

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMUNICATIONS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4463  
ANSWERED ON:18.12.2000  
OUT OF ORDER STD AND LOCAL TELEPHONE SERVICES  
RAVI PRAKASH VERMA

**Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of places in Uttar Pradesh especially district Khiri (Lakhimpur) where STD and local telephone services remained disrupted since January, 2000 till date, district-wise;
- (b) whether telephone service functioned uninterrupted during this period in various exchanges of Khiri and Mohanlal Ganj in Uttar Pradesh;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, exchange-wise; and
- (d) the reasons for disruption of telephone services in Uttar Pradesh and the steps taken by the Government so far for providing better telephone services in the state?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS(SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

- (a) to (d): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.