

T.V. Serial on Madhvacharya

7458. SHRIG.S. BASAVARAJ: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a proposal to show a T.V. Serial on the great Karnataka social reformer Madhavacharya—his life, his contributions to social reformation and his teachings; and

(b) if so, the time by which it is likely to be shown on Doordarshan:

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. UPENDRA): (a) and (b). No, Sir, Doordarshan does not have any plan to telecast such a serial at present.

**AIR/Doordarshan Kendra Broadcast/
Telecast in Hindi**

7459. SHRI MANORANJAN BHAKTA: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) the names of All India Radio Stations and Doordarshan Kendras which broadcast/telecast programmes in Hindi; and

(b) the linguistic composition of the listeners of the areas covered by each of these stations?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. UPENDRA): (a) The Doordarshan Kendras which put out programmes mainly in Hindi are those at Delhi, Lucknow, Jaipur and Ranchi. The names of AIR stations which broadcast the programmes in Hindi are given in the attached statement.

(b) It is the endeavour of the two elec-

tronic media to produce programmes to the extent possible in the language widely spoken in the areas which they cater to. At the same time, the national service, mainly in Hindi and English but also including programmes in regional languages, is disseminated to meet the requirements of the country as a whole by relay of centrally originating programmes.

STATEMENT

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of Station</i>
1	2
1.	Hyderabad
2.	Vijaywada
3.	Vishakhapatnam
4.	Passighat
5.	Tawang
6.	Tezu
7.	Itanagar
8.	Guwahati
9.	Dibrugarh
10.	Patna
11.	Ranchi
12.	Bhagalpur
13.	Darbhanga
14.	Panaji
15.	Ahmedabad
16.	Vadodra

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17. Bhuj
18. Rajkot
19. Rohtak
20. Simla
21. Srinagar
22. Jammu
23. Leh
24. Bangalore
25. Bhadrawati
26. Dharwad
27. Gulberga
28. Mangalore
30. Mysore
31. Alleppey
32. Calicut
33. Trichur
34. Trivandrum
35. Ambikapur
36. Chheterpur
37. Gwalior
38. Indore

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<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>

39. Jabalpur
40. Jagdalpur
41. Raipur
42. Rewa
43. Aurangabad
44. Bombay
45. Jalgaon
46. Nagpur
47. Ratnagiri
48. Sangli
49. Imphal
50. Aizwal
51. Kohima
52. Cuttack
53. Jeypore
54. Sambalpur
55. Jalandhar
56. Jaipur
57. Kota
58. Ajmer
59. Bikaner

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1	2	1	2
60.	Udaipur	81.	Chandigarh
61.	Jodhpur	82.	Delhi
62.	Suratgarh	83.	Pondicherry
63.	Gangtok	Construction of Flyovers at Kanor Thoroughfares with Japanese Assistance	
64.	Coimbatore	7460. SHRI CHITTA BASU: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:	
65.	Madras	(a) whether the Japanese International Cooperation Agency Project Mission have agreed to provide assistance for constructing number of flyovers on the Kanor thoroughfares in Calcutta: and	
66.	Tiruchirapalli	(b) if so, the progress made so far in this regard?	
67.	Agartala	THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF THE FINANCE (SHRI ANIL SHASTRI): (a) and (b). No, Sir. However, a Japanese International Co-operation Agency Mission visited India during 17-27 December, 1989 to conduct the feasibility study for upgradation of roads in Calcutta to expressway standards.	
68.	Lucknow	[Translation]	
69.	Almora	Recognition to Hindi Journalism Course	
70.	Allahabad	7461. SHRI RAMESHWAR PATIDAR: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:	
71.	Varanasi	(a) whether any proposal is under	
72.	Rampur		
73.	Kanpur		
74.	Mathura		
75.	Gorakhpur		
76.	Najibabad		
77.	Agra		
78.	Calcutta		
79.	Kurseong		
80.	Port Blair		