S No	Name of District	Total Offices
44	Ujjain	180
45	Vidisha	136

(English)

Ground Water Exploration

5236 SHRI CHHITUBHAI GAMIT. SHRI ANADI CHARAN DAS

Will the Minister of WATER RE SOURCES be pleased to state

- (a) whether the Geomorphological and linement maps prepared using remote sens ing studies have shown any success to aid ground water exploration in the country and
- (b) if so the details thereof particularly its success in Orissa and Gujarat?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA) (a) Yes Sir

(b) The Central Ground Water Board under its ground water exploration programme aided by Remote Sensing Geophysical and hydrogeolgical studies has dilled 14 exploratory wells in Gujar it and 142 exploratory wells in Onssa Out of these 8 wells in Gujarat and 105 wells in Onssa have been successful the success rate being 57 and 74% respectively

[Translation]

Free Telephone Facilities in Hospitals

5237 SHRI DAU DAYAL JOSHI Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state

- (a) whether the Government had made an announcement last year that free tele phone facilities would be made available in the Central Government hospitals
- (b) if so the names of the hospitals, where this facility has been provided and
- (c) the time by which this facilities is likely to be provided in all the Central Government Hospitals?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MIN ISTEROF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRIP V RANGAYYA NAIDU) (a) Sir Instructions to provide free telephone facilities for local calls at al Major Hospitals and District Hospital in the cities where the Emergency patients are admitted were issued in August 1991

(b) and (c) The information regarding compliance of above instructions is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House

[English]

Flight between Calicut and Sharjah

5238 SHRI SHIBU SOREN Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOUR ISM be pleased to state

- (a) whether the Indian Airlines is starting flight between Calicut and Sharjah
- (b) if so, the likely date of inaugural flight and whether the length of Calicut airport run

way is adequate for landing and take off of wide bodied aircraft, and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor and the steps being taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA) (a) to (c) Indian Airlines has introduced a thrice weekly service with effect from 15th February 1992 Calicut runway is not adequate to handle wide bodies aircraft Upgradation is not possible because of prohibitive cost

Development of Aerodrome in Satara District

5239 SHRIPRATAPRAOB BHONSLE Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state

- (a) whether the Union Government pro pose to develop an Aero Drome in Satara district and
- (b) if so the details thereof and the progress made in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA) (a) No, Sir

(b) Does not arise

[Translation]

Film with French Collaboration

5240 SHRI RAJASH KUMAR SHRIMATI SHEELA GAUTAM

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state

(a) whether it is proposed to produce films in collaboration with France.

- (b) if so, whether such films are proposed to be shown in the European market.
- (c) whether the profit earned will come to India in foreign exchange, and
- (d) if so, the amount of foreign exchange likely to be earned therefrom?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MIN ISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROAD-CASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS) (a) Yes, Sir It is a fact that on 13 12 91 Government of India have approved a joint venture between France Cinema Diffusion and Shri Rajesh Khanna, an Indian Promoter The main objectives are as follows

- (I) Import, distribute French Films in India and other agreed countries,
- (ii) Promotion of French films through the media of cinema, theaters, galleries, video, television, publications, exhibitions and such other media as may be legally permissible
- (iii) Production and co-production of Films and Promotion thereof,
- (iv) Promotion of Indian films overseas particularly in non traditional markets.
- (v) Assist in making available fully paid scholarships for India students to study various dimensions of film making in France,

This will be in addition to the normal number of scholarships made available by the Government of France or any of its agencies

(vi) Assist in technological upgradation of selected theaters in India and fund such upgradation and to arrange availability of French experts to advise on such upgradation.