

<i>Name of the District</i>	<i>No. of Exchanges planned to be expanded & modernised</i>	<i>Name of Exchanges planned to be expanded and modernised during 1991-92</i>
		KHUMTAWADA, PITHALPUR, ROHTSHALA, SONGADH, VALUKAD, VANDA, VIJAPADI, ZAMRALA
RAJKOT	66	PADDHARI, VIRPUR, DERDI, JETALSAR
JUNAGADH/ PORBANDAR	75	MENDARDA, TALALA, RANAVAV, VANTHALI, VISAVADAR, UA, AJAB, AKOLWADI, GIR GADHADA, KHIRSARA, MADHAVPUR, MAJEWADI, MORASA, MOTI MONPARI, SHAHPUR, TIKAR, VADAL.

Computerisation of Rourkela Telephone Exchange

3899. KUMARI FRIDA TOPNO: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to replace the existing machines at Rourkela telephone exchange with computerised ones;

(b) if so, the time by which computerisation is likely to be completed;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the construction of the new Telephone Bhavan at Rourkela has been delayed; and

(e) if so, the reasons therefor?

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

There is a proposal to replace existing Electro - Mechanical Exchange by E 10B Electronic Exchange.

(b) 4000 lines E 10B electronic exchange is planned to be commissioned by 93-94 at Rourkela Plant.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise.

Electronic Exchanges in Bhandara, Maharashtra

3900. SHRI PRAFUL PATEL: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of electronic telephone exchanges proposed to be installed in Bhandara district of Maharashtra during 1991-92;