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Title: Need to install a new separate Telephone Exchange at the Krishnagiri Collectorate Office Complex.

SHRI K. ASHOK KUMAR (KRISHNAGIRI): Hon. Deputy Speaker, Sir, my constituency, Krishnagiri is the Capital town of the district and nearby Hosur is the industrial township. Day-by-day the number of telephone subscribers is increasing but the service has been at the decreasing level.

During the last couple of years, the number of landline connections in Hosur and Krishnagiri Zone has been decreasing because of insufficient supply of cables, wires, components and machinery and they are not able to meet the requirement. Therefore, I would request the Government to install a new separate Telephone Exchange at the Krishnagiri Collectorate Office complex.

I would also request the Government to construct a mini Telephone Exchange for 1,000 connections in the rural areas for increasing the number of landline subscribers.