

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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INSTALLATION OF STD/ISD/PCO BOOTHS
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of applications pending for installation of STD/ISD/PCO booths in Gulabrga District during the last two years;
- (b) the measures being taken by the Government to clear all such pending applications; and
- (c) the number of STD/ISD/PCO booths proposed to be set-up in Gulbarga District during 2000-2001?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

- (a) 2276 applications are pending for installation of STD/ISD/PCO booths in Gulbarga Telecom District.
- (b) The measures taken to clear the pending applications include augmentation of capacity, STD junctions & expansion of outdoor network.
- (c) The presently pending applications viz. 2276 will be cleared during 2000-2001.