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QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS.

- *1. Enche' C.V. Devan Nair; To ask the Prime Minister to give a list of official bodies on which workers enjoy representation, the manner in which such appointments are made and the names of workers' representatives currently serving in each body.
- *2. Enche' C.V. Devan Nair: To ask the Prime Minister to state if he would favourably consider according to workers representation on the National Economic Planning Council.
- *3. Dr. Tan Chee Khoon: To ask the Prime Minister if he will declare May 1st, a public holiday so that the workers of Malaysia will celebrate it together with their fellow workers the world over.
- *4. Dr. Tan Chee Khoon: To ask the Minister of Works, Posts and Telecommunications whether he is aware that before the "Go Slow" of the Postal Workers this year, letters had gone astray and there had been long delays in the delivery of letters; if so, what steps he has taken to remedy this state of affairs.
- *5. Dr. Tan Chee Khoon: To ask the Minister for Education to state (a) why the Ministry of Education has decided to stop financial aid for blind students who have qualified to join Form One this year the Government system of integrated education for sightless children and whether the Minister will undertake to review this decision; (b) why the financial aid for blind school children has been reduced from \$573 to \$390.

ORDERS OF THE DAY AND NOTICES OF MOTIONS.

1. (DR. 6/65) The Finance (Estate Duty) Bill-Resumption of Debate on the Question "That the Bill be now read a second time". (3rd March, 1965)
2. (DR. 5/65) The Pioneer Industries (Relief from Tax) (Variation) Bill. (encl. 5. 25) Second Reading.
3. Motion made by Dr. Tan Chee Khoon and Question proposed -
- (a) This House views with grave concern the conduct of the Alliance Government in refusing to honour the Government traditional obligations to and agreements with the Civil Service National Whitley Council by rejecting in toto the award made by the Professor Ungku Aziz, Civil Service Arbitration Tribunal in the recent dispute on salaries between Government as employer and the Union of Post Office Workers representing employees and this House

being desirous of preserving the good name of Malaysia and its people and being desirous of upholding the principles of justice to all our people deplures the rejection in toto of the Ungku Aziz Award;

- (b) In view of the urgent necessity of maintaining industrial peace at this critical juncture this House calls on the Alliance Government to complete the appointments to the Special Commission to review Civil Service Salaries throughout Malaysia as soon as possible in order that all workers in the Civil Service will in future be paid just and fair wages for the work they render the Nation. Resumption of Debate on Question. (1st. March, 1965).

4. Dr. Tan Chee Khoon to move:

This House views with grave concern the march towards totalitarianism in Malaysia as evidenced by the recent detention of Socialist Front leaders and members and calls on the Alliance Government either to bring them to trial or free them unconditionally.
