

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3289
ANSWERED ON:05.02.2004
SETTING UP OF DD AT CENTRE SUMERPUR IN RAJASTHAN
PUSP JAIN

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to set up a Doordarshan Relay Centre in Sumerpur (District-Pali-Rajasthan);
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the time by which the said Relay Centre is likely to be set up ; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)

(a) : No, Sir.

(b) & (c) : Do not arise.

(d) TV coverage to uncovered areas of the country is now envisaged to be provided through Satellite transmission in Ku-band, in free-to-air mode, which is scheduled to commence during 2004.