Shifting of Wireless Monitoring station from Jayanagar, Bangalore

4731, SHRI V. S. KRISHNA IYER: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to shift the Wireless Monitoring Station located at Vth Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore to some other place; and
 - (b) if so, the reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a) above.

Automatic telephone exchange at Dharmasthala

- 4732. SHRI V.S. KRISHNA IYER: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:
- (a) whether in view of Dharmasthala being a famous pilgrim centre, where hundreds of devotees including VIPs pay visit every day, Government propose to set up one single automatic telephone exchange covering Bethangady, Ujire and Dharmasthala with STD facilities; and
- (b) if so, the likely date by which it will be started?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a) above.

Late delivery of telegram in Bihar

- 4733. SHRI CHANDRA KISHORE PATHAK: Will the Minister of COM-MUNICATIONS be pleased to state:
 - (a) the number of complaints received

about non-delivery or very late delivery of telegrams in Bihar State during last three years; and

(b) the remedial measures Government have taken in this regard to improve the service?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA): (a) The number of such complaints received during the last three years in Bihar Telecom Circle are given below:—

Year	N	No. of Complaints
1982-83	• •	235
1983-84	• •	308
1984-85	••	356

(b) Suitable instruction have been issued to concerned officers. Action is also taken against erring officials. Refunds are also considered in justified cases for returning the cost of telegrams.

Closure of Large Scale Industries during 1984-85

- 4734. SHRI CHANDRA KISHORE PATHAK: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:
- (a) the number of large scale industries which were closed during 1984-85; and
- (b) the number of persons rendered unemployed on account of such closures?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNA-CHALAM): (a) and (b). Information regarding the industrial units lying closed in the country is centrally collected by the Ministry of Labour in respect of factories registered under the Factories Act,