

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMUNICATIONS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4012  
ANSWERED ON:20.08.2001  
TELECOM FACILITIES  
DHARMRAJ SINGH PATEL;SHEELA GAUTAM

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

- (a) the number of villages/Gram Panchayats having telephone facility in Uttar Pradesh particularly in Mainpuri District as on July 31, 2001, district-wise;
- (b) the time by which the said facility is likely to be provided in villages having no such facility;
- (c) the number of persons on the waiting list for telephone connections in rural areas of the State at present, district-wise;
- (d) the number of telephone connections provided during the last three years and till-date in the said State;
- (e) whether his Ministry has received any complaint about unsatisfactory telephone services provided to the subscribers by the Baraut Telephone Exchange in Allahabad, District;
- (f) if so, the details thereof; and
- (g) the action taken by the Government to clear the waiting list and provide better telephone service in the said area?

**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.