[English]

Films produced by NRIs

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4518. SHRI PARASRAM BHARD-WAJ: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state;

- (a) whether the Government have set up any Committee for selection of films produced by NRIs;
- (b) the criteria adopted for selection of films produced by NRIs; and
- (c) the number of films submitted by NRIs during the last three years and the number of films selected out of them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (c). Do not arise.

Newspapers published from Kerala

4519. SHRI KODIKKUNIL SURESH: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Daily newspapers, periodicals and weeklies published from Kerala; and
- (b) the circulation of each daily newspaper, periodical and weekly in the State?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) and (b). As per the information compiled by the Registrar of Newspapers for India—1993', there were 178 dailies, 167 weeklies and 1031 other periodicals published from Kerala as on 31.12.1992. The circulation figures of all these newspapers/periodicals are not available with RNI as only 104 newspapers/periodicals out of the total of 1376 have furnished their annual statement indicating the circulation.

F.M. Channels

4520. SHRI BHERU LAL MEENA: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

 (a) the details of F.M. stations functioning in the country, their range and duration of broadcast; (b) whether any private agencies are permitted to broadcast programmes on F.M. Channels; and

THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) Details are given in the attached *Statements-I* and *II*.

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF

(b) and (c): Yes, Sir. Details are given in the attached Statement-III

STATEMENT-I

Details of F.M. Stations functioning in the country

S. No.	Place	State	Category Scheme	Range
1.	Kottagudam	Andhra Pradesh	2x3 NRS	60 (Kms)
2.	Warangal	Andhra Pradesh	2x5 LRS	67 (Kms)
3.	Nizamabad	Andhra Pradesh	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
4.	Tirupati	Andhra Pradesh	3 LRS	30 (Kms)
5.	Ananthpur	Andhra Pradesh	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
6.	Kurnool	Andhra Pradesh	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
7.	Markapuram	Andhra Pradesh	3 LRS	30 (Kms)
8.	Hyderabad	Andhra Pradesh	3 VB/CBS	50 (Kms)
9.	Jorhat	Assam	2x5 LRS	67 (Kms)
10.	Haflong	Assam	3 LRS	30 (Kms)
11.	Nowgong	Assam	3 LRS	30 (Kms)
12.	Daltonganj	Bihar	2x5 LRS	67 (Kms)

117	Written Answers	VAISAKHA 5, 19	916 (<i>SAKA</i>)	Written Answers 118
S. No.	Place	State	Category Scheme	Range
13.	Hazaribagh	Bihar	3 LRS	30 (Kms)
14.	Purnea	Bihar	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
15.	Singhbhum	Bihar	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
16.	Sasaram	Bihar	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
17.	Patna	Bihar	3 VB/CBS	50 (Kms)
18.	Panaji	Goa	2x3 Stereoxn	60 (Kms)
19.	Surat	Gujarat	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
20.	Godhra	Gujarat	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
21.	Kurukshetra	Haryana	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
22.	Kasauli	Himachal Pradesh	2x5 R.C.	60 (Kms) (Min.) & 150 (Kms) (Max.)
23.	Hamirpur	Himachal Pradesh	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
24.	Dharamshala	Himachal Pradesh	2x5 NRS	67 (Kms)
25.	Jammu	Jammu & Kashmir	3 YV	30 (Kms)
26 .	Kathua	Jammu & Kashmir	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
2 7.	Hassan	Karnataka	2x3 NRS	60 (Kms)
28.	Hospet	Karnataka	2x5 LRS	60 (Kms)
29.	Chitradurg	Karnataka	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)

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S. No.	Place	State	Category Scheme	Range
30	Raichur	Karnataka	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
31.	Mercara	Karnataka	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
32.	Karwar	Karnataka	3 LRS	30 (Kms)
33 .	Cannanore	Kerala	2x3 NRS	60 (Kms)
34.	Cochin	Kerala	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
35.	ldukki	Kerala	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
36.	Khandwa	Madhya Pradesh	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
37 .	Betul	Madhya Pradesh	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
38.	Bilaspur	Madhya Pradesh	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
39.	Shivpuri	Madhya Pradesh	2x3 NRS	60 (Kms)
40.	Chhindwara	Madhya Pradesh	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
41.	Shahdol	Madhya Pradesh	2x3 NRS	60 (Kms)
42.	Balaghat	Madhya Pradesh	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
43.	Raigarh	Madhya Pradesh	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
44.	Guna	Madhya Pradesh	3 KW (INT) LRS	30 (Kms)
45.	Sagar	Madhya Pradesh	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
46.	Bhopal	Madhya Pradesh	3 KW VB/CBS	50 (Kms)

