

of schemes in their Annual Plans. As such, it is not possible to indicate the amount of Central assistance given to the Government of Andhra Pradesh for their Minor Irrigation Scheme during 1962-63. Information with regard to grant and loans sanctioned to the Government of Andhra Pradesh during 1962-63 for their Agricultural Development Schemes, including Minor Irrigation and Land Development is, however, given below:—

Year	Grant	Loans
1962-63.	46.09 Lakhs	326.84 lakhs.

#### Teleprinter Service

897. **Shri P. C. Deo Bhanj:** Will the Minister of Transport and Communications be pleased to state:

(a) the number of cities in India which have teleprinter service in their telegraph offices; and

(b) the conditions that qualify a telegraph office for the installation of a teleprinter?

**The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Transport and Communications (Shri Bhagavati):** (a) 116.

(b) Adequate load of traffic (the minimum being on an average 32 telegrams per hour on at least one circuit).

#### Telephones in Rajasthan

898. **Shri Brij Raj Singh-Kotah:** Will the Minister of Transport and Communications be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the towns in Rajasthan, where telephone system was introduced in 1962;

(b) whether the residents of the towns of Anta and Mangrol in District Kota and of Manoharthana in district Jhalawar in Rajasthan have applied for telephone connection facilities; and

(c) if so, the progress made in this matter?

**The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Transport and Communications (Shri Bhagavati):** (a) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

#### STATEMENT

*Name of towns in Rajasthan where telephone exchanges were opened during 1962:*

1. Nohar . . . 50 lines CB exchange.
2. Sadul Shahar . . . 50 lines CB exchange.
3. Surajgarh . . . 25 lines SAX opened.

*List of Public Call Offices opened during 1962*

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|-------------------------|------------------|
| 1. Chandlai             | 9. Sridunga-garh |
| 2. Nagda                | 10. Deogarh-     |
|                         | Madaria          |
| 3. Kesrisinghpur        | 11. Bhim         |
| 4. Vcnasthali           | 12. Saporta      |
| 5. Chhipa Barod         | 13. Mangrol      |
| 6. Kenwat               | 14. Indergarh    |
| 7. Jobner               | 15. Asind        |
| 8. Khetri Copper Mines. | 16. Badnor       |

(b) Long Distance Public Call Offices are working in Anta and Mangrol and Phonocom is working at Manoharthana. No applications for telephone connections are pending at these stations.

(c) Does not arise.

#### Staff Quarters at Phulbani

899. **Dr. Kohor:** Will the Minister of Transport and Communications be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there was a proposal to construct Office building and Staff Quarters of Post and Telegraph Department at Phulbani in Orissa State during Second Five Year Plan; and

(b) if so, what was the estimated cost for the same and the reason for delay in construction?

**The Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Transport and Communications (Shri Bhagavati):** (a) Yes.

(b) Post Office building at a cost of Rs. 44,115 and staff quarters at Rs. 50,000[-.

Tenders were called thrice but they were rejected as they were high. Next time when tenders were called