

- (ii) There is fluctuation in the revenue earned month by month in any year and the flow of traffic in summer months is comparatively less than in winter months
- (iii) The amounts of revenue is dependent upon the billing cycles. For example, the annual rentals for telex connections, telephone accessories and other facilities are billed in February of each year and these alone amount to Rs 45 lakhs
- (iv) Due to the unprecedented drought this year there has been a steep fall in the traffic and in the revenue earnings

The nominal increase in the maintenance cost is mainly due to a special drive that was instituted by the Telephone District in the month of March, 1972, to clear all the outstanding claims and bills.

Expenditure Incurred on effecting change in Mechanism of Coin Boxes of P.C.O.s,

3315 SHRI RAMAVATAR SHASTRI Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state

(a) whether the Posts and Telegraphs Department has changed the mechanism of coin boxes at P.C.O.s installed all over the country following the introduction of new coins of 10 paise denomination and raising of the charge from 20 paise to 30 paise per call, and

(b) if so the number of coin boxes in the country as on 15th August, 1972, State-wise, and the amount spent on effecting necessary changes in the mechanical device?

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI H N BAHUGUNA)
(a) Yes, Sir

(b) Necessary information is being collected and will be placed on the table of the house shortly.

Raid by C.B.I on the House of an Officer of Space Research Organisation in Thumba

3316 SHRI VAYALAR RAVI Will the Minister of SPACE be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 6508 on 17th May, 1972 regarding the raid by C.B.I on the house of an Officer of Space Research Centre, Thumba and state

(a) whether the investigation of the case has been completed, and

(b) if so, the findings thereof and action taken thereon?

THE PRIME MINISTER MINISTER OF ATOMIC ENERGY MINISTER OF ELECTRONICS, MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING, AND MINISTER OF SPACE (SHRIMATI INDIRA GANDHI) (a) No, Sir

(b) Does not arise

Equitable Distribution of the benefits of Planning among the People in Fifth Plan

3317 SHRI INDRAJIT GUPTA Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state

(a) whether hitherto emphasis was laid more on increasing production with little or no attention paid to the problem of distribution of the benefits of planning; and

(b) if so, whether any steps are being taken to ensure equitable distribution of the benefits of planning in the Fifth Plan period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI MOHAN DHARIA) (a) The Planning Commission's assessment of the development strategy followed in the Plans so far has been stated in its document "Towards and Approach to the Fifth Plan". The relevant extract reads as follows:

'In elaborating our strategy of development in earlier Plan