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S. No.	Place	State	Category Scheme	Range
47.	Indore	Madhya Pradesh	3 KW VB/CBS	50 (Kms)
48.	Beed	Maharashtra	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
49.	Ahmednagar	Maharashtra	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
50.	Nanded	Maharashtra	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
51.	Akola	Maharashtra	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
52.	Kolhapur	Maharashtra	2x3 NRS	60 (Kms)
53.	Yeotmal	Maharashtra	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
54.	Satara	Maharashtra	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
55.	Chanderpur	Maharashtra	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
56.	Pune	Maharashtra	2x3 VB/CBS	40 (Kms)
57 .	Nagpur	Maharashtra	2x3 VB/CBS	60 (Kms)
58.	Bombay	Maharashtra	5 FM Chan.	60 (Kms)
59.	Dhule	Maharashtra	2x3 LRS	60 (kms)
60 .	Baripada	Orissa	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
61.	Behrampur -	Orissa	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)
62 .	Bolangir	Orissa	3 (INT) LRS	30 (Kms)
63 .	Bhatinda	Punjab	2x3 LRS	60 (Kms)

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Murshidabad

West Bengal

2x3 LRS

60 (Kms)

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S. No.	Place	State Category Scheme		Range	
82.	Calcutta	West Bengal	5 GM Chann.	50 (Kms)	
83.	Delhi	Union Territory	2x5 FM. Chann.	60 (Kms)	

Legend

LRS : Local Radio Station

NRS : New Radio Station

CBS : Commercial Broadcasting Service

VB : Vividh Bharati

YV : Yuva Vani

RC : Relay Centre

STATEMENT-II

List of F.M. Air stations alongwith transmission hours

S. No.	Name of Station	Transmission Hours	Freq. of Operation (Mzs)
1.	Godhra	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102.2
2.	Jhalawar	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	103.2
3.	Satara	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	103.1
4.	Jhansi	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	103.0
5 .	Sawai Madhopur	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	101.5
6.	Shivpuri	5.28 to 11.10 p.m.	100.2

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S. No.	Name of Station	Transmission Hours	Freq. of Operation (Mzs)
7.	Surat	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	101.1
8.	Beed	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102.9
9.	Sasa Ram	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	103.4
10.	Bilaspur	5.30 to 11.00 p.m.	103.2
11.	Jalandhar	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102.7
12.	Dalton Ganj	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	103.0
13.	Guna	5.30 to 10.00 p.m.	102.3
14.	Nagpur	4.55 to 11.00 p.m.	103.7
15.	Bareilly	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	100.4
16.	Churu	5.00 to 11.10 p.m.	100.7
17.	Raichur	5.00 to 11.05 p.m.	102.1
18.	Medikeri	5.25 to 11.00 p.m.	103.1
19.	Markapuram	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	101.5
20.	Warangal	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	103.5
21.	Obra	5.30 to 11.10 p.m.	102.7
22.	Halflong	4.30 to 10.30 p.m.	100.2
23.	Ahmednagar	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	100.1

129	Written Answers	VAISAKHA 5, 1916 (<i>SAKA</i>)	Written Answers 130
S. No.	Name of Station	Transmission Hours	Freq. of Operation (Mzs)
24.	Raigarh	4.30 to 11.00 p.m.	100.7
25.	Sagar	5.30 to 11.00 p.m.	102.6
26.	Yawatmal	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102.7
27.	Chittorgarh	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102.9
28.	Chaibasa	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	101.7
29.	Betul	4.30 to 11.00 p.m.	103.1
30.	Bhatinda	3.00 to 9.15 p.m.	101.1
31.	Kurukshetra	4.30 to 10.30 p.m.	101.4
32.	Khandawa	5.00 to 11.10 p.m.	101.2
33.	Murshidabad	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102.2
34.	Karwar	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102.3
35.	Hasan	7.35 to 09.05 a.m. 6.25 to 11.05 p.m.	102.2
36.	Nizamabad	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	103.2
37.	Akola	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102.4

5.00 to 11.00 p.m.

