

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1432
ANSWERED ON:14.07.2009
EXPANSION OF DDK
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Doordarshan Kendras (DDK) set up in the country including Jharkhand, State- wise;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to set up new DDK in some parts of the country;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, State-wise, location-wise;
- (d) whether the Government has any proposal to set up DDK in the State of Jharkhand under the expansion programme; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (DR. S. JAGATHRAKSHAKAN)

(a) State-wise number of Doordarshan Kendras (Studio Centres) & Transmitters in the country is given at the Annexure.

(b) & (c) Following new Doordarshan projects have been approved as part of continuing schemes of 10th Plan.

1. Studio Centre, Tirupati (Andhra Pradesh)
2. HPT (DD1), Bilaspur (Chhattishgarh)
3. HPT (DD1), Mehboobnagar (Andhra Pradesh)
4. VLPT, Gandhinagar (Andaman and Nicobar Islands)
5. VLPT (DD News), Hutbay (Andaman and Nicobar Islands)

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN PART (a) OF THE REPLY TO LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO 1432 FOR ANSWER ON 14-07-2009.

State-wise number of existing Doordarshan Studio Centres & Transmitters

S.No State/UT No. of DDKs No of Transmitters

1 Andhra Pradesh 3 105

2. Arunanchal Pradesh 1 45

3. Assam 4 29

4 Bihar 2 42

5 Chhattisgarh 2 28

6 Goa 1 2

7 Gujarat 2 67

8 Haryana 1 23

9 Himachal Pradesh 1 54

10 Jammu & Kashmir 4 125

11 Jharkhand 2 27

12 Karnataka 2 68

13 Kerala 3 33

14 Madhya Pradesh 3 78

15 Maharashtra 3 123

16 Manipur 1 8

17 Meghalaya 2 10

18 Mizoram 1 8

19 Nagaland 1 14

20 Orissa 3 95

21 Punjab 2 13

22 Rajasthan 1 99

23 Sikkim 1 8

24 Tamil Nadu 3 71

25 Tripura 1 10

26 Uttar Pradesh 7 84

27 Uttarakhand 1 54

28 West Bengal 3 36

29 A & N Islands 1 27

30 Chandigarh 1 1

31 Dadra & Nagar Haveli 0 1

32 Daman & Diu 0 2

33 Delhi 2 3

34 Lakshadweep 0 16

35 Pondicherry 1