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ANNUAL REPORT 1974-75

This is the third Annual Report of the Indian Council of Historical Research covering the financial year 1974-75.

During 1974-75 the Grants-in-aid of the Government of India to the Council stood at Rs. 21,22,264. Of this, only a sum of Rs. 13.27 lakhs was made available during April 1974-February 1975 and the balance was received only towards the end of the financial year. A certain disruption of the normal academic activities of the Council and delay in the fulfilment of the Council's commitments in respect of its Core Programmes became inescapable in such a context. But the Government's grant of the required amount in March 1975 eased the situation.

During the year under report, the Council's activities were aimed at fulfilling those aims and objectives of the Council which deserved a relatively high priority. These included (1) sponsoring and aiding historical research programmes, (2) promoting publication of historical research of a high standard, (3) undertaking the compilation of source material with a view to facilitating historical research, (4) reviewing the progress of historical research and preparing survey reports in order to indicate neglected or insufficiently explored areas of research, (5) sanctioning fellowships for research on all aspects of history etc. Besides this, as may be seen from details furnished elsewhere, the progress registered by the Council during the year in the Special Projects assigned to it by the Government has also been substantial. Particular mention may be made here of the Translation Project which aims at translating certain core books on various aspects of Indian history into different Indian languages. The usefulness of this project assumes special relevance in the context of regional languages becoming the media of instruction at the higher levels of education and research in universities. Although progress in this project has not been uniform in all languages on account of difficulty in getting suitable translators and vetters, a good

number of books have been translated and some of them published.

Specific details regarding the various programmes of the Council have been furnished in the Annual Report for the previous year. The progress made in each of them is indicated below:

I. Surveys of Historical Writings:

Initiated in 1972 this programme envisages the preparation and publication of Survey Reports on 26 selected themes. Details regarding the six reports so far received have been given in the Annual Report for 1973-74. Two of the six reports received have already been published, while other reports are being evaluated for publication. Work in respect of the other 20 surveys is in progress, of which the following five surveys are in advanced stage of preparation and are expected to be completed shortly:

- (1) *History of Transport and Communications including Railways* by Dr. Sugate Mukherjee
- (2) *Bhakti Movement after A.D. 1500* by Professor J.S. Grewal
- (3) *Land Tenure in British India* by Dr. B. B. Chaudhuri
- (4) *History of and Administration under Vijayanagar* by Professor S. Settar
- (5) *Bhakti Movement after A.D. 1500 (Western India)* by Professor A. R. Kulkarni

II. Compilation of Source Material:

A. Ancient Indian History

(1) Selection of Sources for Post-graduate Students (2 Vols):

As explained in the Report for the previous year the sources to be selected for the first of the two proposed volumes would chronologically range from the earliest times to A.D. 320 and thematically cover the pre-and-proto-history, Vedic culture, the age of the Mahajanpadas and the Maurya and Post-Maurya periods in political and non-political history. Scholars who have been requested to compile the sources and write general and sectional introductions have been requested to expedite the work.

(2) Inscriptions of India:

Of the 21 volumes of inscriptions to be brought out under this scheme, work in respect of the following six is almost complete:

- (i) Dr. N. K. Sahu, *Inscriptions of the Sailodhbhavas, Bhaumakaras, Sulkis, Nandas, Tungas and Bhanjas.*

- (ii) Professor J. N. Agrawala, *Inscriptions of Punjab, Kashmir and Himachal Pradesh and the adjoining Hilly Tracts.*
- (iii) Shri K. G. Krishnan, *Inscriptions of the Pandyas.*
- (iv) Professor T.V. Mahalingam, *Inscriptions of the Pallavas.*
- (v) Professor K. D. Bajpai, *Inscriptions of the Maitrkas, Gurjaras, Saindhavas and other Pre-Chaulukyan Dynasties.*
- (vi) Dr. A. M. Shastri, *Inscriptions of the Sarabhapuriya and Somavamshi Kings of South Kosala and Orissa.*

Dr. A. M. Shastri, Convener for this scheme, reports that the work of compiling the inscriptions of several other dynasties covering all the regions of the country and the period from A.D. 600 to A.D. 1500 is continuing. Apart from the six scholars mentioned above, about 15 historians/epigraphists are engaged in this work. Much of the work is expected to be completed during 1975-76.

(3) Editing and Publishing of Topographical List of Inscriptions in Tamilnadu and Kerala.

This has been undertaken by Professor T. V. Mahalingam who, during the year under report, has submitted two volumes. The first volume covering 198 villages in seven taluks in the North Arcot district contains details of 1,194 inscriptions, while the second volume covering 186 villages in eight taluks on the South Arcot district lists 2,277 inscriptions. The first volume has been sent to the press. The series will be of nine volumes. The preparation of two other volumes is under progress.

(4) Preparation of a List of Vijayanagar Inscriptions:

To supplement the above mentioned topographical list of inscriptions, this list, now under preparation by Professor T.V. Mahalingam with the assistance of Dr. B. R. Gopal, will include the Vijayanagar inscriptions in Tamil, Telugu and Kannada and serve as a useful source volume for the medieval history of south India. The work is progressing as per schedule.

B. Medieval Indian History

(1) Preparation of a Hindi Translation of Early Sources of Akbar's reign.

This work is to be completed in six volumes with a critical introduction to each volume. During the period under report, all

the sources of Akbar's reign with the exception of some portions of three sources have been translated into Hindi and the manuscripts received. The portions not translated during 1974-75 have been subsequently assigned to scholars for translation. Work relating to annotation would be taken up after the receipt of the translation.

Total Amount sanctioned	Not decided
Time Schedule	2 years

(2) Editing, English Translation and Annotation of Akhbarat of Aurangzeb's Reign

This envisages the collation of the two series of the *akhbarat* available in the Royal Asiatic Society, London, and the transcript of the Rajasthan State Archives, Bikaner, available in the Sarkar Collection deposited in the Library of the Asiatic Society of Bengal, Calcutta. The leaves have to be arranged date-wise, deciphered, translated into English and annotated extensively. The work is continuing under Professor Irfan Habib as Director.

Total amount sanctioned:	Rs. 9,000 (for Vol. I)
Total amount released:	Rs. 5,000
Time Span:	2 years

(3) English Translation and Annotation of Tashrihu'l Agwama

The *Tashrihu'l Agwama* of James Skinner is an extremely important work for the study of arts and crafts of India during the 18th and 19th centuries. The work has been assigned to Dr. Anis Farooqi, who has procured a photo-copy of the manuscript from the British Museum, London. The work is making good progress.

Total amount sanctioned:	Rs. 9,000
Total amount released:	Rs. 4,000
Time span:	2 years

(4) English Translation of Tarikh-i-Akbari of Arif Qandhari with Annotation and Introduction:

The project has been undertaken by Dr Parmatma Saran, who did considerable work during 1974-75 in checking the information furnished by Qandhari with the evidence of such contemporary works as *Nafaisul Maasir*.

Total amount sanctioned: Rs. 18,500
Total amount released: Rs. 7,000
Time span: 1 year

(5) Preparation of an English Translation of Shahnama-i-Munawwar Kalam of Sheodas

This has been completed by Professor S. Hasan Askari and the manuscript is being vetted.

Total amount sanctioned: Rs. 3,000
Total amount released: Rs. 3,000
Time span: 1 year

(6) Editing of the Persian Text of the Waqi'at-i-Mushtaqi with an Introduction in English

This work has been completed by Shri Iqtidar Husain Siddiqi and the manuscript received.

Total amount sanctioned: Yet to be decided
Time span: 1 year

(7) Preparation of an English Translation of Waqi'at-i-Mushtaqi

Shri Iqtidar Husain Siddiqi, to whom this work was assigned, has reported that he has translated half of the text and that the translation of the remaining half is under progress. Amount sanctioned: Yet to be decided; Time span: 1 year.

C. Modern Indian History

(1) Source Volumes on Nationalist Movement

As reported in the previous year the first volume under this scheme, *Internal Resistance to British Rule before 1858* has been compiled and submitted by Professor K. Rajayyan. It is proposed to revise this volume in the light of the review by the experts.

