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

- (a) whether the Government has signed any agreement with State Governments for making wage payments under certain Social Security Service/Schemes through Post Office Saving Bank Accounts in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) the time by which it is likely to be disbursed?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)

(a) Yes, Madam.

(b) & (c) Details of agreements signed with State Governments are at Annexure. The time by which disbursement is made varies from region to region, depending on local conditions of accessibility, logistics of cash supply, release of funds by State authorities etc. However it is likely to be disbursed within 15 days.