

*[English]***Sugar Stockists**

3438. SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY: Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have imposed ban on the appointment of Sugar Stockists since 1993 at district level which supply sugar for the Public Distribution System;

(b) if so, the reasons and justification therefor;

(c) whether the number of sugar Stockists in the country have been reducing;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government to restore or substitute such stockists?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND MINISTER OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI DEVENDRA PRASAD YADAV): (a) The Central Government have not imposed any ban on the appointment of wholesalers/retailers for the distribution of levy sugar.

(b) Does not arise

(c) to (e). Information is being collected from the State Governments/UTs.

Construction of Buildings for Post Offices in Kerala, Gujarat and Rajasthan

3439. SHRI KODIKKUNNIL SURESH:
SHRI N.J. RATHWA
VAIDYA DAU DAYAL JOSHI:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Post Offices/Sub-Post Offices/ Telegraph Offices in Kerala, Gujarat and Rajasthan, district-wise;

(b) the number out of these in rented/departmental buildings in the above States, district-wise;

(c) the number of buildings being constructed/at completion stage in the above States, district-wise; and

(d) the number of buildings proposed to be constructed in the above States during 8th Plan, district-wise?

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI BENI PRASAD VARMA): (a) **Department of Post:**

The district wise number of Head Post Offices and Departmental Sub Post Offices in Kerala, Gujarat and Rajasthan Postal Circles is given in *Statement - I*.

(b) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(a) and (b) **Department of Telecommunications:**

The district-wise number of Telegraph Offices and out of these the number of Telegraph Offices in rented/departmental buildings is given in *Statement-II*.

(c) **Department of Post:**

The district-wise number of Post Office buildings being constructed at completion stage in the Postal Circles of Kerala, Gujarat and Rajasthan is given in *Statement- III*.

(c) **Department of Telecommunications:**

The district-wise number of Telegraph Offices constructed/under construction is as follows:—

Name of Circles	Districts
Kerala	(i) Trichur
	(ii) Tellicherry
Gujarat	Nil
Rajasthan	Jaipur

(d) **Department of Post:**

Buildings for departmental Post Offices will be constructed depending upon the availability of funds, land and other resources.

(d) **Department of Telecommunications:**

The number of buildings proposed to be constructed in Kerala, Gujarat and Rajasthan Circles during the 8th Plan is given in *Statement-IV*.

STATEMENT - I*Number of departmental Post Offices in Kerala Circle—
District-wise*

Sl. No.	Name of District	Head Post Offices	Departmental Sub-Post Offices
1.	Trivandrum	4	145
2.	Quilon	4	107
3.	Pathananthitta	3	104
4.	Alleppy	5	114
5.	Kottayam	5	124
6.	Idukki	2	52
7.	Ernakulam	5	140
8.	Trichur	5	167
9.	Palghat	4	139
10.	Malapuram	4	99
11.	Wynad	1	18
12.	Cannanore	3	99
13.	Calicut	4	101
14.	Kasaragod	2	30
Total :		51	1439
Lakshadweep			6
Pondicherry		-	1
Grand Total :		51	1446

*Number of Departmental Post Offices in Gujarat Circle—
District-wise*

Sl. No.	Name of District	Head Post Offices	Departmental Sub-Post Offices
1.	Ahmedabad	4	161
2.	Gandhinagar	1	32
3.	Sabarkantha	2	52
4.	Banaskantha	2	36
5.	Mahesana	5	89

Sl. No.	Name of District	Head Post Offices	Departmental Sub-Post Offices
6.	Bharuch	1	65
7.	Dang	1	5
8.	Keda	4	132
9.	Panchmahala	4	44
10.	Surat	2	116
11.	Vadodara	3	97
12.	Valsad	3	80
13.	Amreli	1	38
14.	Bhavnagar	2	65
15.	Jamnagar	2	64
16.	Junagadh	3	87
17.	Bhuj	2	65
18.	Rajkot	2	87
19.	Surendranagar	1	41
Total :		42	1356

Daman & Diu

1.	Daman	-	2
2.	Diu	-	4
Total :		-	6
Dadra & Nagar Haveli		-	2
Grand Total :		42	1370

*Number of Departmental Post Offices in Rajasthan Circle—
District-wise*

Sl. No.	Name of District	Head Post Offices	Departmental Sub-Post Offices
1.	Ajmer	4	105
2.	Alwar	3	68
3.	Banswara	1	21
4.	Baran	-	15

Sl. No.	Name of District	Head Post Offices	Departmental Sub-Post Offices
5.	Bharatpur	4	56
6.	Barmer	1	34
7.	Bhilwara	1	47
8.	Bikaner	1	43
9.	Bundi	1	20
10.	Chittourgarh	1	45
11.	Churu	2	49
12.	Dausa	1	27
13.	Dhaulpur	1	18
14.	Dungarpur	1	28
15.	Hanumangarh	1	27
16.	Jaipur	5	134
17.	Jalore	1	24
18.	Jaisalmer	1	16
19.	Jhalawar	1	21
20.	Jhunjhunu	2	67
21.	Jodhpur	2	69
22.	Kota	2	47
23.	Nagaur	3	59
24.	Pali	2	58
25.	Rajsamand	1	22
26.	Sawai Madhopur	3	54
27.	Sikar	4	72
28.	Sirohi	1	25
29.	Sri Ganganagar	1	36
30.	Tonk	1	24
31.	Udaipur	2	56
Total :		55	1387