The period from 1858 to 1905 is being covered in seven volumes under the General Editorship of Professor Bipan Chandra. The first of these volumes dealing with the period 1858-85 being compiled by Professor S. R. Mehrotra is nearing completion. Work on the volume dealing with the period 1885-86

is also reported to be in progress with Professor Bipan Chandra as Editor. Work on the volume pertaining to the period 1899-1902 has been assigned to Dr. B. L. Grover. The remaining volumes are still to be assigned.

The sources of the Nationalist Movement for the period 1905-1919 are being compiled in four volumes with Professor T. K. Ravindran as General Editor. Of these, two volumes are being prepared by Dr. Sumit Sarkar, and the rest by Professor T. K. Ravindran. Work on all these volumes is reported to be nearing completion. The first two volumes are expected shortly.

The sources relating to the period 1919-37 are being compiled in eight volumes with Professor Bimal Prasad as General Editor. The volume dealing with the period 1922-24 has already been compiled and submitted by Dr. M. P. Sreekumaran Nair. Work on the remaining volumes is progressing.

(2) Source Volumes on Peasant Movements

Steady progress has been reported in the compilation of several volumes under this scheme. The compilation is being made in two parts: (1) *Peasant Movement in India* (13 volumes) and (2) *The Peasant Movement in south India prior to 1858* (1 volume). The first part dealing with the period 1757-1914 is being compiled under the General Editorship of Dr. B. B. Chaudhuri. In this part is included the volume on Agrarian Movement in Malabar in the 19th Century, prepared by Dr. K. N. Panikkar. The following two volumes have already been received from Dr. B. B. Chaudhuri:

- (i) *Agrarian Movement in Eastern India*, Volume I
- (ii) *Agrarian Movement in Eastern India*, Volume II

The third volume in the series is reported to be nearing completion. The relevant sources for the Peasant Movement in South India prior to 1858 are being compiled by Professor T. K. Ravindran.

(3) Source Volumes on Trade Union Movement:

Out of the ten source volumes planned on this subject under the General Editorship of Professor A. R. Desai the following five have already been completed:

- (i) Labour Movement in India upto 1918 (Indigo Movement): Compiled by Professor S. D. Punekar.
- (ii) A Documentary History of Labour Movement in India (Factories): Compiled by Professor S. D. Punekar and Professor R. Varickayil.
- (iii) Labour Movement in India (1918-20): Compiled by Professor A. R. Desai and Shri S. Dighe.
- (iv) Labour Movement in India (1921-22): Compiled by Professor A. R. Desai and Shri S. Dighe.
- (v) Trade Union Movement in India: Compiled by Professor (Smt.) M. G. Savur.

The remaining five volumes are nearing completion.

(4) Source Volumes on Economic and Statistical Data

All the six volumes on this subject are at the advanced stage of compilation. The details regarding the volumes and the scholars engaged in compilation are furnished below:

- (i) Agriculture, Rent and Revenue: Dr. B. B. Chaudhuri
- (ii) Financial and Currency Policies: Dr. S. Bhattacharya
- (iii) Trade (inland and foreign) in the 17th and 18th Centuries: Dr. Surendra Gopal
- (iv) Trade (inland and foreign) in the 19th and 20th Centuries: Dr. Nilmoni Mukherjee
- (v) Indian Industries (1860-1939): Professor A. K. Bagchi
- (vi) Labour Prices and Wages (1914-45): Dr. V. S. Singh

(5) Source Volumes on the Freedom Struggle in Goa, Daman and Diu

The aim is to make available to historians and researchers original and basic source material in English, Portuguese, Marathi and Persian relating to the struggle for independence in the erstwhile Portuguese territories of Goa, Daman and Diu (including Dadra and Nagar Haveli). The actual work will be initiated in 1975-76.

Source Volumes on the Role of Revolutionaries abroad in India's Struggle for Independence

This is in two volumes. The first volume covering the period from 1905 to 1927 has already been compiled and submitted by

Professor A. C. Bose. The second volume, on the period from 1927 to 1947, is being compiled by Dr. K. K. Ghosh. It may be added here that a volume entitled 'Indian Freedom Movement Abroad: A Pictorial Survey' has been prepared and submitted by Dr. T. R. Sareen.

III. Grants-in-Aid Schemes of the Council

(A) Research Projects and Fellowships

As mentioned in the Annual Report for the previous year, 10 Research Projects and 13 Research Fellowships were sanctioned upto the end of the period 1973-74. Reports from the Project Directors and Research Fellows reveal that all on-going research assignments are progressing satisfactorily and some of them are expected to be completed shortly. During the period under report, 12 Research Projects and 14 Research Fellowships were approved. In addition, extension was granted to four Research Projects and three Research Fellowships. Besides these, Travel/Contingent grant was approved to three scholars. A consolidated account of all the projects, fellowships, etc. showing the grant sanctioned, grant released, time span, the progress of work, etc. is attached (see Appendix II-IV).

(B) Publication Grants

Sixteen theses/manuscripts have been approved for publication subsidy, out of which four are subject to revision as suggested by the Council.

Out of the theses/manuscripts/journals subsidised earlier, 17 have been published. Three proceedings of two professional organisations subsidised by the Council have also been published during this period.

The details of the above are furnished in Appendix V.

(C) Assistance to Professional Organisations of Historians

M. S. University, Baroda has been sanctioned Rs. 7000. Out of which Rs. 6650 was released for conducting group discussion on 'Urban History Project'. An amount of Rs. 5700 was released to the Numismatic Society of India for publication of its journal.

IV Translation Programme

The Council's programme of translating core books on different aspects of Indian history, details of which have been

given in the Annual Report for the year 1973-74, has registered progress during the year under report. Information in respect of the number of titles allotted for translation up to 31st March 1975 and the number of manuscripts received in each language till that date is furnished below:

<i>Language</i>	<i>No. of titles allotted</i>	<i>No. of translated manuscripts received</i>
Assamese	40	Nil
Bengali	59	Nil
Gujarati	56	12
Hindi	63	10
Kannada	39	12
Malayalam	44	2
Marathi	42	2
Oriya	50	3
Panjabi	54	5
Tamil	37	5
Telugu	27	4
Urdu	54	11
	<u>565</u>	<u>66</u>

Details in respect of the translations for which payment was made during the year are given below :

<i>Language</i>	<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
Assamese		nil
Bengali		nil
Gujarati	1	Some Aspects of Muslim Administration of India
	2	Sarthavaha
	3	Thoughts on Agrarian Relations in Mughal India
	4	The Copper Bronze Age in India
	5	Slavery in Ancient India
	6	The Rise and Growth of Economic Nationalism
	7	Life and Conditions of the People of Hindustan

<i>Language</i>	<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
Gujarati	8	India at the death of Akbar
	9	Social Changes in Early Medieval India
	10	Culture and Civilization of Ancient India
	11	From Akbar to Aurangzeb
	12	Communalism and the Writing of Indian History
	Hindi	1
2		Thoughts on Agrarian Relations in Mughal India
3		India at the Death of Akbar
4		Early History of Deccan Vol. I
5		Early History of Deccan Vol. II
6		Land Revenue Administration under the Mughals
7		Light on Early Indian Society and Economy
8		Economic History of Bengal Vol. II
9		Trade and Finance in the Bengal Presidency
10		Some Aspects of Prehistoric Technology in India
Kannada	1	Sangam Polity
	2	Ashoka and the Decline of the Maurya Empire
	3	Financial Foundations of the British Raj
	4	From Akbar to Aurangzeb
	5	Thoughts on Agrarian Relations in Mughal India
	6	Social Changes in Early Medieval India
	7	History of Tipu Sultan
	8	Communalism and the Writing of Indian History

