

**Revamping of Delhi Telephone**

3773. SHRI SANAT KUMAR  
MANDAL:  
SHRI A. U. AZMI:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether he has recently taken steps to re-vamp the working of the Delhi Telephones District;

(b) whether Government would consider the expediency of overhauling the entire set-up in the Operational Exchanges by transferring all JEs/Assistant Engineers/Divisional Engineers who have stayed in one Exchange for the last more than 3 years; if not, why not;

(c) whether Government are aware that these officials are stationed in Delhi for the last more than 5 years;

(d) whether most of these officers find a passage to the D. G. P&T through the Delhi Telephones because of its close proximity to the Directorate-General; and

(e) whether he would also consider rotating all such Officers and sending them outside Delhi by bringing some more dynamic and efficient persons?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI KARTIK ORAON):

(a) Yes Sir. This is however a continuing process.

(b) Rotation of staff to the extent possible under the rules and in the interest of public service will be considered.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) No, Sir. The posts in D.G. P&T are allowed ones and criteria for their filling is seniority-cum-suitability.

(e) All the steps necessary including rotation of staff will be considered.

**Fishing Harbour on Kerala Coast**

3774. SHRI A. A. RAHIM: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) how many fishing harbours are there in Kerala;

(b) the financial help rendered to Kerala for their development and what is the progress so far achieved; and

(c) whether Government have received any proposal from Kerala Government for a fishing port at Anjengo?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL RECONSTRUCTION (SHRI R. V. SWAMINATHAN): (a) The Government of India have sanctioned one major fishing harbour and six minor fishing harbours.

(b) The fishing harbour at Cochin major port was sanctioned for Rs. 409. 15 lakhs. Most of the works have been completed and the harbour is being utilised by the fishing boats.

Under the scheme of minor fishing harbour and the scheme for landing and berthing facilities, the following have been sanctioned by the Government of India:—

Name	Amount sanctioned
	(Rs. in lakhs)
1. Ponnani . . . . .	7.50
2. Ballinpatnam . . . . .	13.06
3. Beypore . . . . .	3.91
4. Cannanore . . . . .	29.66
5. Vizhinjam (Phase I) . . . . .	173.00
6. Kasargode . . . . .	13.44

Except Cannanore and Kasargode, others are under operation.

(c) No, Sir.

#### Housing in Dadra and Nagar Haveli

3775. SHRI UTTAMBHAI H. PATEL: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) how many houses have been built during 1978, 1979 and 1980 and are expected to be built during 1981 and 1982 for (1) Landless labourers and farmers (2) Scheduled Castes and Tribes (3) Weaker sections (4) Adivasis in the Union territory of Dadra and Nagar Haveli;

(b) what is the length, height and width fixed for such houses in each case; and

(c) how much amount had been allocated and earmarked for each year and for each of the above categories of people?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI BHISHMA NARAIN SINGH): (a) Dadra and Nagar Haveli Administration has informed that 50 houses were constructed for all the four categories together during 1978 and none during 1979 and 1980, and that 10 houses each are likely to be constructed during 1981 and 1982.

(b) These houses are 8 metres in length, 2.20 metres in height and 5 metres in width.

(c) Dadra and Nagar Haveli Administration allocated for the purpose Rs. 3 lakhs in 1978-79, Rs. 2 lakhs in 1979-80 and Rs. 0.50 lakhs during 1980-81 and has proposed an allocation of Rs. 1 lakh for 1981-82.

#### Adult Education Centres in Karnataka

3776. SHRI T. R. SHAMANNA: Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of National Adult Education Centres opened in Karnataka during the last three years;

(b) the number of adults joined the course during the above period;

(c) the number of persons who became literates to some extent; and

(d) what is the scheme now being followed to step up Adult Education and make the scheme a success?

THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN): (a) to (c). The details are as under:—

Year	No. of Centres opened	No. of Adults admitted	No. of Adults made literate
1977-78	4940	113322	14261
1978-79	6402	151499	12717
1979-80	7762	231957	43241 (Provisional)
Total:	19104	496778	70219