will THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Indian Psychiatric Society has urged the Union Government to amend the Mental Health Act before its implementation;

(b) whether the Government propose to change the act in accordance with the recommendations; and

- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE AND DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI DASAI CHOWDHARY): (a) No suggestion from the Indian Psychiatric Society has been received by the Government.

- (b) and (c). Does not arise.

[*Translation*]

Rise in Prices of Essential Commodities

982. SHRI YAMUNA PRASAD SHASTRI:
SHRI YUVRAJ:
SHRI RAMESH CHENNITHALA:
SHRI PRATAP SINGH:
SHRI UTTAM RATHOD:
SHRI KUSUMA KRISHNA MURTHY:
SHRI MAHESHWAR SINGH:
SHRI INDRAJIT GUPTA:
SHRI KASHIRAM RANA:
✓ SHRI PRAKASH KOKO BRAHMBHATT:
SHRI G.S. BASAVARAJ:
PROF. P.J. KURIEN:
SHRI HARISH RAWAT:
SHRI JAGPAL SINGH:
SHRI SHOPAT SINGH MAKKASAR:
SHRI MITRA SEN YADAV:
SHRI R.N. RAKESH:
SHRI MANIKRAO HODLYA GAVIT:
SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA:
SHRI GOPAL PACHERWAL:
PROF. SHAILENDRANATH SHRIVASTAVA:
SHRI HANNAN MOLLAH: