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Telecom Policy

799. DR. ASIM BALA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any telecommunication policy, if so, the details thereof;

(b) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the details of principle adopted to ensure the smooth running of the telecommunication system?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) The national Telecom policy is still under consideration of Government.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

CEA Clearance to Thermal Power Stations

800. SHRI A. VENKATESH NAIK: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Central Electricity Authority has given techno-economic clearance to Mahaday Hydro Electric Project, Raichur Thermal Power Station Unit-5, Mysore Thermal Power Station and Hospet Thermal Power Station;

(b) if not, the reasons for the delay; and

(c) the steps proposed to be taken by the Government for their clearance?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) to (c): Details are given below:-

Sl. No.	Name of the project	Capacity	Status
1	Mahaday Hydro-electric Project	345MW	The project report was returned to the State Govt. for submission after resolving the inter-state aspects.
2.	Raichur unit-5	500 MW	Central Electricity Authority had requested Karnataka Power Corporation Limited (KPCL) to obtain clearance from Ministry of Environment & Forests and to submit revised cost estimates.

Sl. No.	Name of the project	Capacity	Status
3.	Mysore Thermal Power Station	500 MW	The project report has been returned to KPCL as certain basic inputs clearances for the scheme are to be tied up by Project Authorities.
4.	Hospet Thermal Power Station	500 MW	-do-

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given below:-

Satellite Stations in Himachal Pradesh

801. SHRI KRISHAN DUTT SULTANPURI: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of satellite stations proposed to be set up in Himachal Pradesh:

(b) the amount likely to be incurred thereon, districts-wise; and

(c) whether any time bound programme has been formulated for the purpose and the details of the work done during last six months in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) The schemes have been sanctioned for providing satellite stations at 19 stations.

(b) The approximate District-wise cost likely to be incurred works out as

S. No.	Name of Distt.	Amount in Lakhs.
1.	Simla	1643.66
2.	Chamba	163.64
3.	Mandi	866.71
4.	Lahul & Spiti	163.64
5.	Kinnaur	409.10
6.	Kullu	81.82

(c) Yes, Sir. Satellite earth station has been provided at Jogindernagar on trial basis and most of the equipments in respect of 15 stations have been ordered. Infrastructure has been made available for commissioning at five locations.

Welfare Activities and Profits Earned by SAIL

802. SHRI BIR SINGH MAHATO: Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state that the year-wise details of the amount spent by SAIL on the welfare Activities of its workers in proportion to the