

Under-Staffed Post Office in Villages of Ahmednagar District, Maharashtra

6922. SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the post offices in villages in Maharashtra State are understaffed;

(b) if so, the particulars of such post office in Ahmednagar district during the last three years; and

(c) the steps Government propose to take to provide adequate staff in the post office in the State to meet the demand and for efficient functioning of the public service?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Vacancies are filled as and when they occur.

Setting up of Post Offices in Maharashtra

6923. SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the particulars of the post offices set up in villages of Maharashtra during the last three years, year-wise and districtwise;

(b) whether there is any proposal to open more post offices in the Ahmednagar

district during the Eighth Plan; and

(c) if so, the particular of post offices to be opened in Ahmednagar district, year-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) to (c). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Central Sector Industries in Maharashtra

6924. SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the details of industries established or proposed in Maharashtra in the Central Sector during the Seventh Plan period; and

(b) the details of proposals under consideration for setting up industries in the State during the first two years of the Eight Plan?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) An outlay of Rs. 368.31 crores has been allocated for the Central Public Sector Enterprises in the State of Maharashtra during the Seventh Five Year Plan in the Central Industrial and Mineral Sectors in the on-going and new schemes. The details of investment are given in the Statement below:-

(b) The Eighth Five Year plan is yet to be finalised?

STATEMENT

<i>S.No.</i>	<i>Name of on going industries or New Schemes</i>	<i>Seventh Five Year Plan (1985-90) Outlay (Rs. in crores)</i>
1.	Manganese Ore India Ltd.	
	i) Replacement, renewals, R & D etc.	8.00