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1604 Hours

ARREST OF MEMBER

MR. CHAKRABARTI (MR. P. N. SARKAR): I have to inform the House that I had received the following fax message dated 22 July, 1996, from the Superintendent of Police, Narsingpur, Madhya Pradesh, today:-

"I have the honour to inform you that I have found it my duty, in the exercise of my powers under Section 181 of the Cr. P.C., to direct that Shri Prahlad Singh Patel, Member of the Lok Sabha, be arrested for apprehension of breach of peace.

Shri Prahlad Singh Patel, M.P., was accordingly arrested at 1630 hours on 22 July, 1996 and has been sent to Central Jail, Jabalpur by the Executive Magistrate, Gotegaon."