<i>Language</i>	<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
Kannada	9	Contribution to the History of Hindu Revenue System
	10	India in Transition
	11	A History of India, Vol. I
	12	Origin and Development of Vaishnavism
Malayalam	1	Civil Disturbances During the British Rule in India
	2	Social Changes in Early Medieval India
Marathi	1	Social Changes in Early Medieval India
	2	India Today
Oriya	1	History of India Vol. I
	2	1857 (Eighteen fifty seven)
Panjabi	3	Economic History of India Vol. I
	1	1857 (Eighteen fifty seven)
	2	Social Changes in Early Medieval India
	3	Revenue System in Post-Maurya and Gupta Times
	4	Shivaji and His Times
Tamil	5	Provincial Government of the Mughals
	1	India Today
	2	The Colas
	3	Culture and Civilization of Ancient India in Historical Outline
	4	Bengal Renaissance and other Essays
Telugu	5	Thoughts on Agrarian Relations in Mughal India
	1	Industrial Evolution of India in Recent Times
	2	Sultan Mahmud of Gaznin
	3	History of Tipu Sultan

<i>Language</i>	<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
Telugu	4	India in Transition
Urdu	1	Origins of India's Foreign Policy
	2	Thoughts on Agrarian Relations in Mughal India
	3	Economic History of India Vol. I
	4	Economic History of India Vol. II
	5	Land Revenue Administration under the Mughals
	6	Industrial Evolution of India in Recent Times
	7	The Rise of Business Corporation in India
	8	The Viceroyalty of Lord Irwin
	9	The Political Theory of the Delhi Sultanate
	10	Social Changes in Early Medieval India
	11.	History of Shahjahan

Translation Rights for the following titles were acquired and payment was made during the period under report:

1. The Rise and Fall of the Maratha Empire
2. Origins of India's Foreign Policy
3. The Extremist Challenge in India between 1890-1910
4. Trade and Finance in Bengal
5. History of Tipu Sultan
6. Civil Disturbances during the British Rule in Premutiny in India.
7. Myth and Reality
8. An Introduction to the Study of Indian History
9. Some Aspects of Prehistoric Technology
10. Sangam Polity
11. Problems and Policies of the British Empire in India

V. Projects relating to studies on Central Asian Civilizations:

As reported in the previous year, several projects on Central Asian Civilizations administered by National

Commission for cooperation with UNESCO were transferred to the ICHR. Progress has been made on the following projects:

Preparation of an annotated Bibliography on Kushana archaeology by Dr. B. N. Puri. The work has been completed and the manuscript received. A sum of Rs 4,250 has been released.

Motifs, Symbols, Myths and Legends in Arts and Architecture from the Kushana to Mughal times by Professor G. R. Sharma. A sum of Rs 20,000 has been sanctioned for this by the Ministry of Education and Social Welfare of which Rs 10,000 has been released to Professor Sharma.

Preparation of a Descriptive Catalogue of Manuscripts and Documents relating to Central Asia in the Indian Archives by the Asiatic Society, Calcutta. The work of preparing the catalogue is over and the manuscript received. The Asiatic Society, Calcutta, was provided with a sum of Rs 30,000 for this project by the Ministry of Education and Social Welfare.

Preparation of a book on the history and archaeology of the Kushanas. Two chapters were received; the others are being written.

A Catalogue of Gandhara Sculpture in India—The catalogue is being prepared by the Archaeological Survey of India. To expedite the work the ICHR has provided a Technical Assistant towards whose payment a sum of Rs 6,600 has been released.

History of Ideas and Philosophy in Central Asia—Under this project Dr. R. C. Pandeya, Head of the Department of Philosophy, Delhi University, Delhi, has prepared a revised Bibliography on the publications relating to the History of Ideas and Philosophy in Central Asia. The Bibliography is complete.

Development of Towns in Central Asia (1st century A.D. to 5th century A.D.) by Dr (Smt.) Naseem Bhatia. The work has started and is making good progress. An amount of Rs 4,750 has been released.

Kushana Towns in India by Shri Kameshwar Prasad. The work is making steady progress. An amount of Rs 4,750 has been released.

VI Other Projects

1. A Source Book of Indian History and Culture

This project has been undertaken to provide a balanced view of the Indian history and culture through selected extracts from original sources. The extracts will cover such themes as religion, philosophy, economy, polity, social organisation, literature, science and technology, legal institutions and art. The project has been planned in three volumes. The work of compiling the first volume (chapter I to VI) and the third volume (chapter XI to XIV) was almost over at the end of the period under report, while work in respect of the second volume (chapter VII to X) is underway.

2. Role of Central and State Legislatures

This project, undertaken by the Council on the occasion of the 25th Anniversary of India's Independence, has made satisfactory progress. Besides making an objective study of the positive and negative sides of the part played by the political forces in State Legislatures the proposed volumes would also examine the bills and resolutions introduced in the Legislatures from the point of view of their social implications. The first book, *Role of Central and State Legislature in the Freedom Struggle* by Professor Manoranjan Jha was released in 1972. Dr. K. M. Patra who was assigned the volume on Orissa has completed the work. The volume on Madras had also been completed. The work on North West Frontier Province undertaken by Dr. A. K. Gupta was nearing completion. Scholars working on Assam, Bengal, Central Provinces and Berar, Punjab, Sindh, U. P. and Bihar Legislatures have completed the collection of material and are engaged in writing.

3. Project of "Towards Freedom"

This project was started with a view to compiling and publishing a set of 10 volumes on source material relating to the Freedom Movement during the period 1937-47. The sources being compiled include official and private documents, newspapers and other relevant contemporary material. This is being done in collaboration with the National Archives of India. The research team in the National Archives of India has examined

several series of public records and private papers mostly relating to 1937. The ICHR team was engaged in making a survey of the important secondary sources of the period from 1937 to 1947. The sources included scholarly books, biographies, memoirs, works on constitutional developments, *The Indian Annual Registers*, certain important Government publications such as the *Imperial Gazetteer of India*, the *Administrative Reports* of some of the provinces, some provincial *Legislative Council Proceedings*, etc. To facilitate the work of compilation a small working library has been set up. A fairly comprehensive bibliography of printed books, relevant to the project, has also been prepared. An inventory of private papers, organisational papers, newspapers and periodicals (in English and in the Indian languages), available in Delhi, has been prepared. The team has also prepared lists of Working and Executive Committee members of some important political organisations of the period 1937-1947.

Towards the end of 1974 the ICHR team was converted into a headquarters team. It was able to consult the following primary sources :

A. Newspapers:

1. The Hindustan Times—December 1936 to January 1937
2. Abhyudaya—January to September 1937

B. Organisational Papers :

1. All India State Peoples Movement Papers relating to Bhopal—December 1936 to December 1937

C. Private Papers:

1. Bhulabhai Desai Papers, 1937 to 1939
2. Mahatma Gandhi Papers, 1937
3. B. G. Kher Papers, 1937 to 1938

4. History of Freedom Struggle in Kerala

The project seeks to present a detailed and objective account of freedom movement in Kerala in 4 volumes. Dr. M. P. Srikumaran Nair, who has undertaken this work, has reported that the first volume on the basic sources is nearing completion. Other volumes will be taken up later.

5. Editing of Basic Writings of Veeresalingam

This aims at the collection and translation of the basic writings of Veeresalingam, the well-known social reformer of Andhra Pradesh. This has been taken up by Shri Rama Krishna. The work is nearing completion.

6. History of the Second World War

In collaboration with the International Committee for the History of the Second World War, the Council has developed a project on the impact of the World War II on Indian society, economy, politics, international relations, etc. A research fellowship has been granted for carrying on research on the impact of World War II on Coal Industry in Bihar and Bengal. More projects are being planned.

VII Publications

Journals

The biannual journal of the Council *The Indian Historical Review* Vol. I. No. 2 came out in September 1974. The issue contains seven articles, one review article and 50 reviews of recent books on Indian and non-Indian History. The first issue was favourably reviewed in some Indian and foreign journals.

