

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4390
ANSWERED ON:21.08.2000
NEW TELEPHONE CONNECTION SCHEME IN DAHOD
BABUBHAI KHIMABHAI KATARA

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of telephone connections installed under the new telephone connection scheme in various talukas, cities and villages in Dahod district of Gujarat;
- (b) the number of persons on the waiting list for telephone connections under the said scheme; and
- (c) the time by which the said connections are likely to be provided?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

- (a) Sir, 151 new telephone connections have been provided under the reduced registration charges scheme introduced during the period 23.03.2000 to 31.03.2000 in various talukas, cities & villages of Dahod district of Gujarat.
- (b) 521 persons are on waiting list for provision of telephone connections under the said scheme.
- (c) Efforts are afoot to provide telephone connections by 31.03.2001 to the persons on waiting list as on 31.03.2000.