

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3267
ANSWERED ON:28.07.2009
FUNCTIONING OF TRANSMITTERS
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of High Power Transmitters (HPTs), Low Power Transmitters (LPTs) and Very Low Power Transmitters (VLPTs) in the country including Karnataka, State-wise;
- (b) whether frequent complaints have been received about faulty functioning of these Transmitters;
- (c) if so, the details thereof during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise; and
- (d) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to improve the functioning of these Transmitters?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI C. M. JATUA)

- (a) At present, there are 1416 transmitters in Doordarshan network. State-wise number of HPTs, LPTs & VLPTs is given at Annexure.
- (b) to (d) Performance of TV transmitters in Doordarshan network is satisfactory, though complaints of malfunctioning of some of the transmitters are received from time to time. No centralized data is maintained in this regard. All out efforts are made by Doordarshan to attend to the complaints promptly.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO 3267 FOR ANSWER ON 28-07-2009.

Existing Doordarshan Transmitters

S.No State/UT HPTs LPTs VLPTs Total

1	Andhra Pradesh	13	81	11	105
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	2	3	40	45
3.	Assam	6	21	2	29
4	Bihar	6	34	2	42
5	Chhattisgarh	4	16	8	28
6	Goa	2	0	0	2
7	Gujarat	11	54	3	68
8	Haryana	3	20	0	23
9	Himachal Pradesh	5	8	41	54
10	Jammu & Kashmir	19	18	88	125
11	Jharkhand	5	19	3	27
12	Karnataka	12	49	7	68
13	Kerala	7	22	4	33
14	Madhya Pradesh	12	60	6	78
15	Maharashtra	14	89	20	123
16	Manipur	3	1	4	8
17	Meghalaya	4	3	3	10
18	Mizoram	3	2	3	8
19	Nagaland	3	3	8	14
20	Orissa	7	69	19	95
21	Punjab	7	5	1	13
22	Rajasthan	11	69	19	99
23	Sikkim	2	0	6	8
24	Tamil Nadu	10	53	8	71
25	Tripura	2	6	2	10
26	Uttar Pradesh	18	62	4	84
27	Uttarakhand	2	17	35	54
28	West Bengal	14	21	1	36
29	A & N Islands	2	2	24	28

30	Chandigarh	0	1	0	1
31	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0	1	0	1
32	Daman & Diu	0	2	0	2
33	Delhi	3	0	0	3
34	Lakshadweep	0	1	15	16
35	Pondicherry	1	2	2	5
	Total	213	814	389	1416