Books

During the period under report the following books were published:

- (1) *Makers of Modern India* (Second Edition)
- (2) *Maurya and Post-Maurya Art* by Professor Niharranjan Ray
- (3) *Indian Society: Historical Probings (In memory of D. D. Kosambi)*
(co-published with People's Publishing House Pvt. Ltd. The first edition is almost exhausted and the second reprint edition is in the press)
- (4) *Recent Writings on the Revolt of 1857: A Survey* by Kalyan Kumar Sengupta
- (5) *Bibliographical Survey of the Social Reform Movements in 18th and 19th Centuries* by Sumit Sarkar

(6) *Thoughts on Agrarian Relations in Mughal India* by Professor S. Nurul Hasan in Urdu, in Hindi and in Urdu

(Urdu: co-published with Maktaba Jamia Limited; Hindi: co-published with Motilal Banarsidass; Tamil: ICHR)

(7) *Social Changes in Early Medieval India* by Professor R. S. Sharma in Urdu and in Hindi

(Urdu: co-published with Maktaba Jamia Limited; Hindi: co-published with Motilal Banarsidass)

Annual Report

ICHR Annual Report for the year 1972-73 in English has been brought out.

ICHR Newsletter

The ICHR Newsletter Vol. I No. 4 has been brought out during the period under review.

Books under Print

(1) *Light on Early Indian History and Economy* by Professor R. S. Sharma in Hindi

(co-publishing with Motilal Banarsidass)

(2) *A Topographical List of Inscriptions in Tamilnadu and Kerala : North Arcot District* Vol. I by T. V. Mahalingam in English

(3) *A Topographical List of Inscriptions in Tamilnadu and Kerala : South Arcot District* Vol. II by T. V. Mahalingam in English

(4) *Indian Society : Historical Probings (In memory of D. D. Kosambi)* second edition in English.

(co-publishing with People's Publishing House Pvt. Ltd.)

VIII Documentation Centre-cum-Library

The Documentation Centre-cum-Library of the Council, which was started on a modest scale in 1972-73, has grown considerably during the period under report. Books have been

purchased to serve the needs of scholars for compiling various kinds of material. At the end of the period, it had in its collection 1225 books. Total number of periodicals subscribed is 89. The Centre's acquisition has largely been books and periodicals on history, in its broadest sense, including the history of art, music, religion, literature, philosophy, political, social and economic conditions, movements, etc.

A beginning has been made to provide documentation and reference services to scholars. The following are among them:

1. *New Arrivals*: A quarterly classified acquisition list of books;
2. *Documentation List*: A quarterly devoted to the indexing of articles published in periodicals of history and allied subjects available in the centre.
3. *Historical Abstracts*: An Annual classified list of abstracts of articles in periodicals, subscribed by the Centre:

In addition, the Council has also been rendering, as and when required by scholars, the services of preparing bibliographies on historical themes. Scholars from local colleges and universities have been making use of the Centre frequently.

During the year under report, the expenditure of the Centre stood as follows:

1. Purchase of Books	Rs.	1,01,918.21
2. Current Periodicals and Newspapers	Rs.	11,302.60
3. Back issues of Periodicals	Rs.	10,000.00
4. Library Requisites	Rs.	3,044.79
	Rs.	<u>1,26,265.60</u>

IX Administration

Staff

Following expansion in the activities of the Council during the year under report additional staff was appointed. The total strength of the Council increased to 90 including 33 for the special projects. The sanctioned strength of the Council is shown in Appendix VI.

Stationery Equipment

Most of the essential items of stationery and equipment have been purchased from the Super Bazar.

Accommodation

Since the existing accommodation was not sufficient for the members of the staff, the Council has acquired additional accommodation on the third floor of the building.

Meetings

During the year under report the following meetings of the Council and its Administrative Committee were held:

1. Sixth Meeting of the Administrative Committee 19.9.74
2. Seventh Meeting of the Administrative Committee 6.11.74
3. Annual General Meeting of the Council 17.3.75

Budget and Account

During the year under report, the Council was allotted a budget grant of Rs. 12.31 lakhs by the Government of India, Ministry of Education & Social Welfare, out of which Rs. 12,30,500 was spent by the close of the year 1974-75.

In addition to the Council's own budget, an additional grant of Rs. 21.22 lakhs was made available to the Council by the Ministry of Education for special projects assigned to it.

The Accounts of the Council for the year 1974-75 have since been audited by the Accountant General, Central Revenues, in February 1976.

A statement of receipt and payment and statement of liabilities and assets for the year 1974-75 is given at Appendix VII.

APPENDIX I
INDIAN COUNCIL OF HISTORICAL RESEARCH
(as on 31st March, 1975)

COMPOSITION OF THE ICHR

Chairman

Professor R. S. Sharma
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1. Professor B. Sheik Ali
Head, Department of History
Mysore University
Mysore.
2. Professor Satish Chandra
Professor of History
Jawaharlal Nehru University (*on leave*)
and
Vice-Chairman
University Grants Commission
New Delhi.
3. Professor Barun De
Director
Centre for Studies in Social Sciences
10, Lake Terrace
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4. Professor S. Gopal
Professor of History
Jawaharlal Nehru University
and
Chairman
National Book Trust, India
New Delhi.

5. Professor B. N. Goswami
Professor of Fine Arts
Punjab University
Chandigarh.
6. Professor J. S. Grewal
Professor of History
Guru Nanak University
Amritsar.
7. Professor Irfan M. Habib
Professor of History
Aligarh Muslim University
Aligarh.
8. Professor A. R. Kulkarni
Head, Department of History
Poona University
Poona.
9. Professor Satish C. Misra
Head, Department of History
M. S. University
Baroda.
10. Professor K. A. Nizami
Head, Department of History
Aligarh Muslim University
Aligarh.
11. Professor K. Rajayyan
Head, Department of Modern History
Madurai University
Madurai.
12. Professor Tapan Raychaudhuri
Professor of History
Oxford University
Oxford (U.K.)
13. Professor H. D. Sankalia
Director
Deccan College
Poona.

14. Professor G. R. Sharma
Head, Department of Ancient History
Allahabad University
Allahabad.
15. Professor Hira Lal Singh
Head, Department of History
Banaras Hindu University
Varanasi.
16. Professor D. C. Sircar
Director
Centre of Advanced Studies in Ancient History
Calcutta.
17. Professor Romila Thapar
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Centre for Historical Studies
Jawaharlal Nehru University
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18. Professor Amales Tripathi
Head, Department of History
Calcutta University
Calcutta.
Member (Ex-officio)
19. Professor S. Nurul Hasan
Minister of Education & Social Welfare
New Delhi.
20. Shri T. P. Singh
Secretary
Ministry of Education & Social Welfare
New Delhi.
21. Shri S. Nargolwala
Joint Secretary
Ministry of Finance & Financial Adviser
Ministry of Education & Social Welfare
New Delhi.
22. Dr. R. C. Gupta
Joint Secretary
University Grants Commission
New Delhi.

23. Shri M. N. Deshpande
Director-General of Archaeology
New Delhi.
24. Dr. S. N. Prasad
Director
National Archives of India
Janpath, New Delhi.
25. Representative of the Govt. of India (*vacant*)
26. Member-Secretary (*vacant*)

APPENDIX II

RESEARCH PROJECTS SANCTIONED

- (1) Dr. A. M. Shastri, Head, Department of Ancient Indian History, Nagpur University, Nagpur. *A Study of some 3000 Coins of the Maghas of Kausambi and South Kosala.* The work has been completed by him by the end of the period under report. Amount sanctioned: Rs. 500; Amount released: Rs. 475.
- (2) Dr. I. K. Sharma, Deputy Superintending Archaeologist, Archaeological Survey of India, Hyderabad. *The Coinage of the Satavahana Empire.* The project has been completed by the end of the year under report. Amount sanctioned: Rs. 1,500; Amount released: Rs. 1,425.
- (3) Dr. M. Pattabhirama Reddy, Principal, Jawahar Bharati, Kavali, Andhra Pradesh. *The Agrarian System in Andhra: 1757-1857.* Time span: 2 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 13,600 plus overhead charges; Amount released: Rs. 3,400. Substantial progress has been made in collecting basic data.
- (4) Professor K. Rajayyan, Head, Department of Modern History, Madurai University, Madurai, Tamilnadu. *The Historical Ballads in Tamil.* Time span: 2½ years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 14,000 plus 5% overhead charges; Amount released: Rs. 3,000. Historical ballads have been compiled and their analysis is continuing.
- (5) Dr. S. Vijayalakshmi, Madras. *Freedom Movement in Tamilnadu.* Time span : 2 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 24,360; Amount released: Rs. 11,570. The scholar has made steady progress in collecting material for the topic of research from such sources as the records in the local archives, contemporary literature in Tamil, Telugu and Malayalam, and newspapers like *The Hindu* (English) and *Swadesamitran* (Tamil).

