

1	2	3
23.	Uttar Pradesh	25170
24.	West Bengal	14918
Total: (States)		117952
Total: (U.Ts.)		149
Total (All - India)		118101

[*Translation*]

### **Ban on Refining of Mustard/Groundnut Oils**

3347. SHRIVILAS MUTTEMWAR: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to ban the refining of mustard and groundnut oils to contain the rising prices of edible oils, if not, the reasons therefor;

(b) whether Government have permitted the manufacturers to mix non-edible oils with Vanaspati Ghee;

(c) if so, the quantity of non-edible oils used annually by the vanaspati manufacturers; and

(d) whether as a result of it, the prices of non-edible oils have been rising continuously and for the same reason the prices of soaps are also rising?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) No, Sir. Solvent extracted mustard and groundnut oils have to be refined before they can be consumed. Some consumer preference for refined expeller mustard and

groundnut oils also exists.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) and (d). Do not arise.

[*English*]

### **Models of Motorcycles and Scooters**

3348. SHRI N. DENNIS: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 3047 on 17 March 1987 regarding models of Motorcycles and Scooters and state:

(a) whether the requisite information has since been collected; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Information from some of the manufacturers is awaited.

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

[*Translation*]

### **New Telephone Connections in Delhi**

3349. SHRIMATI MADHUREE SINGH: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of new telephone connections likely to be provided in different areas of Delhi by the end of the current year; and

(b) the number of telephone applicants in various areas in Delhi and the time by which they are likely to get telephone connections?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SONTOSH MOHANDEV): (a) About 30,000 new telephone connections have been provided in different areas of Delhi upto July, 1987 during the current year. 8500 more connections are expected to be provided in the remaining part of the current year.

(b) A statement showing the number of persons registered for telephone connections as on 30.7.87 in different telephone exchanges of Delhi who are yet to be allotted telephone connection given below.

Subject to availability of equipments, it is planned to clear the waiting list upto 30-9-86 by 1989-90.

### STATEMENT

*Number of applications pending as on 30-7-87 in different areas of Delhi.*

<i>Area/Level</i>	<i>Name of the exchange</i>	<i>No. of persons on waiting list</i>
1	2	3
<i>Central</i>		
31,32,34,35	Janpath	2220
61,62 & 69	Jorbagh	4145
331	Kidwai Bhavan	2565
38	Rajpath	1722
301	Sena Bhavan	584
36	Lodhi Road (PRX)	82
<i>Vorth</i>		
745 Alipur	172	
746 Badli	1208	
23,25,291 & 292	Tis Hazari	6706
747 Narela	436	
74,711,712,721,722	Shakti Nagar	31040
<i>East</i>		
26,27	Delhi Gate	7100

1	2	3
51,52,77,73	Idgah	9143
20 (North of G.T. Road)	Shahdara	4843
220/284 (South of G.T. Road)	Laxmi Nagar	18494
21 (North of G.T. Rd.)	Shahdara	2591
<i>South</i>		
60,67	Chanakyapuri	7012
65,66	Hauz Khas	7556
641,643,644	Nehru Place	17691
63,683	Ohkla	4996
<i>West</i>		
39	Cantonment	979
55	Janakpuri	7242
56,58,571,572	Karolbagh	11864
87	Nagloi	2033
806 Najafgarh	493	
50,53,59,541,543,545	Rajouri Garden	29602
Total		182519

[English]

**Construction of General Post Office Building at Agartala**

3350. SHRI AJOY BISWAS: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have decided

to construct new building of the general post office at Agartala in place of old building; and

(b) if so, the project cost of the new building and when it will be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) Yes Sir.