

3.	Mandideep	400 line electronic exchange	90-91
4.	Vidisha	1800 line electronic exchange	8th Plan.

*[Translation]***Air Station at Faizabad, Uttar Pradesh**

*385. SHRI NIRMAL KHATTRI: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the land for setting up the AIR station sanctioned for Faizabad (Uttar Pradesh) has been acquired;

(b) if so, whether the construction work has started and if not, the reasons for delay;

(c) the area to be covered by this station; and

(d) the time by which the work will be completed and the station will start functioning?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI H.K.L. BHAGAT): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The construction work has already commenced.

(c) The proposed radio station at Faizabad would provide radio coverage to an area of 12470 Sq. Kms approximately, within a radius of 63 kms around it.

(d) The proposed radio station at Faizabad is envisaged to be ready for commissioning by the middle of the year 1990.

*[English]***Salary to Teachers of BCCL and ECL**

*386. SHRI BASUDEB ACHARIA: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether a large number of teachers in the Bharat Coking Coal Limited and the Eastern Coalfields Limited are getting their salary regularly after nationalisation of the coal industry, and

(b) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI VASANT SATHE): (a) and (b). The Bharat Coking Coal Limited and the Eastern Coalfields Limited, being coal producing undertakings, do not run schools themselves. These are run by the concerned State Government or privately owned management committees. The coal companies do not, therefore, keep any statistics of such schools nor they are responsible for monitoring or ensuring regular payment of salaries to teachers employed by such schools. The coal companies, however, as a measure to encourage spread of educational facilities in their areas, do provide grants-in-aid and other assistance to the privately managed schools to the extent their budgets permit them to do so.

*[Translation]***Incentives to Village Industries**

*387. SHRI BALWANT SINGH RAMMOOWALIA:
SHRI DINESH GOSWAMI:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Khadi and Village Industries Commission has been giving more incentives to village industries as compared to production of Khadi for the last few years;

(b) if so, the details of these incentives