- (6) Shri C. L. Porichukutty, School of Arts, Trivandrum. *Indigenous Arts of Kerala (Plastic Forms)*. Time span: 3 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 12,000; Amount released: Rs. 2,000. The scholar has made a detailed survey of the plastic forms of the indigenous arts of Kerala and started working on their nature, style and diversities.
- (7) Dr. V. S. Bhargava, Ajmer. *Survey, Editing and Microfilming of Historical Records of the erstwhile Thikanas of Ajmer and Merwara*. Time span: 3 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 49,700; Amount released: Rs. 17,915. The two *thikanas*, the historical records of which are being edited under this project, are Bhinai and Masuda. The Project Director has completed the work on *thikana* Bhinai and submitted the manuscript. The records of the *thikana* Masuda are under survey now.
- (8) Dr. Narain Singh Bhati, Jaipur. *Comprehensive Catalogue of Historical works on Rajasthan*. Time span: 1 year; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 16,000; Amount released : Nil. This project envisages the preparation of a descriptive catalogue of those books which have bearing on the social, economic and political history of medieval Rajasthan. During the period under report, the hundred manuscripts relating to the Jodhpur division have been covered. Work on other areas is under progress.
- (9) Dr. Sarojini Regani, Director, State Archives, Tarnaka, Hyderabad. *Preparation of a Descriptive Catalogue of Mughal documents of Aurangzeb's reign*. Time span: 2 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 24,000; Amount released: Rs. 10,400. This project is designed to bring to light about one lakh Mughal documents of Aurangzeb's reign lying at the Andhra Pradesh State Archives, Hyderabad. These documents consist of *Farman Parwancha, Takid, Roznamcha Mahzar, Ahkam, Iltimas, Sivah-i-Huzur, 'Arz-o-Chehra, Yad-dasht, Dastak, Qabizu's-Wasul, Daul, Tumar*, etc. During 1974-75 substantial progress has been made by the Project Director in the preparation of the Catalogue.
- (10) Professor Satish Chandra, Vice-Chairman, University Grants Commission, New Delhi. *Publication of Select Documents*

pertaining to the social and economic history of Northern India during the 17th and 18th Centuries. Time span: 2 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 23,000; Amount released : Rs. 11,000. The Project Director has so far collected several hundred documents mainly from the Rajasthan State Archives, Bikaner. The Director, Rajasthan State Archives is also associated with the project. During the period under report notes have been written on the collected material. Further sources relevant to the subject have also been collected.

- (11) Dr. Raghubir Singh, Sitamau (Malwa). *Jodhpur Rajya Ki Khyat: Critical Edition and Comparative Study (upto A.D. 1724).* Time span: 1½ years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 20,900; Amount released: Rs. 8,000. The manuscript is nearing completion.
- (12) Dr. Surendra Gopal, Patna. *Compilation of Russian Documents Concerning 17th and 18th Century India.* Time span: 2 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 9,000; Amount released: Rs. 4,000. The Project Director has made substantial progress in the compilation of material.

In addition to the twelve research projects mentioned above, the Council has also extended the period of the following five research projects:

- (i) Shri P. C. Joshi, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. *Documented History of the Communist Party of India: 1917-56 (Volumes I to VIII).* Extended for one year on earlier terms; Amount released: Rs. 17,225.85.
- (ii) Shri A.C. Guha, 5 Gurdwara Rakabganj Road, New Delhi. *History of Political Movements in Bengal: 1920-47.* Extended for one year. Amount sanctioned: Rs. 750 per month; Amount released: Rs. 7,800.
- (iii) Dr. Qeyamuddin Ahmad, Department of History, Patna University, Patna. *Photographing of Maps of Parganas of Bihar.* Extended for 9 months. Amount sanctioned: Rs. 6,000; Amount released: Rs. 5,000.
- (iv) Dr. K. N. Panikkar, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. *Social Change in Malabar in the 19th and 20th Century.* Extended for one year. Amount sanctioned: Rs. 5,000; Amount released: Nil.

APPENDIX III

RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS SANCTIONED

Reports from the fourteen scholars who have been sanctioned research fellowships show the progress made towards the completion of the projects. Details are furnished below:

- (1) Shri Sahab Sarmadce, Department of History, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh. *Music in Medieval India with a comprehensive and descriptive Bibliography of Works on Music in Persian, Sanskrit and other languages written in India during the medieval period.* Time span: 2 years; Amount sanctioned Rs. 38,000; Amount released: Rs. 8,750.
- (2) Shri Bishwa Mohan Prasad, Lecturer in History, G.L.M. College, Banamankh, Purnea, Bihar. *Impact of the Second World War on Coal, Iron, Steel and Jute Industries in Eastern India.* Time span: 2 years; Amount sanctioned: Protection of salary for the scholar and a sum of Rs. 3,000 for 2 years for contingency expenses.
- (3) Shrimati Karuna Goswami, C/o Professor B.N. Goswami, Department of Fine Arts, Punjab University, Chandigarh. *Kashmir Paintings: A Study based mostly on illustrated manuscripts.* Time span: 2 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 17,000 inclusive of contingency expenses; Amount released: Rs. 4,500.
- (4) Shri K. K. Trivedi, Research Fellow, Department of History, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh. *The Mughal Province of Agra during the 17th Century.* Time span: 6 months; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 3,500; Amount released: Rs. 3,250.
- (5) Dr. Jhinkoo Yadava, Varanasi. *A critical Study of Politics and Religion in Ancient India with special reference to Jaina sources.* Time span: 3 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 500 p.m. + Rs. 1,000 p.a. as contingent grant; Amount released: Rs. 7,000.

- (6) Shri Mohinder Singh, Delhi University, Delhi. *Akali Movement in Punjab: 1920-25*. Time span: 4 months; Amount sanctioned: 4611.50 towards air fare and maintenance in London; Amount released: Rs. 4611.50.
- (7) Shrimati Lolita Nehru, Elgin Road, Calcutta. *A Study of the Sculptures of early Mathura in the Context of the contemporary life*. Time span: 2 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 800 p.m.+Rs. 5,000 as contingent grant for two years.
- (8) Shri Abdul Matin Sarkar, Lecturer, Govt. College of Art and Crafts, Dacca, Bangladesh. *The Mughal Painters of Akbar's Court*. Time span: 4 months; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 1,000 p.m.+Rs. 3,000 contingency; Amount released: Nil.
- (9) Kumari Kamlesh Mohan, Lecturer in History, Govt. College, Kalka, Haryana. *Rise and Growth of Militant Nationalism in Punjab: 1918-30*. Time span : 6 months; Amount sanctioned: Fellowship amount equivalent to the scholar's salary and Rs. 500 as contingent grant; Amount released: Rs. 5,937.80.
- (10) Shri Abdul Ali Arghanda, Research Fellow, Deptt. of History, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh. *Economy and Policy of Afghanistan during the 18th Century*. Time span: 2 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 600 p.m.+Rs. 3,000 contingency; Amount released: Rs. 4,350.
- (11) Dr. Hitesranjan Sanyal, Calcutta. *Social Context of Temple Building in Medieval and Early-Modern Bengal*. Time span: 3 months; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 9,595 as air fare to U.K. and back, and £800 @ £8 per day for three months; Amount released: Rs. 9,595+£800.
- (12) Shrimati V. Vasanthi Devi, Professor of History, Queen Mary's College, Madras. *History of Agrarian Relations in Tanjore District 1919-39*. Time span: 2 years; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 1,034.80 p.m.
- (13) Shri Jagdish Chandra Chaturvedi, Institute of Indology, Daryaganj, Delhi. *Preparation of a Bibliography on Indian Art History and Archaeology*. Time span: 2 years; Amount

sanctioned: Rs. 600 p.m.+contingent grant as per the U.G.C. Rules; Amount released: Rs. 6,400.

