

Installation of out of turn Telephone connections in Bahadurgarh Exchange, Delhi

378. SHRI GOVINDA MUNDA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the OYT waiting list for telephone connections in Bahadurgarh Exchange under Delhi telephones has been manipulated to install new connections under two specially created numbers 206A & 206B in the waiting list;

(b) if so, the reasons thereof; and

(c) whether such out of turn telephone connections are in order and if not, who are officers responsible and what action Government propose to take against them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI NARHARI PRASAD SUKHDEO SAI): (a) No, Sir, there has not been any manipulation. The seniority of waiting list serials is based in the order of dates of payments of advance deposits by the respective applicants. Dates of payments in case of serials 206A, 206B, 207 and 208 are 5-11-76, 5-11-76, 17-11-76 and 25-11-76 respectively.

(b) Question does not arise.

(c) Connections provided against registration Nos. 206A and 206B have been in turn and are in order. Action against officers is not called for.

Doctors Working in Andaman Nicobar Islands

379. SHRI PADMACHARAN SAMANTASINHERA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that a number of Doctors are working for many years on *ad hoc* appointment in Andaman Nicobar Islands;

(b) if so, the number of Doctors working there and for how many years;

(c) what number of posts of Doctors are lying vacant; and

(d) while Doctors are not willing to work in Andaman Nicobar, will Government in such case approve *ad hoc* appointments?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGDAMBI PRASAD YADAV): (a) Yes.

(b) and (c). A statement giving the information is attached.

(d) Appointment of Medical Officers on *ad hoc* basis is not being made for the time being.

Statement

Number of Medical Officers working on *ad hoc* basis against posts included in C.H.S. and year of their posting under Andaman and Nicobar Administration

Number of vacant posts

G.D.O. Gr. II

2 from 1972
3 from 1973
2 from 1974
4 from 1975
6 from 1976
9 from 1977

TOTAL

26

2

G.D.O. Gr. I

Nil

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Supertime Grade II

1

Nil

Specialist Grade II

Nil

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