4.00 to 10.00 p.m.

100.5

103.2

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Hospet

39. Kailashahar

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131	Written Answers	APRIL 25, 1994	Written Answers 132
S. No.	Name of Station	Transmission Hours	Freq. of Operation (Mzs)
40.	Kolhapur	5.00 to 11.10 p.m.	102.7
41.	Purnea	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102,3
42.	Alwar	4.55 to 11.00 p.m.	103.1
43.	Kothagudem .	6.00 to 9.00 a.m. 6.00 to 11.10 p.m.	100.1
44.	Berhampur	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	100.6
45.	Faizabad	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	101.9
46.	Banswara	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	101.3
47.	Balonia	4.00 to 10.00 p.m.	103.7
48.	Anantpur	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	101.7
49.	Baripada	5.00 to 11.05 p.m.	102.9
50.	Cochin	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102.3
51.	Tirupati	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	103.2
52 .	Chitradurga	5.30 to 9.30 p.m.	102.6
53 .	Bolangir	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	101.9
54.	Kumool	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102.4
55.	Madras	6.55 to 10.00 a.m. 01.00 to 3.00 p.m. 5.00 to 11.00 pm	107.1

133 Written Answers		VAISAKHA 5, 1916 (<i>SAKA</i>)	Written Answers 134	
S. No.	Name of Station	Transmission Hours	Freq. of Ope- ration (Mzs)	
56.	Bombay	6.55 to 10.05 a.m. 12.30 to 3.00 p.m. 5.00 to 10.00 p.m.	107.1	
57.	Calcutta	7.00 to 11.10 p.m.	107.1	
58.	Hazaribagh	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	102.1	
59.	Balaghat	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	101.3	
60.	Chhindwara	4.53 to 11.00 p.m.	102.2	
61.	Nanded	4.55 to 11.10 p.m.	101.1	
62.	Jorhat	4.30 to 10.30 p.m.	103.4	
63.	Kathua	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	106.4	
64.	Patiala	3.00 to 9.00	100.2	
65.	Chanderpur	5.00 to 11.00 p.m.	103.0	
66.	Panaji	6.00 to 9.00 p.m.	105.4	
67.	Kasaul:	It is only a relay centre which relays National Channel prografrom 7.00 p.m. to 6.10 a.m.		
68.	Delhi	6.00 a.m. to 0000 Hours	102.6	
69.	Shahdol	6.30 to 9.00 a.m. 12.30 to 2.30 p.m. 5.30 to 10.30 p.m.	102.0	
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70. C	annanore	5.55 to 9.00 a.m.	
		12.30 to 2.10 p.m. 6.00 to 11.05 p.m.	101.5
		6.00 to 11.05 p.m.	
71. Ja	ımmu	It carries Vividh Bharati Programme	100.3
		6.30 to 10.00 a.m. 12.00 to 12.30 p.m. (Saturday and	*,
		Holidays) (12.30 to 5.30 p.m. on all)	
		other days)	
72. Na	agpur	6.15 p.m. to 11.00 p.m.	100.6
73. Pa	atna	6.15 p.m. to 11.00 p.m.	102.5
74. In	dore .	6.15 p.m. to 11.00 p.m.	101.6
75. Bł	nopal	6.15 p.m. to 11.00 p.m.	103.5
76. Pi	ine	6.15 p.m. to 11.00 p.m.	101.0
77. Hy	/derabad	6.15 p.m. to 11.00 p.m.	102.8
78. No	owgaon	4.28 to 10.30 p.m.	102.7
79. Ha	amirpur	04.58 to 11.10 p.m.	101.8
80. Dł	naramshala	4.55 to 11.10 p.m.	103.4
81. ld	ukki	17.50 to 21.30 Hrs.	101.4
82. Dł	nule	4.58 to 11.10 p.m.	100.5
83. Ja	isalmer	4.55 to 09.30 p.m.	101.8