- (14) Dr. Om Prakash, Reader, Delhi School of Economics, Delhi University, Delhi. *Preparation of a Calender of Dutch Records (1617-21 A.D.)*. Amount sanctioned: Both way airfare from New Delhi to The Hague plus maintenance allowance for 4 months as per the U.G.C. rates; Amount released: Nil.

In addition to the sanction of the fourteen research fellowships detailed above the Council has also extended the following three fellowships:

- (i) Shrimati Manju Chattopadhyaya, 2, Palm Place, Calcutta. *Society and Politics in Bengal: 1857-1885*. Time span: 6 months; Amount sanctioned: Protection of salary for the scholar plus Rs. 1,000 for contingency. Amount released : Rs. 6,974.
- (ii) Dr. (Smt.) Lotika Varadarajan, Sophia College, Bombay. *Preparation of an annotated translation of Memories de Francois Martin from French into English*. Time span: 6 months; Amount sanctioned: Protection of salary for the scholar; Amount released: Rs. 11,940.
- (iii) Dr. S. Aejaz Hussain, Allahabad. *Society in Northern India in the second half of the 19th Century as gleaned from Urdu literature*. Time span: 1 year; Amount sanctioned: Rs. 10,000; Amount released: Rs. 10,000.

APPENDIX IV

SANCTION OF TRAVEL/CONTINGENT GRANTS

- (1) Professor Ashin Das Gupta, Department of History, Vishwabharati, Shantiniketan, West Bengal. *A Study of the Port City of Hooghly : Circa 1700-1757*. A sum of Rs. 1,500 has been granted.
- (2) Dr. J. P. Mishra, Department of History, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi. *Freedom Struggle in Eastern Uttar Pradesh : A Socio-Political Study : 1920-27*. A sum of Rs. 1,000 has been granted.
- (3) Shri Ishtiyaq Ahmad Zilli, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh. *Preparation of a critically edited and annotated text of the Munshaat-i-Namkin*. A sum of Rs. 2,500 has been sanctioned.

APPENDIX V

**GRANT OF SUBSIDY TOWARDS THE PUBLICATION
OF HISTORICAL WORKS**

During the year under report the following theses/manuscripts and journals have been approved for subsidy by the Council towards their cost of publication.

1. Doctrinal Controversies in Early Buddhism (with reference to the Kathavatthu) Dr. S. N. Dube, Department of History and Indian Culture, Rajasthan University, Jaipur.
2. Sufism in Kashmir (from 13th to 16th Century) Dr. A. Quiyum Rafici, 72, Balgarden, Srinagar, Kashmir.
3. Politics and Administration of the State of Marwar 1638-1749 Dr. G. D. Sharma, Rajasthan University, Jaipur.
4. History of Decorative Art in Mughal Architecture Dr. R. Nath, Behind Shivare Dharmashala, Sakhar Colony, Nai Sarak, Lashkar, Gwalior.
5. The Malwa School of Indo-Islamic Architecture Dr. (Smt.) Geeta Banerjee, Department of History, South Campus, Delhi University, New Delhi.
6. Agrarian Economy and Agrarian Relations in Bengal 1859-1885 Dr. B. B. Chaudhury, Flat Y-32, Gariahat Road, Dakshinayan, Calcutta.
7. Foundations of Indo-Soviet Relations Dr. Nirmala Joshi, II A/48, Lajpat Nagar, New Delhi.
8. The Development of Transport in India 1834-1882 Dr. K. E. Verghese, C. M. S. College, Kottayam, Kerala.
9. The Boycott, the Bomb and the Bhadrak : Terrorism in Bengal 1905-1918. Dr. H. Chakravarti, (West Bengal Senior Education Service), 103/13, Ekdalia Road, Calcutta.

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| 10. The Relations of the Delhi Sultanate with Rajasthan 1206-1526 | Dr. M. S. Ahluwalia, Assistant Professor, Department of History, Himachal Pradesh University, Simla. |
| 11. Indo-Iranian Relations in the Age of Great Mughals | Dr. Mascom Raza Kazimi, Archivist, Bihar State Archives, Patna. |
| 12. Transaction of the Archaeological Society of South India | Professor T. V. Mahalingam, President, Archaeological Society of South India, Government Museum, Madras. |

The following manuscripts/theses have been approved subject to the fulfilment of certain requirements such as revision, reduction in size etc.

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| 1. Some Iconographic Concepts in Tamil Country. | Dr. R. Champaklakshmi, Centre for Historical Studies, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. |
| 2. Aspects of Administration and Society in Medieval Andhra 1033-1538 | Dr. C. V. Ramchandra Rao, 435-4, Tekkamitta, Nellore, Andhra Pradesh. |
| 3. Vishnukundies and their Inscriptions | Dr. S. Sankaranarayana, Deputy Superintending Epigraphist, 1098/10, K. M. Puram, Mysore. |
| 4. Origin and Development of Indian Calenderical Science | Dr. A. K. Chakravarthy, Mahishadal Raj College, Mahishadal, P. O. Midnapore. |

The following books were published with the financial assistance of the Council.

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| 1. Britain, India and Turkish Empire 1853-1882 | Dr. R. L. Shukla |
| 2. Agrarian and Fiscal Economy in the Mauryan and Post-Mauryan Age | Dr. N. N. Kher |

3. Kerala under Haider Ali and Tipu Sultan Dr. C. K. Abdul Kareem
4. Religious Institutions and Cults in the Deccan Dr. R. N. Nandi
5. Vedic Bibliography Vol. III Dr. R. N. Dandekar
6. Kashatrapakalnum Gujrat (In Gujarati) (History and Culture of Gujarat of the first four centuries A. D.) Dr. Rasesh Jamindar
7. Pabna Disturbances and the Politics of Rent 1873-85 Dr. K. K. Sen Gupta.
8. The Administration of India under Lord Lansdowne Dr. J. P. Mishra
9. The Quit India Movement: Second World War and Indian Nationalism Dr. A. C. Bhuyan
10. Foundations of Indo-Soviet Relations Dr. Nirmala Joshi
11. Origin and Development of Indian Calenderical Science Dr. A. K. Chakravarthi

The following journals were published with the financial assistance of the Council:

1. Bengal Past and Present (1972-73 and 1974) Calcutta Historical Society, 33/1, Amherst Street, Calcutta.
2. Journal of Indian History (Golden Jubilee Volume) Professor T. K. Ravindran, University of Kerala, Trivandrum, Kerala.
3. Journal of Ancient Indian History (Vol. VI) Professor D. C. Sircar, 645, New Alipore, Calcutta.
4. Commemoration Volume of the Journal of Indian Society of Oriental Art in memory of Dr. Vasudev Saran Aggarwal Indian Society of Oriental Art, 17, Park Street, 3rd Floor, Calcutta.

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| 5. Journal of Numismatic Society of India, (1974-75) | The Numismatic Society of India, P. O. Hindu University, Varanasi. |
| 6. Nineteenth Century Studies | Nineteenth Century Studies, 1/13, Krishnaram Bose Street, Calcutta. |

The proceedings of the sessions of the following professional organizations of historians were published with the assistance of the Council:

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| 1. Proceedings of the 33rd Session of the Indian History Congress held at Muzzafarpur (Bihar) | Indian History Congress |
| 2. Proceedings of the Jabalpur Session of the Indian History Congress | Indian History Congress |
| 3. Proceedings of the Beawar Session of the Rajasthan History Congress | Rajasthan History Congress |

During the period under report an amount of Rs. 37,799.10 was sanctioned towards the publication of theses/manuscripts and a sum of Rs. 12,339.10 was released. Likewise, a sum of Rs. 6,500 was sanctioned towards the publication of journals and Rs. 11,025 (this includes previous year's balances) was released.