STATEMENT - II**(b) Name of Circle : Kerala**

Sl. No.	Name of District	Number of Telegraph Offices functioning		Total Number of Telegraph Offices
		In Deptl. Building	In rented Building	
1.	Alappuzha	01	04	5
2.	Ernakulam	03	04	7
3.	Idukki	-	-	-
4.	Kannur	-	02	2
5.	Kasaragod	-	01	1
6.	Kollam	01	02	3
7.	Kottayam	01	02	3
8.	Kozhikode	01	03	4
9.	Malappuram	-	01	1
10.	Palakkad	01	01	2
11.	Pathanamthitta	-	02	2
12.	Thiruvananthapuram	01	02	3
13.	Thrissur	01	03	4
14.	Wynad	-	01	1
15.	Lakshadweep (UT)	-	01	1
16.	Pondicherry	-	-	-
Total :		10	29	39

(b) Name of Circle : Gujarat

Sl. No.	Name of District	Number of Telegraph Offices functioning		Total Number of Telegraph Offices
		In Deptl. Building	In rented Building	
1.	Ahmedabad	02	09	11
2.	Amreli	-	01	1
3.	Vadodara	-	04	4

Sl. No.	Name of District	Number of Telegraph Offices functioning		Total Number of Telegraph Offices
		In Deptl. Building	In rented Building	
4.	Bharuch	01	03	4
5.	Bhavnagar	01	-	1
6.	Bhuj (Kutch)	-	02	2
7.	Banaskantha	-	01	1
8.	Dangahwa	-	-	-
9.	Jamnagar	01	01	2
10.	Junagadh	01	02	3
11.	Kheda	01	04	5
12.	Mehsana	-	02	2
13.	Panchmahal	-	03	3
14.	Rajkot	01	01	2
15.	Surat	01	01	2
16.	Sabarkantha	-	01	1
17.	Surendranagar	01	-	1
18.	Valsad	01	04	5
19.	Gandhinagar	-	01	1
Total :		11	40	51

(b) Name of Circle : Rajasthan

Sl. No.	Name of District	Number of Telegraph Offices functioning		Total Number of Telegraph Offices
		In Deptl. Building	In rented Building	
1.	Ajmer	02	01	3
2.	Alwar	01	-	1
3.	Banswara	01	-	1
4.	Barmer	01	01	2
5.	Bharat Pur	01	-	1
6.	Bhilwara	-	01	1

Sl. No.	Name of District	Number of Telegraph Offices functioning		Total Number of Telegraph Offices
		In Deptl. Building	In rented Building	
7.	Bikaner	01	-	1
8.	Bundi	01	-	1
9.	Chittorgarh	-	01	1
10.	Churu	-	02	2
11.	Dholpur	-	01	1
12.	Dungar Pur	-	01	1
13.	Sriganga Nagar	01	01	2
14.	Hanumangarh	01	-	1
15.	Jaipur	02	04	6
16.	Dausa	01	-	1
17.	Jaisalmer	-	01	1
18.	Jalore	-	01	1
19.	Jhalawar	01	-	1
20.	Jhunjhunu	-	01	1
21.	Jodhpur	01	02	3
22.	Kota	01	01	2
23.	Baran	01	-	1
24.	Nagaur	-	02	2
25.	Pali	01	01	2
26.	Sawaimadhopur	-	01	1
27.	Sikar	-	01	1
28.	Sirohi	01	-	1
29.	Tonk	-	01	1
30.	Udaipur	01	01	2
31.	Rajasamand	-	01	1
Total :		20	27	47

STATEMENT- III

Number of Buildings being Constructed /at completion stage for Post Offices in Kerala, Gujarat and Rajasthan distric-wise

District	Number of building under construction/at completion stage
Kerala	
1. Trivandrum	7
2. Quilon	2
3. Pathanamthitta	1
4. Alleppey	2
5. Idukki	1
6. Ernakulam	1
7. Trichur	1
8. Calicut	2
9. Malappuram	1
10. Cannanore	4
11. Kasaragod	1
Total :	23
Gujarat	
1. Ahmedabad	1
2. Gandhinagar	2
3. Sabarkantha	1
4. Khoda	1
5. Valsad	2
Total :	7
Rajasthan	
1. Alwar	3
2. Sirohi	1
Total	4

STATEMENT - IV

*Department of Telecommunications:
District-wise Number of Buildings for Telegraph Offices
proposed to be constructed during the 8th Plan*

Name of the Circle	Districts	No. of Buildings
Kerala	Trichur	1
	Tellicherry	1
	Ernakulam	1
Gujarat	Nil	-
Rajasthan	Jaipur	

In Rajasthan, buildings exclusively constructed for the purposes of Telegraph Offices for the remaining part of the 8th Plan is nil. However, as per a policy decision, Telegraph Offices, as required, may be considered to be provided in the building under construction/to be constructed for administrative/Telephone Exchange purposes.

Productivity Linked Wage Settlement between ITDC and Employees

3440. SHRI E. AHAMAD: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the India Tourism Development Corporation (ITDC) has arrived at a major productivity linked wage settlement with its employees recently;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the number of employees benefited due to this settlement; and

(d) the details of the India Tourism Development Corporation's turnover for the year 1995-1996?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF TOURISM (SHRI SRIKANTA JENA): (a) and (b). A Wage Settlement has been arrived at on 31 July, 1996 between the ITDC management and its employees for a period of five years effective from 1.1.1992 to 31.12.1996 in respect of Hotel & Catering units and Headquarters non-executive employees working on IDA pay pattern. This wage settlement is not productivity linked but a normal wage settlement as per the guidelines of the Department of Public Enterprises. In terms of the settlement, the pay scales of employees would be revised giving the fixation benefit of 20% of basic pay. Besides applicable fixed DA and variation DA, these employees will get House Rent Allowance and City Compensatory Allowance on revised basic pay w.e.f. 1.4.1994. Further the employees would also be benefited with the up-