

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA**

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POST OFFICES IN THE COUNTRY
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has decided to close down a number of post offices in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the reduction in the number of post offices will lead to retrenchment of employees; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the manner in which the Government proposes to address the issue?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI SACHIN PILOT)

- (a) No, Madam.
- (b) to (d) Does not arise in view of (a) above.