

(b) and (c) : The information is given in the statement below.

STATEMENT

	Name of Indian Company	Name of foreign Collaborator	Location of rig	Amount payable in 1986-87	Remarks
1	Great Atwood Ltd., Bombay	M/s Atwood Oceanics Inc USA	Bombay High	\$ 6,83,100	Contract with M/s Atwood Oceanics USA assigned to JVC on 12.3.87
2.	Hitech Drilling Services India Ltd , Bombay	M/s Forex Neptune Int. Drilling Inc. USA.	Bombay High	—	Commenced operations in April, 1987
3.	Aban Loyd Chiles Offshore Ltd., Madras	M/s India Offshore Inc USA	—	—	Yet to commence operations
4	Essar Construction Ltd., Bombay	—	—	—	—do—

Setting up of Branch of I.T.I. in N.E. Region

8375. SHRI HAREN BHUMIJ Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state the physical targets set and achieved so far in respect of North Eastern Region with emphasis on Assam in the matter of provision of Switching capacity, Direct Exchange lines Telephone Exchanges, UHF system Long Dis-

tance Public Telephones Telegraph Offices, Earth Stations Telex Exchanges and setting up of a branch of Indian Telephone Industries for manufacturing telephone equipments during the Seventh Plan ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS
(SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV)

Statement showing targets and achievements in Telecommunication in North-East Circle during 1985-87

Sl. No	Item	Target for 1985-87	Achievement During 1985-87 For N.E Region	Achievements During 1985-87 for Assam
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Switching Capacity (No. of lines)	11480	7325	3555
2.	Direct Exchange lines (Nos.)	8540	5825	2620
3.	Telephone Exchanges (Nos.)	40	20	13

1	2	3	4	5
4	UHF Systems (Route KM)	985	897	400
5	Long Distance Public Telephones (Nos)	100	50	34
6	Telegraph Offices (Nos)	100	1	1
7	Earth Stations (Nos)	Nil	Nil	Nil
8	Telex Exchanges (Nos)	2	Nil	Nil

Regarding setting up of a branch of ITI in NE Region

The ITI had signed a memorandum of understanding with Assam Electronic Corporation Limited (AMTRON) in November, 1986 to set up joint venture between ITI and AMTRON for assembly of 1 lakh telephone instruments per annum subject to grant of industrial licence for this unit by the Government. The details in regard to the proposal are being worked out by ITI.

Financial Restructuring of Loss Making Public Sector Units

8376 SHRI HARIHAR SOREN ·
SHRI TEJA SINGH DARADI
SHRI BALWANT SINGH
RAMOOWALIA ·

Will the Minister or INDUSTRY be pleased to state ·

(a) whether Government have taken steps for the financial restructuring of the loss making public sector units

(b) if so, the number and names of such public sector undertakings;

(c) the accumulated losses of each of these public sector undertakings as on 31 March, 1987; and

(d) the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ENTERPRISES IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUS-

TRY (PROF K K TEWARY) · (a) Financial restructuring in respect of loss making public sector units is done on the merits of each case

(b) and (d) The information is not readily available and is being collected and will be placed on the Table of the House.

Completion of Thermal Power Projects

8377 DR T KALPANA DEVI · Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state ·

(a) the names of the Super thermal power projects in the country which could not be completed in time, and

(b) the details of cost and time overruns in each case ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHTAGI) · (a) and (b): The desired information is given below: