

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
25. Chandigarh	--	--	--	1	..	1
26. D & N Haveli	--	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
27. Delhi	4	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	6
28. Goa, Daman & Diu	2	4	..	1	1	1	1	1	10
29. Lakshadweep	--	1	1	2
30. Mizoram	--	1	1	2
31. Pondicherry	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	4
All-India		219	520	442	94	100	100	139	152	1766

Text books in Regional Languages

3999. SHRI K. MALLANNA: Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state;

(a) the number of text books in regional languages published during the last three years, subject-wise and language-wise;

(b) whether these books are being used by the Universities; and

(c) if so, the names of such Universities in which these books in regional languages are used?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION AND HEALTH AND SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND):

(a) A statement is laid on the Table of the House. (Placed in Library. See No. LT-1081/80).

(b) & (c): These books are syllabi-oriented and are meant to accelerate the process of medium switch-over to regional languages. Each University has a Board of Studies which recommends books for study by the university students. Many of these books have proved useful to students.

S.T.D. between Delhi and cities of West Bengal

4000. SHRI SAMAR MUKHERJEE: SHRI SAIFUDDIN CHOWDHARY:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) names of the cities/towns of West Bengal which are likely to be linked with Delhi through STD during the next three years, giving their STD code to and from Delhi, year-wise and district-wise;

(b) names of the cities/towns of West Bengal so far linked with Delhi through STD, giving their STD code to and from Delhi; and

(c) names of the cities/towns of West Bengal linked with Delhi through STD, during the last three years year-wise district-wise and giving their STD code to and from Delhi?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI KARTIK ORAON): (a) Names of cities of West Bengal likely

to be linked with Delhi through STD during next 3 years are as follows:

Districts	Stations	Outgoing STD code from Delhi	Incoming- STD code to Delhi
1	2	3	4
(1980-81 programmes)			
Burdwan	Barakar	03444	011
„	Burnpur	03446	011
„	Neclampur	03448	011
„	Asansol	0341	011
„	Bahula (O/G only)	03442	011
„	Raniganj (O/G only)	03445	011
(1981-82 Programme)			
Burdwan	Burdwan	0342	011
Midnapore	Maldia	03224	011
Burdwan	Durgapur	0343	011
Coochbehar	Coochbehar	03582	011
Darjeeling	Darjeeling	0353	011
„	Siliguri	0353	011
Malda	Malda	03512	011
(1982-83)-			
Nadia	Krishanagar	03472	011
Midnapore	Midnapore	03220	011
Purulia	Purulia	03252	011
Birbhum	Suri	03462	011
Darjeeling	Kalimpong	03552	011
Darjeeling	Kurseong	03554	011

(b) The following cities/towns of West Bengal have STD facility to Delhi.

Station	Outgoing STD Code from Delhi	Incoming Code to Delhi
Calcutta		033 011
Kharagpur		0321 011
Asansol		011
Siliguri		011
Burdwan } Haldia }	Outgoing only	011 011
Durgapur		011

(c) During the last three years, the following stations of West Bengal have been linked to Delhi through STD:—

District	Station	Year of commencing	Outgoing STD Code from Delhi	Incoming STD Code to Delhi
Midnapore	Kharagpur	1977	0329	011
Calcutta	Calcutta	1977	033	011
Darjeeling	Silliguri	„	0353	011
Burdwan	Burdwan	„	0324	011
Midnapore	Haldia	D/C	0342	011
Burdwan	Durgpur only	1977	0343	011
Burdwan	Asansol	1980	03224	011

Theft of store in Delhi Telephone District

4001. SHRI CHANDRABHAN ATHARE PATIL: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether stores worth several lakhs of Rupees were stolen some-time back in Delhi Telephones District;

(b) if so, the approximate value of these stores, the *modus operandi* of the theft; the efforts made to recover them and fix responsibility for the loss to the Exchequer;

(c) whether some officers involved were suspended and if so, the total amount of suspension allowance and other allowances paid to them till 1-7-1980; and

(d) the measures taken to prevent such losses in future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI KARTIK ORAON): (a) and (b). Yes Sir. The Central Bureau of Investigation investigated a case of loss of Stores worth Rs. 5.5 lakhs in 1974. The stores were taken out of the Central Stores Depot, Delhi by producing fake requisitions by certain officers. On the basis of the C.B.I. report and on the advice of the Central Vigilance Commission, sanction for prosecution have been issued against the officers/officials concerned. The result of the prosecution case is awaited.

(c) Yes Sir. The total amount of subsistence and other allowances paid to them was Rs. 2,24,583/- upto 1-7-1980.

(d) Preventive vigilance measures have been taken including the setting up of Vigilance Flying Squads in Delhi Telephone District.

Review of Rural Development Policy

4002. SHRI AMARSINH V. RATHAWA: Will the Minister of RURAL RECONSTRUCTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are considering to review rural development policy in the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL RECONSTRUCTION (SHRI BIRENDRA SINGH RAO):

(a) Yes, Sir. Government are reviewing on-going rural development programmes in the context of the formulation of the rural development strategy for the 6th Five-Year Plan.

(b) Since the review and formulation of the new strategy are yet to be completed, it is difficult to furnish details at this stage.

Drinking water for Districts of Maharashtra

4003. PROF. MADHU DANDAVATE: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that water supply schemes for Veral, Vaked Salhe