

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

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DD/AIR PRODUCTION CENTRES  
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**Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of production centers of All India Radio (AIR)/Doordarshan (DD) functioning/set- up in the country, State-wise and DD/AIR;
- (b) whether the government has any proposal to set up new centres in the country; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof during the 11th Five Year Plan, year-wise, DD/AIR -wise and State-wise?

**Answer**

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

(a) Presently, 214 production centers of All India Radio (AIR) and 66 Doordarshan Kendras (Production Centres) are functioning/ set-up in the country. The state-wise list of the AIR production centers is given at Annexure. A and state-wise list of Doordarshan Kendras (Production Centres) is given at Annexure B

(b)& (c) : Under the Continuing Scheme of 11th Plan, new AIR production centers are being setup at following 6 places :

S. No. PLACE STATE

1 Junagarh GUJRAT

2 Amravati MAHARASHTRA

3 Rairangpur ORISSA

4 Dungarpur RAJASTHAN

5 Longtherai TRIPURA

6 Dehradun UTTARAKHAND

Regarding Doordarshan, besides the Production Centres already set up at Kozhikode (Kerala) & Rajouri (Jammu & Kashmir) during the 11th Plan period, project of establishment of new Production Centre at Tirupati (Andhra Pradesh) is under implementation and it is expected to be completed during 2011.