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Construction Work of T.V. Transmitter Station, Jagdalpur, Madhya Pradesh

2818. SHRI MANKU RAM SODI: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the construction work of the high power transmission power station of Doordarshan, Jagdalpur of Madhya Pradesh has since been started; and

(b) if so, the time by which it is likely to be completed and start functioning?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARIGIRIJA VYAS):

(a) and (b). Construction of building and tower pertaining to the high power TV transmitting station at Jagdalpur has been completed. The project is at final stage of completion and is expected to be commissioned by March, 1992.

[*English*]

Mail Boxes on Ground Floor of Multi Storeyed buildings in Karnataka

2819. SHRIMATI CHANDRA PRABHA URS: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Department of Posts has decided to make mandatory installation of Mail boxes on the ground floor of multi-storeyed buildings from January, 1992;

(b) if so, the names of the cities in Karnataka where this rule will come into force from January 1, 1992;

(c) whether the Department has identified the apartments & Other multi-storeyed buildings and notified the same; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The names of the cities which will receive the main thrust of attention are Bangalore, Mysore, Dharwar, and Hubli.

(c) Yes Sir, mentioned at (b) above.

(d) The number of addresses in storeyed buildings, identified in the cities is 56,517.

Appeals were sent to 55,133 of them. The process is continuing.

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Microwave System in Gujarat

2820. SHRI CHANDUBHAI DESHMUKH: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the names of places where small and big Telephone Exchanges are functioning in Bherooch, Baroda and Surat districts of Gujarat; and

(b) the number of Telephone Exchanges out of them which have been linked with micro-wave system?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) The information is given in the attached Statement

(b) The exchanges in these districts which have been linked with microwave system are as under:

Bheroch - Two (Behrooch, Ankleshwar)
Baroda : Three (Baroda, Dabhol, Kewadia colony)
Surat - Two (Surat, Kawas)