APPENDIX VI
**SANCTIONED STRENGTH OF THE STAFF OF
 THE COUNCIL AS ON 31-3-75**

<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Categories of Posts</i>	<i>No. of Posts</i>
1.	Member-Secretary	1
2.	Secretary	1
3.	Director	1
4.	Manager Publication	1
5.	Editor-cum-Project Officer	1
6.	Administrative Officer	1
7.	Accounts Officer	1
8.	Senior Professional	1
9.	Junior Professional	1
10.	Research Officers	4
11.	Assistant Editor	1
12.	Assistant Production Officer	1
13.	Librarian	1
14.	P. S. to Chairman	1
15.	Superintendent Administration	1
16.	Superintendent Accounts	1
17.	Senior Research Assistants	3
18.	Editorial Assistants	2
19.	Production Assistant	1
20.	Senior Stenographers	2
21.	Library Assistant	1
22.	Technical Assistant	1
23.	Assistants	6
24.	Caretaker	1
25.	Junior Account-cum-Cashier	1
26.	U. D. Cs.	2
27.	Accounts Clerks	2
28.	Junior Stenographers	4
29.	L. D. Cs.	14

<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Categories of Posts</i>	<i>No. of Posts</i>
30.	Xerox operator	1
31.	Staff car driver	1
32.	Bradma Operator	1
33.	Gestetner operator	1
34.	Class IV	13

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
IV. <i>Sale of Books</i>			D. <i>Office Expenses</i>			
i. Makers of Modern India	10,087	10,087	Misc. Contingencies	46,397	46,397	
V. <i>Receipt of Accounts</i>			E. <i>Capital Expenditure</i>			
i. C. G. H. S.	321	321	Furniture & Office Equipment	18,820	18,820	
ii. Recovery of Festival Advance	1,835	1,835	Total Disbursement Non-Plan			3,59,000
iii. <i>Recovery of Other Advances</i>						
(a) Chairman's Office	4,340		PLAN PROJECT			
(b) Translation Project	72,959		II.A. <i>Administration</i>			
(c) State Legislature Unit	975	78,274	i. Pay and Allowances of Establishment	40,046		
vi. Miscellaneous Receipts	4,160	4,160	Total		40,046	
			B. <i>Academic Programme</i>			
			i. Pay & Allowances of Officers	9,700		
			ii. Pay & Allowances of Establishment	39,872		
			iii. T.A. of Officers & Establishment	2,939		
			iv. Leave Salary & Pension Contribution		430	
			Total			52,941
			C. <i>Documentation Centre</i>			
			i. Pay & Allowances of Officers and Establishment	18,548		
			ii. T.A. of Officers and Establishment	732		
			Total			19,280
			D. <i>State Legislature Unit</i>			
			i. Pay and allowances of Officers and Establishment	83,395		
			ii. T.A. of Officers & Establishment	6,013		
			iii. Leave Salary & Pension Contribution		822	
			iv. Misc. Contingencies	7,584		
			Total			97,814
		22,91,002				

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Brought Forward	22,91,002					
			E. <i>Second World War</i>			
			i. Honorarium paid to authors	10,654		
			Total		10,654	
			F. <i>Office Expenses</i>			
			i. Misc. Contingencies	16,385		
			Total		16,385	
			G. <i>Rent of the Building</i>	94,372		94,372
			H. <i>Debt, Deposit and Advances</i>			
			i. Festival Advance	1,300		
			ii. Other Advances (Chairman's Office)	7,000		
			iii. State Legislature Unit	200		
			Total		8,500	
			I. <i>Capital Expenditure</i>			
			Books (Documentation Centre)	1,26,266		1,26,266
			III. GRANTS-IN-AID PROGRAMME			
			1. (a) Research Projects	1,85,688		
			(b) Fellowship	88,563		
			(c) Publication Grant	27,825		
			(d) Assistance to Professional Organisations	23,150		
			2. Survey	7,914		
			3. Sources Research Projects	44,750		
			Total		3,77,890	
			IV. PUBLICATION OF THE COUNCIL			
			(a) Manuscripts prepared at the initiative of the I.C.H.R.	50,296		
			(b) Priced Publications	15,144		
			Total		65,440	
	22,91,002					

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Brought Forward	22,91,002		V. SEMINARS, SYMPOSIA AND CONFERENCES			
			(a) T.A. paid to the participants	2,066		
			(b) Other Charges	1,628		
			Total		3,694	
			Total Disbursement Plan			9,13,282
			VI. SPECIAL PROJECTS ASSIGNED TO THE COUNCIL			
			A. <i>Study of Civilization of Central Asia</i>			
			i. Pay & Allowances	13,577		
			ii. T.A. for the meeting of the Committee	6,177		
			iii. Misc. Expenditure	14,439		
			iv. Grants—UNESCO	20,756		
			Total		54,949	
			B. <i>Production of Core Books (Translation Project)</i>			
			(1) <i>Translation of Books in Regional Languages</i>			
			i. Pay and Allowances (Head quarters & Units)	1,56,745		
			ii. T.A. of Officers & Establishment	9,606		
			iii. Leave Salary & Pension Contribution	2,100		
			iv. Miscellaneous Expenditure	75,539		
			Total		2,43,990	
	22,91,002					

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Brought Forward	22,91,002					
			(2) <i>Remuneration paid for Translation</i>			
			i. Translation Rights	34,500		
			ii. Translation charges to translators and vetters	2,16,407		
			Total		2,50,907	
			(3) <i>Preparation of Sources under Translation Project</i>			
			i. Sources of Original Works		20,054	
			Total Disbursement Translation Project			5,14,951
			C. <i>Source Book on Indian Culture</i>			
			i. Pay & Allowances of Officers & Staff	97,841		
			ii. T.A. of Officers & Staff	3,583		
			iii. Miscellaneous Expenditure including rent of the building	57,998		
			Total			1,59,422
			D. <i>Towards Freedom</i>			
			i. Pay & Allowances of Officers & Staff	60,402		
			ii. T.A. of Officers & Staff	1,123		
			iii. T.A. of the meetings	6,734		
			iv. Misc. Expenditure	40,148		
			v. Rent of the Building			
			Total			1,08,407
	22,91,002					

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Brought Forward	22,91,002		E. <i>Debt, Deposit and Advances</i> Other Advances Units (Translation Project)	78,000	78,000	
			F. <i>Capital Expenditure</i> (Special Projects)			
			i. Furniture & Office Equipments (Translation Project)	2,678		
			ii. Furniture & Office Equipment (Civilization of Central Asia)	5,667		
			iii. Furniture & Office Equipment (Source Book on Indian Culture)	2,678		
			iv. Furniture & Office Equipment (Towards Freedom)	5,622		
			<i>Books</i>			
			Translation Project	1,140		
			Towards Freedom	9,545		
			Total Capital Expenditure			27,330
			Total Disbursement Projects			9,43,059
			<i>Closing Balance</i>			
			i. Cash in Hand	2,027		
			ii. Cash at Bank	73,634		
						75,661
	22,91,002		Grand Total Disbursement			22,91,002

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Note: Account Figures have been rounded to nearest rupee.
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INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31.3.1975

EXPENDITURE			INCOME	
Administration	Non-Plan	1,56,717	By Grants received during the year	21,22,264
	Plan	40,046	Other Receipt during the year	94,677
Academic	Non-Plan	1,23,835		
	Plan	52,941	<i>Details</i>	
Documentation Centre	Plan	19,280	✓ Sale of Books	10,087
Other Charges	Non-Plan	13,231	C.G.H.S.	321
Office Expenses	Non-Plan	46,397	Misc. Receipts	4,610
	Plan	16,385	Other Advances	78,274
State Legislature Unit		97,814	Festival Advance	1,835
II World War		10,654		
Rent of the Building		94,372	Total	22,16,941
		6,71,672	Less Grants Capitalised	2,58,916
Grant in Aid Programme		3,77,890	<i>Details</i>	
Publication of I.C.H.R.		65,440	Furniture & Office Equipment Council	18,820
✓ Seminars, Symposia & Conferences		3,694	Furniture & Office Special Projects	16,645
<i>Special Projects</i>			Books Council	1,26,266
Study of Civilization of Central Asia		54,949	Books Special Projects	10,685
Translation Projects		5,14,951	<i>Advances</i>	
Source Book on Indian Culture		1,59,422	Chairman's Office	7,000
Towards Freedom		1,08,407	Other Advances	
Excess of Income over Expenditure		1,600	Projects (Translation)	78,000
		19,58,025	Other Advances (S.L.U.)	200
			Festival Advance	1,300

EXPENDITURE	INCOME
	Net
	19,58,025

19,38,025	19,38,025
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	Sd/- B. R. Grover <i>Director</i>

STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES AND ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1975

In whole rupees.

