

Swatantra Party Parliamentary Office

53 North Avenue,
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Minutes of the Meeting

A meeting of the Executive Committee was held in Parliament House at 12.30 P.M. on Tuesday, 12th November, 1968. The following Members were present:

1. Prof. N.G. Ranga
2. Mr. M.R. Masani
3. Mr. C.C. Desai
4. Mr. Y.G. Gowd
5. Mr. Piloo Mody
6. Mr. K.M. Koushik
7. Prof. R.K. Amin
8. Mr. H. Ajmal Khan

Mr. P.K. Deo attended as a special invitee.

2. The following members were requested to speak on subjects indicated against their names:

1. The Madras State (Alteration of Name) Bill Mr. H. Ajmal Khan
2. UGC Report 1965-66, 1966-67 Prof. R.K. Amin
3. Essential Services Maintenance Bill and resolution of Shri S.S. Kothari disproving the ordinance Mr. C.C. Desai or Mr. Piloo Mody
4. Indian Railways Amendment Bill (to replace ordinance) and Resolution of George Fernandes disproving the ordinance Mr. C.C. Desai or Mr. Piloo Mody
5. Resolution regarding constitution of Railway Convention Committee Mr. J. Mohd. Iman
6. President's Rule in Bihar Mr. D. Amat
7. UPSC 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th Reports Mr. K.M. Koushik or Mr. K.P. Singh Deo
8. Deposit Insurance Bill Mr. L.N. Patodia
9. Cyclone and droughts in Andhra Pradesh and Orissa Prof. N.G. Ranga Mr. P.K. Deo

3. Mr. H. Ajmal Khan was nominated to the Indian Nursing Council on behalf of our Party.

4. Maharaja Dhrangadhra was requested to speak on Mr. Nath Pai's Constitution (Amendment) Bill as Mr. Masani would be away from Delhi.

5. The Party decided to oppose Mr. Vajpayee's resolution regarding deletion of Article 370 from the Constitution regarding special status of Kashmir. It was also decided that such of our Members as are present in the House should vote against the resolution. Mr. Desai will be the spokesman of the Party on this resolution.

6. It was decided to hold the next meeting of the Executive Committee on the 25th November and the General Body on the 26th November, 1968.

sd., C.C. Desai
Secretary