APPENDIX IV

1. The top officer of police at the district level is the SP whereas the top officer of administration at the district level is the Deputy Commissioner. Do you think that the police administration is a part of district administration, the final control of which lies in the authority of the D.C.? If not, do you think police administration is a parallel district level organ functioning independently?

2. Do you feel that the SP should be subordinate to the D.M.?

3. If a citizen is detained by the police for more than 24 hours without producing him/her before the magistrate, is the SP or DM responsible for this unauthorised detention?

4. Is there any Act/Provision of Law controlling the liaison/difference between the general administration and police administration?

5. If answer to Question No. 4 above is 'Yes', are you aware of the coordination process?

6. If answer to Question No. 4 above is 'no', then do you know the process being adopted to resolve any possible deadlock between general administration and police administration?

7. Can the DM conduct a survey checking of the police stations falling within the concerned district?
8. If the posts of Superintendents of D.C. office are made interchangeable with the posts of Deputy Superintendents of Police, do you think it would be in the interests of administration?

9. If the offices of the SP and DM are merged into one, do you think it would add to efficiency?

10. Can a SP arrest a DC, if situation so warrants? Also, can a DC order the arrest of a SP if the situation so demands in the interests of justice and the D.I.G. concerned is not available?