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**Title:** Need to improve the functioning of the Television Tower at Samatra in Kutch District of Gujarat to enable people to view T.V. Programmes clearly telecast by Doordarshan. - Laid

SHRI P.S. GADHVI (KUTCH) :

As per the news appeared recently in local newspaper `Sambhan' 26.03.98, the effect of Pakistan T.V. releases is very much disastrous, adverse, and dangerous in the minds of people residing just near to Border with Pakistan i.e. in my constituency. Kutch district (Gujarat). Because these people cannot have and see the Doordarshan programmes in their T.V. inspite of the fact that Doordarshan has erected T.V. Tower near village Samatra. In Bhuj Taluka Distt. Kutch, Gujarat, which is totally ineffective in satisfying the need of people residing there.

I request the Union Govt. to improve the functioning of the T.V. Tower of Samatra in Kutch District of Gujarat.