# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:141 ANSWERED ON:22.11.2011 REVENUE FROM DD AIR Lal Shri Kirodi

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

- (a) the details of revenue generated by Doordarshan (DD)/All IndiaRadio (AIR) Kendras during each of the last three years and the current year, DD/AIR-wise;
- (b) the details of the amount spent on the maintenance and renovation of the said kendras during the above period, DD/AIR-wise;
- (c) whether the work regarding setting up of new DD/AIR Kendras in various States including Rajasthan has been started;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the time by which the functioning of the new kendras is likely to commence?

# **Answer**

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

(a): As informed by Prasar Bharati, the details of revenue generated by AIR/DD for the last three years and the current year are given below:-

(Rs in crore)

DD AIR

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Year Net Commercial Other Resources Total
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2008-09 737.05 194.42 69.44 1000.91

2009-10 828.48 215.92 102.03 1146.43

2010-11 950.06 275.75 50.58 1276.43

2011-12 448.88 163.66 16.46 626.00 (upto Sept., 2011)

subject to reconciliation of Accounts.

(b): The details of the amount spent by DD/AIR on the maintenance and renovation of their building and installations for the last three

## years and current year are as under:-

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(Rs in crore)

Year Amount spent by Total

DD AIR

2008-09 26.47 31.44 57.91

2009-10 36.01 40.37 76.38

2010-11 49.57 54.29 103.86

2011-12 9.12 11.13 20.25 (upto Sept., 2011)
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subject to reconciliation of  $\mbox{\it Accounts.}$ 

(c) to (e): Prasar Bharati has informed that no new scheme for setting up of new AIR Stations/Doordarshan Kendras in the country including the State of Rajasthan has been approved during the 11th Five Year Plan and as such the issue of commencement of the same does not arise.