

12. Chasapara . . . . .	Proposal for upgradation into S.O. has been approved.
13. Hindol Rd. P.S. . . . .	Do.
14. Sanbaliguda . . . . .	Do.
15. Balkati . . . . .	Do.
16. Kulado . . . . .	Do.
17. Sankerko . . . . .	Do.
18. Berboi . . . . .	Do.
19. Madanpur—Panpur . . . . .	Do.
20. Teruvelly . . . . .	Do.
21. Narayanpathna . . . . .	Do.
22. Laxmipur . . . . .	Do.
23. Dongiripalli . . . . .	Do.

#### Telephone Exchanges in Orissa

1474. **Shri Ramachandra Ulaka:**  
**Shri Dhuleshwar Meena:**

Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state the number of telephone exchanges in Orissa as on the 30th September, 1965?

The Deputy Minister in the Department of Communications (Shri Bhagavati): 50.

#### Government Accommodation for Posts and Telegraphs Employees, Orissa

1475. **Shri Ramachandra Ulaka:**  
**Shri Dhuleshwar Meena:**

Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state the number of Posts and Telegraphs employees in Orissa State who have been provided with Government residential accommodation till the 30th September, 1965?

The Deputy Minister in the Department of Communications (Shri Bhagavati): 592.

#### Post Offices in Orissa

1476. **Shri Ramachandra Ulaka:**  
**Shri Dhuleshwar Meena:**

Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state the number of Branch Post Offices, Sub-Post Offices and Public Call Offices in Orissa as on the 30th September, 1965?

The Deputy Minister in the Department of Communications (Shri Bhagavati): (i) Branch Post Offices—4258.

(ii) Sub-Post Offices—412.

(iii) Public Call Offices:

(a) Long distance—131.

(b) Local—105.

#### Broadcasting Facilities to Opposition Parties

1477. **Shri Hari Vishnu Kamath:**  
**Shri Yashpal Singh:**

Will the Minister of Information and Broadcasting be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have considered the question of ensuring broadcasting facilities to the Opposition parties on All-India Radio during the next General Elections;

(b) if so, the nature and details of Government's decision; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

The Minister of Information and Broadcasting (Shrimati Indira Gandhi): (a) No proposal has been received for the grant of broadcasting facilities to the Opposition parties on the All India Radio during the next General Elections.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

#### India's Freedom to reply to Pakistan through Letters

1478. **Shri D. C. Sharma:** Will the Minister of External Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Pakistan has questioned India's freedom to reply to Pakistan through letters to the U.N. Security Council;

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto; and

(c) the reaction of the U.N. Security Council thereto?

**The Minister of External Affairs (Shri Swaran Singh):** (a) On October 25, 1965, the delegation of India walked out of the meeting of the Security Council when the Foreign Minister of Pakistan insisted on speaking on matters falling within the domestic jurisdiction of India. On October 26, 1965, the Foreign Minister of India addressed a letter to the President of the Security Council, exposing the baseless allegations about cease-fire and withdrawals which the Foreign Minister of Pakistan had made in the Security Council. The Permanent Representative of Pakistan, in a letter dated 2nd November, 1965, addressed to the President of the Council called this "an extraordinary procedure" and alleged that India had sought to participate in the Council's deliberations through the Indian Foreign Minister's letter.

(b) Every member country of the United Nations has a right to write to the President of the Security Council and to request, if it so desires, that its communication be circulated as a Security Council document. The Government of India's letter of 26th October, 1965, was circulated as a Security Council document.

(c) The Council did not consider the Pakistan Permanent Representative's letter.

#### Telephone Facilities in Haji Pir Area

1479. **Shri Yashpal Singh:**  
**Shri Onkar Lal Serwa:**

Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have any proposal to make arrangements to provide telephone facilities in the Haji Pir area of the State of Jammu and Kashmir; and

(b) if so, when these would be finalised?

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**The Deputy Minister in the Department of Communications (Shri Bhagavati):** (a) The proposal is under consideration.

(b) Expeditious action will be taken after the proposal is finalised.

#### अमरीका तथा सोवियत संघ में भारतीय मिशनों पर व्यय

1480. **श्री रामसेवक यादव :** क्या बंधेशिक-कार्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि

(क) अमरीका तथा सोवियत संघ में स्थित हमारे मिशनों पर 1964 में अलग-अलग कितनी राशि खर्च की गई ;

(ख) यह राशि विदेशों में सब भारतीय मिशनों पर किये गये समूचे व्यय की कितनी प्रतिशत है ;

(ग) क्या यह सच है कि अमरीका तथा सोवियत संघ में स्थित हमारे मिशनों पर दक्षिण-पूर्व एशिया और अफ्रीका के देशों में स्थित हमारे मिशनों पर होने वाले कुल व्यय से भी अधिक व्यय होता है; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं ?

**बंधेशिक-कार्य मंत्री (श्री स्वर्ण सिंह) :**

(क) जहां तक विदेश मंत्रालय का सम्बन्ध है, 1964-65 का खर्च नीचे लिखे अनुसार था :

	लाख रुपये
सोवियत समाजवादी गणतंत्र	
संघ	18.28
संयुक्त राज्य अमरीका	62.19

संयुक्त राष्ट्र में (न्यूयार्क में) भारत के स्थायी मिशन का खर्चा इसमें शामिल नहीं है। (यहां जो प्रांकड़े दिये गये हैं वे वित्तीय वर्ष 1964-65 के हैं न कि 1964 के वर्ष के, जिस कि सामान्य व्यवहार है)।