

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

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DD REGIONAL TRANSMISSION CENTRES  
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**Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:**

- (a) the total number of regional transmission centres of Doordarshan (DD) in the country, State-wise and location-wise;
- (b) the details of transmission centres which telecast programmes on royalty/commission basis; and
- (c) the amount of royalty/commission paid or received by the Doordarshan by telecasting such programmes during each of the last three years and the current year?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI MANISH TEWARI)

(a) Prasar Bharati has reported that Doordarshan is presently operating 1415 Transmitters of varying capacities which transmit 33 satellite channels, five All India Channels, 11 Regional Channels, 15 State networks, one International and one HD Channel. The State-wise, location-wise details are given in Annexure -I.

(b) All Doordarshan Kendras are telecasting programmes on royalty/commissioned basis as well as telecasting programmes based on in house production and sponsored programmes.

(c) The details showing the allocation and expenditure for the last three years and the current year in respect of royalty and commissioned programmes are given in Annexure-II.