

THE MINISTER OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI VASANT SATHE) : (a) The High Level Committee did not consult any National Laboratory for identifying the nature of technologies involved in the production of bulk drugs by foreign drug companies.

(b) Does not arise.

Documentary Film on tribal places in Rajasthan

9829. SHRI JAI NARAYAN ROAT : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) the names of the film so far made on the tribals ;

(b) the names of the documentaries films so far made on the tribals;

(c) if not, the reasons therefore;

(d) whether Government propose to make films/documentary films on the tribals during the remaining period of Sixth Plan period;

(e) if so, the names of the tribal places which are to be screened and whether Rajasthan State's tribal places are to be screened in those films ; and

(f) if so, the details thereof and if not the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN) : (a) and (c) Production of feature films is mainly confined to private sector. Although some feature films based on tribal motif and themes based on tribal life have been produced, it is not possible to indicate their titles because the Government does not maintain such statistics.

(b) The Films Division has so far produced/purchased/accepted as donation 58 films on tribals since 1950. A list of these films is given in the statement attached.

(d) to (f) At present, 17 documentary films on tribals are under various stages of production by the Films Division. Out of these, six 16 mm featurettes are being made by Films Division's Regional Production Centres at Calcutta and Bangalore which have been started as Plan projects under the Sixth Plan. These films relate to tribals in North-Eastern region, Nicobar, Orissa, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh etc. none of these films relates to tribal places in Rajasthan. The Films Division could consider the possibility of making films on tribal places in Rajasthan in future.

Statement

List of films Produced/Purchased/Accepted as donation by Films Division on matters concerning to tribals

Sr. No.	Name of the film	Year of production
1.	2.	3.
1.	Adivasi	1958
2.	Changing Perspective	1970
3.	Closed Centuries Opening Years	1966
4.	Close to Nature	1968
5.	hokra	1968

1	2	3
6.	Gaddis	1970
7.	Hillmen and Homespun	1970
8.	My Land My People	1969
9.	Nefa Part I	1957
10.	Nefa Part II	1957
11.	Our Original Inhabitants	1953
12.	Report From Heartland	1956
13.	The Totos	1968
14.	The Vanishing Tribe	1961
15.	Glimpses of Assam	1952
16.	Glimpses of chota Nagpur	1962
17.	The Happy Islands	1960
18.	Home of the Kodavas	1950
19.	Manipur	1972
20.	Folk and Tribal Images	1970
21.	Man and the Forest	1971
22.	Lakshadweep	1974
23.	Man in Search of Man	1974
24.	Arunachal	1972
25.	Lamps	1977
26.	Where Time Stands Still	1978
27.	Simple Technology for Simple People	1978
28.	Rhythms of New Life	1979
29.	Settled Cultivation	1979
30.	A Change	1980
31.	Chhatisgarh	1980
32.	Rhythms of Eastern Region	1980
33.	Of Forest Tribals and Progress	1979
34.	Meghalaya	1979
35.	Baster-Rhythm of Progress	1975
36.	Song of Birsa	1981
37.	The Badias	1980 (Purchase)
38.	Kalbelias Nomads of Rajasthan	1980 (Donation)
39.	The Nomad Puppeteer	1974 (Donation)
40.	Mizoram	1976
41.	Tripura	1976
42.	Call of the Flute	1963
43.	Enchanting Mizoram	1976
44.	The Jewel of Manipur	1982
45.	Dances of Assam	1965
46.	Dances of Manipur	1952

1	2	3
47.	In Nagaland	1955
48.	Manipur Dances	1965
49.	Carry the Colour along	1982
50.	Region of Harmony	1981
51.	The Garos	1982 (Purchase)
52.	Mizoram Today	1982
53.	Prayas	1983
54.	Khosbad Experience	1982-83 (Donation)
55.	Bhorer Alo (16 mm)	1981-82
56.	Jeebaku Debi Nahin (16 mm)	1982-83
57.	The Only Answer (16 mm)	1982-83
58.	Knasi Tribes of Meghalya (16 mm)	1982-83

Telephone situation in Rajasthan

9830. SHRI JAI NARAYAN ROAT: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state the steps taken by Government to improve the telephone situation in the country during the Sixth Plan period particularly in Rajasthan State ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI VIJAY N. PATIL) : The following steps are being taken to improve the telephone situation in the country in general and Rajasthan in particular:

- (i) Use of insulated drop wire for subscriber connections in the congested areas.
- (ii) Replacement of aluminium wire by copper wire in subscribers fittings.
- (iii) The maintenance routines and inspections are being tightened.
- (iv) Recommendations of the Committee on Telecommunications are being implemented progressively.
- (v) Opening of about 3500 new Telephone Exchanges in the country including 229 in Rajasthan.

(vi) Opening of 20,000 long distance public call telephones in the country. Out of these 601 are in Rajasthan.

(vii) Opening of 100 Telex Exchanges in the country, out of these 3 are in Rajasthan.

(viii) Opening of 4 Trunk Automatic Exchanges in the country, out of these 2 are in Rajasthan.

Setting up Radio Stations in Rajasthan

9831. SHRI JAI NARAYAN ROAT : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) the names of the places in Rajasthan State where Government propose to set up new radio stations in the remaining period of the Sixth Plan and what would be the expenditure ; and

(b) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN) :

(a) There is an approved Sixth Plan proposal to set up a radio station at Kota in Rajasthan at an estimated cost of Rs. 50.82 lakhs.