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SWATANTRA PARTY TO BACK DR. HUSAIN'S CANDIDATURE

NEW DELHI, April 15: The Swatantra Party today decided to support the candidature of Dr. Zakir Husain, Governor of Bihar, for the office of the Vice-President and of Sardar Hukam Singh for the Speakership of the Lok Sabha, reports P.T.I.

The decision was taken at a meeting of the Swatantra Party members of the two Houses of Parliament. Mr. N.G. Ranga, Chairman and Mr. M.R. Masani, General Secretary of the Party, were pre-

Delhi unit of the party this evening. Mr. Masani said that the party hoped to make 'further advance' in regard to its strength in the two Houses. The party expected its members, as soon as they got themselves established in the new Parliament, to give a good account of themselves.

Mr. Dahyabhai Patel said considering that theirs was a new party, they had not done badly. We are almost equal to other opposition parties in the Rajya Sabha. From now on we will work as an organised opposition party co-ordinating the work of members in both the Houses of Parliament and in the State legislatures".

Maharaja Sawai Man Singh of Jaipur who has been elected to the Rajya Sabha as an independent attended the reception given to the Swatantra Party members.

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Increased payments un-
der the social security program
reaching a point 17 billion
more above the 1961 level
1965.
Reduction of income tax
on lower-income groups.
Liberalization of credit.
Special attack on farm
Wage increases consist-
ent with reasonable price stabili-
ty.
U. P. Governor-Designate
In Lucknow
LUCKNOW, April 15
Mr. Bishwanath Das, Gov-
ernor-designate of Uttar Pra-
desh arrived here today by the
Jab Mail from Calcutta. A
large and distinguished gather-
ing including the Chief Minister
Mr. C.B. Gupta, was present
at the railway station to rece-

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