

Swatantra Party Parliamentary Office

53 North Avenue
New Delhi.

August 5, 1969.

Minutes of the Meeting

A meeting of the General Body of the Party in Parliament was held in Room No.50, 1st floor, Parliament House, at 9.30 A.M. on Tuesday, August 5, 1969. The following members were present:

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| 1. Prof. N.G. Ranga | 11. Mr. J. Mohd. Iman |
| 2. Mr. M.R. Masani | 12. Mr. C. Muthuswami |
| 3. Mr. Y.G. Gowd | 13. Mr. A. Dipa |
| 4. Mr. K.M. Koushik | 14. Dr. B.N. Antani |
| 5. Mr. Devi Singh | 15. Prof. R.K. Amin |
| 6. Mr. Meethalal Meera | 16. Mr. Piloo Mody |
| 7. Mr. D. Amat | 17. Mr. D.R. Parmar |
| 8. Mr. K. Sundaran | 18. Mr. Sundarrani Patel |
| 9. Mr. D.N. Patodia | 19. Mr. K.C. Panda |
| 10. Mr. C.C. Desai | |

1. The Salaries and Allowances (Amendment) Bill was discussed and earlier decision of the Executive Committee was endorsed. The Members were given freedom to support or otherwise the two clauses of bill after our amendment seeking reference of the bill to an impartial body for report was voted upon.
2. The Rajya Sabha members were requested to move amendments to various clauses of the Bank Nationalisation Bill, to speak at every stage and on each clause and divide the House as many times as desirable.
3. Mr. Masani apprised the members of meeting of leaders of Parties regarding behaviour of certain Communist Members in the House. It was suggested that in future if the Leftist members were to try to hackle our Members we cannot be silent spectators and should react with the help of the Jan Sargh and the B.K.D. Members.
4. The Members were requested to be present in Delhi or in their respective State capitals and vote for our presidential candidate, Dr. D.C. Deshmukh.
5. The Members were requested to be present in the Lok Sabha to vote for Mr. C.C. Desai, who is contesting for National Shipping Board and also to participate in the Speaker's election.
6. The Leader gave details of his talks with the Prime Minister yesterday.

sd. D.N. Patodia
Secretary

P.S. Mr. C.C. Desai attended the meeting of Executive Committee on 22nd July and Mr. M.R. Masani on the 25th July. These two names were inadvertently not included in the minutes already circulated to the Members.