

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

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PUBLIC TELEPHONE BOOTHS
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Public Telephone Booths functioning separately in the urban and rural areas of the country particularly in Uttar Pradesh as on date;
- (b) whether the said telephone booths are not working properly and satisfactorily;
- (c) if so, whether some Public Telephone Booths have been shut down during the last three years;
- (d) if so, the State-wise details thereof along with the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the effective steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to ensure proper and satisfactory working of said telephone booths located at Railway Stations/other public places?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI MILIND DEORA)

- (a) to (e) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.