

INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether a decision has been taken to telecast educational programmes via INSAT in four districts of Uttar Pradesh namely Gorakhpur, Deoria, Basti and Azamgarh ;

(b) if so, the time by which this programme will be started ; and

(c) the reasons for delay in starting this programme ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI V.N. GADGIL) : (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. In fact, educational television programmes via INSAT-IB are already telecast in the coverage areas of all transmitters installed in the State of Uttar Pradesh, including the four districts in question.

(c) Does not arise.

[*English*]

Introduction of Delhi Rent Control Bill and Apartments Bill

2018. SHRI H.N. NANJE GOWDA :

SHRI G.S. BASAVARAJU :

Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Delhi Rent Control (Amendment) Bill and Apartments Bill have been under active consideration of Government since long for introduction in Parliament ;

(b) the nature of hinderances that are coming in way of introducing the said Bills ; and

(c) the time by which the proposed Bills will be introduced and implemented ?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI ABDUL GHAFOOR):

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) (i) *Delhi Rent Control (Amendment) Bill.*

The recommendations of the Delhi Metropolitan Council have since been received. The matter has to be processed further before a bill could be introduced in the Parliament.

(ii) *Apartments Bill.*

Some essential formalities are required to be completed before this bill could be introduced in the Parliament.

(c) It is not feasible to lay down any time limit for enactment of these Bills.

Telecast of Foreign Feature Films Over Doordarshan During 1984

2019. SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) the number of foreign feature films telecast by Doordarshan during the year 1984 and 1985 ;

(b) whether there is any proposal to telecast more foreign feature films on network programme ; and

(c) if so, the detail thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI V.N. GADGIL) : (a) A total of 23 foreign feature films were telecast by Doordarshan during 1984. During 1985, till 15-7-1985, they have telecast 6 foreign feature films.

(b) and (c). Doordarshan are at present telecasting once foreign feature film on its national network on 1st/3rd Saturday of the month. However, due to paucity of telecast time available, it would not be possible to increase its frequency.