

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2.	Tiruchchirappalli- Thanjavur-Nagore-Karaikal	200	109.00	2300	17.00	-
3.	Tuticorin-Dindigul (Madurai-Dindigul parallel BG)	198	-	-	-	Completed.
4.	Yeshwantpur-Hossur (46 kms.)	26	-	-	-	Completed.
5.	Hossur-Salem	151	-	-	-	Completed.

[Translation]

Construction of Overbridge

953. SHRI SUKH LAL KUSHWAHA : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) the total number of railway crossings in Satna district of Madhya Pradesh;

(b) the number of such crossing on which underbridges or overbridges are proposed to be constructed; and

(c) the reasons for not constructing such bridges?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ) : (a) 57 Nos.

(b) 2 Nos.

(c) Those level crossings which qualify for replacement on cost sharing basis between railway and State Government have to be sponsored by the State Government. Others have to be proposed by the State Government on deposit terms. No such further proposals have been received.

[English]

Serials

954. SHRI SHANTILAL PARSOTAMDAS PATEL :
SHRI SANAT MEHTA :
SHRI VIJAY GOEL :
SHRI MUKHTAR ANIS :

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

(a) the details of serials approved by the Government/Doordarshan for telecast during each of the last three years;

(b) the details of serials so approved and telecast on National Network;

(c) the details of approved serials not telecast so far;

(d) the details of serials pending for approval;

(e) the time by which all the pending serials are likely to be approved and telecast;

(f) whether serials for this year have also been selected;

(g) whether complaints have been received regarding approval of serials; and

(h) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI C.M. IBRAHIM) : (a) to (h) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

[Translation]

Amount Outstanding against AI

955. SHRI K.D. SULTANPURI : Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state :

(a) the quantity and value of oil taken on credit by the Air India from Bharat Petroleum and Indian Oil Companies during the last six months and the outstanding amount to be paid by Air India to the above companies for the earlier period; and

(b) the time by which the said amount is likely to be paid to these companies?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI C.M. IBRAHIM) : (a) and (b) From May to October, 1996, Air India bought 79379 KLS Air Turbine Fuel (ATF) from Indian Oil and 35792 KLS ATF from Bharat Petroleum. The amount payable (as on 24.2.97) to Indian Oil and Bharat Petroleum is Rs. 58.21 crores and Rs. 23.09 crores respectively. These outstandings are likely to be paid by Air India in the next about eight months.

[English]

Kamalpur Post Office in U.P.

956. SHRI JAGAT VIR SINGH DRONA : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Kamalpur post office of Kanpur city, Uttar Pradesh is lying closed almost every day for a month;

(b) if so, the details alongwith reasons therefor;

(c) whether the post master is unable to open the post office daily as he has to attend the district magistrates, thereby causing lot of inconvenience to the village; and