Commemorative Postal Stamps in the **Memory of Eminent Persons**

1744. SHRI BHUWAN CHANDRA KHANDURI: **PAWAN** SHIR KUMAR BANSAL: SHRI G. MADE GOWDA: SHRI SURENDRA PAL PA-THAK.

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government propose to issue commemorative postal stamps this year in the memory of eminent persons on the occasion of their birth centenary celebrations; and
 - (b) if so, the details thereof?

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

(b) A commemorative postage stamp on Asit Kumar Haldar, a well known painter approved on the occasion of his birth centenary in 1990, is proposed to be issued in December, 1991.

installation of T.V. Towers in U.P.

1745. SHRI BHUWAN CHANDRA KHANDURI: Will the Minister of INFORMA-TION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of the places in Pauri and Chamoli districts of Uttar Pradesh where T.V. towers have been installed under Doordarshan expansion scheme:
- (b) whether the T.V. towers in those districts are functioning satisfactorily;

(c) whether there is any proposal to instal low power T.V. towers at more places in these two districts; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND **BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRLIA VYAS):** (a) and (b). One low Power transmitter at Pauri, one transposer at Srinagar and one very low power transmitter at Gopeshwar are at present providing TV service in the districts of Pauri Garhwal and Chamoli respectively. These transmitters are reported to be functioning satisfactorily.

(c) and (d). A low power TV transmitter at Kotdwar in Pauri Garhwal district and a very low power TV transmitter at Joshimath in Chamoli district are envisaged to be set up to strengthen TV service in these districts.

[English]

Dynamic S.T.D./I.S.D. Control Facility in Kerala

1746, SHRI P.C. THOMAS: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Dynamic S.T.D./I.S.D. Control Facility (Computer Lock) is available in Electronic Telephone Exchanges of Kerala:
 - (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government propose to Provide this facility in all the exchanges in the State; and
 - (d) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) Dynamic STD/ ISD Control facility (Computer lock) is available only in 6 E-10 B exchanges and one 512 Port ILT exchange in Kerala.

- (b) They are
 - Trivandrum Medical College
 Tel. Exchange.
 - 2. Trivandrum-Ambalamukku RLU Exchange.
 - 3. Karyavattom RLU Exchange.
 - 4. Kottayam TelExchange.
 - 5. Ernakulam Palarivattom Tel. Exchange.
 - Ernakulam Wellington Island Tel. Exchange.
 - 7. Kanjikode ILT 512 Port Tel. Exchange.

- (c) No. Sir. It is not technically feasible.
 - (d) Does not arise.

[Translation]

New Post Offices in Gujarat

1747. SHRI KASHIRAM RANA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government propose to open new Post Offices in Surat and Baroda districts of Gujarat; and
- (b) if so, the places where these post offices are likely to be opened?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. The details are given as hereunder:-

SI. No.	Name of District	Departmental Sub Office	Extra Depart- mental Branch Office
1.	Surat	Aghodia GIDC in Katargam GIDC Sachin GIDC Altha- namroli Limbayat and Signapoe in Surat	Uskar, Ramkund Hiravadi, Asarmas, vadpada, Sheodi in Surat
2 .	Vadodara	Atchalamali	Bharvada, Dhanaros, Karodia, Brancho- devia in Vadodara