

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2214
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WAITING LIST FOR TELEPHONE CONNECTION
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of persons on waiting list for telephone connections under Non-OYT and other categories in the Mumbai (W) and Mumbai (E) and Jalgaon district separately during each of the last three years and as on date, exchange-wise ;
- (b) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to provide telephone on demand;
- (c) the time by which the waiting list of the year 2000-2001 is likely to be cleared in Mumbai and the said district;
- (d) the number of telephone connections proposed to be provided under each category in the said areas during 2001-2002 ;
- (e) whether the Government have received complaints of non installation of new/shifted telephone connection in Maharashtra;
- (f) if so, the number of such complaints received and pending in the State particularly Navi Mumbai areas as on date ; and
- (g) the steps taken by the Government in this regard ?

Answer

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

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