PANY AFFAIRS (SHRI ARIF MOHAM -MAD KHAN) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

#### **Cost Structure of Newsprint**

1099. SHRI SATYENDRA NARAIN-SINHA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether newsprint manufacturing units are coming up according to schedule;

(b) if not, the causes for delay;

(c) the projected cost structure of indigenous newsprint and how does it compare with imported newsprint in quality and price; and

(d) whether Government are considering any alternative raw material for manufacture of newsprint?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN MINIS-TRY OF INDUSTRY AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI ARIF MOHAMMAD KHAN): (a) and (b). In addition to the existing installed capacity for manufacture of newsprint in the country, an additional capacity of 5.83 lakn tonnes has been approved by way of Industrial Licences/ Letters of Intent. These are under various stages of implimentation.

(c) The projected cost structure of indigenous newsprint would depend on the investment cost of the projects, cost of raw material and other inputs. The quality of indigenous newsprint is expected to be broadly comparable with that of imported newsprint.

(d) A major portion of the additional capacity approved is based on utilisation of bagasse and waste newsprint as raw material.

### Introduction of STD Facility between Jaipur and District Headquarters in Rajasthan

1100. SHRI MOOL CHAND DAGA : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 111 dated the 22nd January, 1985 regarding introduction of STD facility between Jaipur and District Headquarters in Rajasthan and state the names of district headquarters in Rajasthan which will be linked by STD with Jaipur in 1985, 1986 and 1987 ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA): Names of District Headquarters in Rajasthan which are proposed to be linked by STD with Jaipur in 1985, 1986 and 1987 are as follows:—

1985 : Dholpur

1986 : Jodhpur

1987 : Bikaner ann Sriganganagar

## Production and quality of Maruti Cars

1101. SHRI SHIVENDRA BAHADUR SINGH: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Maruti Udyog Limited has sold out 10,007 cars in a period of one year and it plans to deliver 40,000 cars in the next year; and

(b) if so, whether the standard and quality will also be maintained ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND COM-PANY AFFAIRS (SHRI ARIF MOHAM-MAD KHAN) : (a) Maruti Udyog would be selling about 20,000 cars and 2000 vans during 1984-85 and has plans to manufacture about 36000 cars and 12000 vans during 85-86.

(b) The policy of the Company is to accord top most priority to consistency of quality.

#### Direct Dialling Service from Rajanandgaon to Delhi

1102. SHRI SHIVENDRA BAHADUR SINGH : Will the Minister of COMMUNI-CATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal to start STD facilities between Rajnandgaon and Delhi or any other city;

(b) if so, the time by which the STD service will be started; and

(c) if not the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Rajnandgaon is proposed to be provided with S.T.D. facilities during 7th five year plan. (c) Does not arise.

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#### New Cantonment in Raipur

1103. SHRI SHIVENDRA BAHADUR SINGH: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government propose to establish a cantonment at Raipur in Madhya Pradesh; and

(b) if so, the reason for selecting Raipur for this purpose ?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI P.V. NARASIMHA RAO): (a) There is no such proposal at present.

(b) Does not arise.

## Service Conditions of Extra-Departmental postal Employees

1104. SHRIMATI KISHORI SINHA : Will the Minister of COMMUNICA-TIONS be pleased to state :

(a) whether extra-departmental postal employees have been sanctioned any pay increase in the last twelve months;

(b) if not, when was their pay last revised;

(c) whether they have been agitating for improvement in their service conditions; and

(d) if so, Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTERY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA) : (a) and (b). The consolidated allowance of EDAs have been revised from 1.9.1984.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) The Government has recently appointed a One-Man ED Committee which is . looking into the working of the ED system in the Department of Posts.

# Radio and Optical Fibre Cable System in City Telephone Exchanges in Calcutta

1105. SHRI SAIFUDIN CHOWDHARY: Will the Minister of COMMUNICA-TIONS be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any plan to provide Calcutta City with a radio and optical fibre cable system in the city telephone exchanges;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not such project is being provided

in telephone exchanges in Calcutta the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA) : (a) Yes, Sir.

## (b) Radio Systems :

5 Radio systems in 13 GHz are already sanctioned and are in various stages of installation. Also proposals for 18 Radio systems in 13 GHz Band and 12 systems in . UHF Band are under Survey and feasibility studies.

### 2. Optical fibre systems :

About 100 Kms. of optical fibre cable to work about 14 Systems of 140 MB/s capacity are under planning considerations.

(c) Does not arise.

### Setting up mini Coment Plants in Haryana

1106. SHRI DHARAM PAL SINGH MALIK : Will the Minister of INDUSTRY AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) the number of mini cement plants functioning in the country at present, State-wise;

(b) how far the functioning of mini cement plants has been found successful;

(c) whether there is any proposal to set up mini cement plants in Haryana State during 1985-86; and

(d) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND COM-PANY AFFAIRS (SHRI ARIF MOHAM-MAD KHAN): (a) The required details are given below :---

State	No. of Units
Andhra Pradesh	7
Bihar	1
Gujarat	5
Karnataka	. 3
Madhya Pradesh	2
Jammu & Kashmir	1
Orissa	1
Rajasthan	2
Uttar Pradesh	1

(b) The functioning of the mini cement