



Preparations for the reception of participants at the 86th IOC Session



The Qutb Minar minaret

Following their organizational success with the Asian Games in 1982, the IOA is determined that the 86th Session of the IOC will be an even greater success. The Indians are particularly conscious that this will be the first Session held in Asia, excepting Japan, and have made comprehensive preparations through an extensive organizational structure. Leading the Organizing Committee for the Session are the IOC members in India, Raja Bhalendra Singh and Mr. Ashwini Kumar, as co-chairmen. Air Vice Marshal C. L. Mehta, Secretary-General of the IOA, adviser Mr. Arun Singh, and the following make up the overall Organizing Committee: All members of the Executive Council of the Indian Olympic Association, numbering 36, eight IOA members who are not on the Executive Council, and fourteen other prominent personalities.

The Working Committee comprises the co-Chairmen, Secretary and 19 members, 15 of whom are from the various Action Committees. These are : Reception, Protocol, Accreditation, Facilities, Conference, Transport and Tourist Activity, Ladies' Programme, Airlines Assistance, Press Centre, Entertainment and Cultural Programme, Finance, Expenditure and Resources, Communications, Security and Traffic, Customs and Visa and finally Health Committee.

▼ A meeting of the Organizing Committee for the 86th IOC Session chaired by Rajah Bhalendra Singh, Mr. Ashwini Kumar and Air Chief Marshal C. L. Mehta, the devoted Secretary General of this Committee.