STATEMENT-III

Details of private agencies who are permitted to broadcast programmes on F.M.Channels, Madras

		riod of Allotment Day		
7 AM to 8 AM	Select Direct Marketing Communications	1.9.93	14.8.94	Daily
8 AM to 9 AM	Priya Vision	1.9.93	14.8.94	Daily

Time	Firm/Banner	Period of A	Allotment	Day(s) of	
Slot		From	То	Broadcast	
9 AM to 10 AM	VRG Agencies	15.3.94	14.8.94	Daily	
1 PM to 2 PM	Karuna Educational Trust	5.12.93	14.8.94	Sundays only	
	M.S. Karthikeyan Malar Publications VRG Agencies	17.12.93 25.2.94 15.2.94	18.2.94 14.8.94 14.8.94	Fridays only Fridays only Except Sundays	
2 PM to 3 PM	S.S. International	15.2.94	14.8.94	Daily	
6 PM to 7 PM	Neyam Visual Associates	15.12.93	14.8.94	Fridays & Saturdays	
	Malar Publications	15.2.94	14.8.94	Monday to Thursday	
7 PM to 8 PM	BennettColeman & Co.	1.9.93	14.8.94	Daily	
8 PM to 9 PM	Malar Publications	15.9.93	14.8.94	Daily	
9 PM to 10 PM	S.S. International	15.11.93	14.8.94	Daily	
Bombay					
7 AM to 8 AM	Star Entertainment Co.	15.8.93	14.8.93	Daily	
8 AM to 9 AM	Midday Publication	15.8.93	14.8.94	Daily	
9 AM to 10 AM	Bennett Coleman Co.	15.8.93	14.8.94	Daily	
1 PM to 3 PM	Bennett Coleman Co.	15.8.93	14.8.94	Daily	
6 PM to 7 AM	Midday Publications	15.8.93	14.8.94	Daily	
7 PM to 10 PM	Bennet Coleman & Co.	15.8.93	14.8.94	Daily	
Deihi					
7 AM to 8 AM	Bennet Coleman & Co.	15.8.93	14.8.94	Daily	
8 AM to 9 AM	Vaishali Udyog Pvt. Ltd	. 15.8.93	14.8.94	Daily	
9 AM to 10 AM	Bennett Coleman & Co.	15.8.93	14.8.94	Daily	

Time	Firm/Banner	Period of Allo	tment	Day(s) of
Slot		From	То	Broadcast
1 PM to 2 PM	Bennett Coleman & Co.	. 15.8.93	14.8.94	Daily
2 PM to 3 PM	Bennett Coleman & Co.	15.8.93	14.8.94	Daily
6 PM to 7 PM	Good Media Pvt. Ltd.	16.11.93	14.8.94	Except Fridays
	Intercard India Ltd.	1.10.93	29.7.94	Fridays only
7 PM to 10 PM	Bennett Coleman & Co. Merged	18.8.93	14.8.94	Daily

Salem Steel Plant

4521. SHRI B. DEVARAJAN: Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the total investment made on SAIL's Salem Steel Plant, its annual capacity utilisation and maintenance expenditure during the last three years;
- (b) whether there are proposals for better capacity utilisation and reduction in production costs of the Steel:
- (c) if so, the details thereof and since when those have been under consideration; and
- (d) the monetary consequences of the delay in taking decisions in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) The investment in Salem Steel Plant since inception in various phases is as under:

Phase I (Cold Rolling Complex)	Rs. 181.19 crores
Phase II (2nd Cold Rolling Mill)	Rs. 76.27 crores
Phase III (Hot Rolling Complex)	Rs. 664.60 crores*

*Scheme is under implementation and amount spent till March'94 is Rs. 188.67 crores (provisional).

Installed capacity of the plant is 70,000 tonnes. Actual production and maintenance expenditure during the last three years was as under:

Year	Production (T)	Capacity Utilisation (%)	Maintenance Expenditure (Rs./Lakhs)
1991-92	41524	59	84.44
1992-93	36082	51.5	79.86
1993-94 (Prov.)	45793	65.4	87.00