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as power generation, etc., purely as a fall back arrangement on a temporary basis till the fertilizers and petrochemical plants are ready to utilise it fully.

The associated gas produced in Bambay High is pumped to Urban whereafter the extraction of LPG at ONGC plant, the lean gas is supplied to Rashtriya Chemicals and Fertilizers Limited and Tata Electric Company for fertilizer production and power generation respectively.

## **OIL INDIA LIMITED**

Utilisation plan of OIL gas is as under:

(i) Market Supply	Rate of Supply (Cu. M/day)							
Hindustan Fertilizers Corporation Lt		-			II			.9,70,000
Assam State Electricity Board				٠			٠	8,87,000
Indian Oil Corporation (Assam Oil I	Divisio	on) -	¥		£			2,22,000
Assam Gas Company (AGC)	2	3						55,000
Assam Petrochemicals Ltd. (APL)			*					1,34,000
Tingri Gas Grid (TGG)	٠			•		,		55,000
Moran Gas Grid (MGG) ,								55,000
Dum Duma Gas Grid (DDGG) .				•				1,38,000
Other small Consumers		*						19,000
								25,35,000
(ii) Industrial use within OIL								7,00,000
								32,35,000

							Committed quantity of Gas per day in Cubic Metres	
	Namrup Fertilizers Expansion Pro	ject,	Phase	e III	 •		7,00,000	
	LPG Plant to be commissioned in e	arly	1982		÷	e .	1,10,000	
;.	ASEB's mobile gas turbine	•					2,00,000	
							10,10,000	

## Opening of P.C.O.s to Provide Employment to Handicapped

1515. SHRI LAKSHMAN MALLICK: Will the Minister of COMMUNICA-TIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Public Call Offices Opened by his Ministry at important Railway Stations, Bus terminals and public parks in different States in 1981 to provide employment to the handicapped in those P.C.O.s.;

(b) the total number of the handicapped persons provided appointment in those Public Call Offices;

(c) whether Government have a proposal to open some additional number of P.C.Os. at the above places in 1982 to provide employment opportunities to some more number of handicapped persons in different States; and

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA): (a) A total of 978 Public Telephones manned by handicapped persons have been opened at important Railway Stations, Bus Terminals, Hospitals Public parks and similar  $place_{s}$  in different States during 1981. The State-wise distribution is indicated in the attached Statement.

(b) 978.

(c) and (d) During the month of January, 1982, 124 Public Telephones were opened. Considering the usefulness of such Public Telephones, many more telephones of this type would be opened during the remaining part of the year 1982.

## Statement

State-wise Public Telephone manned by handicapped persons during 1981

S.N	0.							No. of P.C.Os.						
I	Andhra	Pradesh												192
2	Bihar	• •							•				•	3
3	Gujarat													95
4	J&K .													3
5	Karnatal	ca.												21
6	Kerala .													81
7	Madhya	Pradesh												31
8	Maharas	htra												154
9	North Ea. (Assam,				hal, T	ripura	n, Nag	aland	& M	anipur)				3
10	North We (Punjab	est <b>Teleco</b> o, Haryar	m. Cire na & 1	cle Himad	chal P	radesł	1)							4 <sup>I</sup>
I	Orissa .			•							,			8
2	Rajastha	n	•	•		•					¢	•		22
3	Tamil Na	adu			,								)=.	237
4	Uttar Pra	adesh		,	æ									25
15	West Ber	ngal & S	ikkim					•						12
	Union Terr	ritories	•								<i>x</i> -			
I	Delhi .	۰.								,				49
2	Chandig	arh												I
											T	OTAL		978

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<sup>(</sup>d) if so, the details thereof?