Liabilities	Amount	Amount	Assets	Amount	Amount
I. TO GRANTS CAPITALISED			I. BY CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		
i. Upto the end of 1973-74	3,50,581		(a) <i>Staff Car</i>		
ii. During 1974-75	1,72,416		i. Upto the end of 1973-74	23,240	
Total		5,22,997	ii. During 1974-75		23,240
II. OUTSTANDING BALANCES			(b) <i>Furniture & Office Equipments</i>		
As on 1.4.74	68,214		i. To the end of the year 1973-74	1,90,140	
Add during 1974-75	86,500		ii. During the year 1974-75	35,465	
Less Adjustments during 1974-75	1,54,714		Council	18,820	
Balance as on 1.4.75	80,109	74,605	Special Projects	16,645	
III. EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE			Total		2,25,605
Upto the end of 1973-74	74,061		(c) <i>Documentation Centre</i>		
During the year 1974-75	1,600		i. Upto the end of 1973-74	1,37,201	
Total		75,661	ii. During the year 1974-75	1,36,951	
			Council	1,26,266	
			Special Projects	10,685	
			Total		2,74,152
			II. ADVANCES OUTSTANDING FESTIVAL ADVANCE		
			i. To the end of the year 1973-74	560	
			Add during 1974-75	1,300	
					1,860
			Less recoveries		1,835
			Balance		25

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Brought Forward		6,73,263	<i>Other Advances</i> Chairman's Office Balance as on 1.4.74 Add during 1974-75	500 7,000 <hr/> 7,500	
			Adjustments 1974-75	4,340	
			Balance		3,160
			<i>State Legislatures Unit</i> Balance as on 1.4.74 Add during 1974-75	775 200 <hr/> 975	
			Adjustments 1974-75	975	
			Balance as on 1.4.75	Nil	
			<i>Translation Project</i> Balance as on 1.4.74 Add during 1974-75	66,379 78,000 <hr/> 1,44,379	
			Adjustments 1974-75	72,959	
			Balance		71,420
			Total		74,605
		6,73,263	III. CLOSING BALANCE		
			Cash and at Bank		75,661
Grand Total		6,73,263	Grand Total		6,73,263

PROFORMA ACCOUNT

*Council-Core Programme
Non-Plan*

Receipt	Amount	Amount	Payment	Amount	Amount
Opening Balance as on 1.4.74	Nil		A. <i>Administration</i>		
Grants from Government of India	3,59,000	3,59,000	i. Pay and Allowances of Officers	25,001	
			ii. Pay & Allowances of Establishment	1,24,738	
			iii. T.A. of Officers and Establishment	1,021	
			iv. Leave Salary & Pension Contribution	5,957	1,56,717
			B. <i>Academic</i>		
			i. Pay and Allowances of Officers	60,523	
			ii. Pay & Allowances of Establishment	63,312	1,23,835
			C. <i>Other Charges</i>	13,231	
			D. <i>Office Expenses</i>	46,397	
			E. <i>Capital Expenditure</i>		
			Furniture and Office equipment	18,820	78,448
		3,59,000			3,59,000

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PROFORMA ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1974-75

Plan Project

In whole rupee

Receipt	Amount	Amount	Payment	Amount	Amount
Opening Balance as on 1.4.75	900	900	Administration	40,046	
Grants from Government of India during the year 1974-75	8,72,000		Academic	52,941	
Grants from Government of India (Reimbursement of charge incurred on Makers of Modern India)	19,164	8,91,164	Documentation Centre	19,280	
<i>Sale of Books</i>			State Legislature Unit	97,814	
i. Makers of Modern India		10,087	II World War	10,654	
Receipt on account of C.G.H.S.	321		Office Expenditure	16,385	
Recovery of Festival Advances	1,835		Rent of the Building	94,372	
Misc. Receipts	4,160	6,316	Debt, Deposit and Advances	8,500	
<i>Other Advances</i>			Library Books	1,26,266	
Chairman's Office	4,340		Grants-in-aid Programme	3,77,890	
S.L.U.	975	5,315	Publication of the Council	65,440	
			Seminar, Symposia and Conferences	3,694	9,13,282
			Closing Balance		500
		9,13,782			9,13,782

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PROFORMA ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1974-75

Study of Civilization of Central Asia

In whole rupee

Receipt	Amount	Amount	Payment	Amount	Amount
Opening Balance as on 1.4.74	38,000		Pay and Allowances of Officers and Staff	13,577	
Grants from Government of India during 1974-75	60,000		T. A. of Staff and the Committee	6,177	
			Misc. Expenditure	14,439	
			Grants under U.N.E.S.C.O.	20,756	
			Furniture and Office Equipment	5,667	
			Closing Balance	37,384	
	98,000			98,000	

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PROFORMA OF ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1974-75
Production of Core Books, under Core Book Programme (Translation Project)

In whole rupee

Receipt	Amount		Payment	Amount	
		Amount			Amount
Opening Balance as on 1.4.74		24,091			
Grants from the Government of India during the year		5,00,000			
<i>Other Advances</i>					
Adjustments of Advance by Units		72,959			
			<i>Translation of Books in Regional languages</i>		
			Pay and Allowances of Officers and Staff		
			Headquarter and Units		
			1,56,745		
			T.A. of Officers & Staff & Committee		
			9,606		
			Leave Salary & Pension Contribution		
			2,100		
			75,539	2,43,990	
			Misc. Expenditure		
			Remuneration paid		
			i. Translation Right		
			34,500		
			ii. Translation charges to translators and vetters		
			2,16,407	2,50,907	
			Furniture and Books		
			<i>Preparation of Sources under Translation Project</i>		
			Sources of Original Works		
			20,054		
			Advances to Units		
			78,000		
			281	98,335	
			Closing Balance		
			5,97,050	5,97,050	

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PROFORMA ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1974-75

Source Book on Indian Culture

In whole rupee

Receipt	Amount	Amount	Payment	Amount	Amount
Opening Balance as on 1.4.74		Nil	Pay and Allowances of Officers and Staff	97,841	
			T.A. of Officers and Staff	3,583	
Grants received from Government of India during the year	1,62,100		Misc. Expenditure including Rent of the Building	57,998	1,59,422
			Furniture and Office equipment	2,678	
			Closing Balance	—	2,678
		1,62,100			1,62,100

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PROFORMA ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1974-75

Towards Freedom

In whole rupee

Receipt	Amount	Amount	Payment	Amount	Amount
Opening Balance as on 1.4.74	11,070		Pay & Allowances of Officers and Staff	60,402	
Grants from Government of India during the year 1974-75	1,50,000	1,61,070	T.A. of the meeting	6,734	
			T.A. of Officers and Staff	1,123	
			Rent of the Building	40,148	1,08,407
			Furniture and Office Equipment	5,622	
			Books	9,545	
			Closing Balance	37,496	52,663
		1,61,070			1,61,070

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