

Article 242

Mr. President : The question is:

“That article 242 stand part of the Constitution.”

The motion was adopted.

Article 242 was added to the Constitution.

Articles 243 to 245

Mr. President : Then we come to article 243.

Shri T. T. Krishnamachari : In any event article 244 will have to be held over because we have not considered the chapter containing the provisions governing financial relations between the Centre and the States. I am told by Shri Alladi Krishnaswami Ayyar that the language of article 243 would also require some revision so we might hold over articles 243, 244 and 245.

Shri M. Ananthasayanam Ayyangar : Article 245 need not be held over.

Mr. President : It refers to articles 243 and 244.

Shri M. Ananthasayanam Ayyangar : In whatever manner the other two articles are amended, we might take up article 245.

Shri T. T. Krishnamachari : Perhaps we might even choose to drop article 245. When we have not decided on articles 243 and 244 this might also be held over.

Mr. President : I think it is better to hold it over.

There is notice of an amendment that a new article should be added after article 243. It is by Shri Prabhudayal Himatsingka. We shall hold that also over.

Article 246

(Amendment Nos. 2828, 2829 and 2830 were not moved.)

Mr. President : The question is:

“That article 246 stand part of the Constitution.”

The motion was adopted.

Article 246 was added to the Constitution.

Mr. President : Now we come to another Part. Shall we take it up?

Shri Mahavir Tyagi : We have gone at a fast pace—much faster than we expected. I do not think people have studied the provisions—I at least have not prepared myself for this.

Mr. President : Then let us go back and repeat some of the past lessons.

Shri T. T. Krishnamachari : We can take up the provisions which we have left over in the Chapter relating to High Courts.