

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are considering setting up of grassroot polyester filament yarn producing units in some States including Gujarat;

(b) if so, the names of places and States where these are to be set up;

(c) the time by which these units will start; and

(d) the annual turnover from each unit ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM) :

(a) Yes, Sir. During the last one year, 12 Letters of Intent have been issued for setting up of grass-root plants for the manufacture of Polyester Filament Yarn in different States including Gujarat.

(b) The Place/District and the States where these units are to be set up are given below :

State	Place/District
Assam	Exact location will be settled to the satisfaction of the Government.
Andhra Pradesh	Backward Area,
Bihar	No-industry District.
Gujarat	Ankleshwar, Bharuch District.
Haryana	District Jind
Jammu & Kashmir	Jammu
Karnataka	Centrally declared backward District.
Kerala	Nadumangadu, District Trivandrum (Category 'C' Backward Area)
Madhya Pradesh	No-industry district.
Maharashtra	Mauda, Ramtek Taluk, Distt. Nagpur.
Uttar Pradesh	Allahabad,

West Bengal

Haldia, District Midnapur, Category 'B'/ Kalyani, District Nadia (Category 'B')

(c) Normally it takes about 3 to 4 years for setting up grass-root plants.

(d) The annual turn-over of each unit depends upon the production, the prices of product prevailing at that time, etc.

[Translation]

Telegraph offices in Azamgarh district (Uttar Pradesh)

615. SHRI RAJ KUMAR RAI : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) the names of the places in district Azamgarh of Uttar Pradesh where telegraph offices are to be set up or post offices are likely to be provided with telephone facility;

(b) whether Government propose to introduce the Morse system for sending telegrams at Thekma, Surajpur, Maryadapur, Dubari and Sipah post offices in district Azamgarh;

(c) if so, the time by which it is likely to be introduced; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA) : (a) One existing Combined Office is to be converted to Department Telegraph Office. 54 Public Telephones are planned to be provided during the 7th Five Year Plan in Azamgarh District the names of the places are given in Statement given below.

(b) No, Sir. not at present.

(c) Does not arise in view of above.

(d) Morse facility at villages Thekma, Surajpur, Maryadpur, Dubari and Sipah is not justified due to insufficient traffic.

**Statement**

*Names of places where Telegraph Offices and Public Telephones are planned to be provided in Azamgarh District during 7th Five Year Plan*

**Telegraph Offices**

1. Maunath Bhanjan has been proposed to be converted into Departmental Telegraph Office.

**Public Telephones**

1. Handsabad
2. Naubrar Dewara
3. Sheopur
4. Hazipur
5. Gunjapur
6. Misripur
7. Norha Khas
8. Amouri Hasyanpur
9. Gigratpur
10. Mahabutpur
11. Taure Chaubepur
12. Khurhat
13. Bhusan
14. Mande
15. Piasta
16. Pitra
17. Sarwan
18. Raini
19. Kisandasapur
20. Hafispur
21. Kolpur
22. Jagdishpur
23. Gambhirpur
24. Nandhon
25. Mangrawan
26. Lohasa
27. Ushar Kushar
28. Taharkishundepuri
29. Jalalpur
30. Barbhaya
31. Kusmasa
32. Daltapur

33. Bharsahan
34. Iasarakhurd
35. Belan
36. Maupur
37. Airabuzey
38. Tandwa
39. Buxur
40. Jeoli
41. Pauri Kalan
42. Pakarikalan
43. Bangsoon
44. Sithauna
45. Rasulpur
46. Malhanpur
47. Newalagopalpur
48. Gohta
49. Ushari Khurd
50. Katiram
51. Satnabilas
52. Pauri
53. Nawadauhas
54. Jarsingpur

[English]

**Providing of STD and telegraph facilities to District Azamgarh (U. P.)**

616. SHRI RAJ KUMAR RAI : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) the norms followed in selecting a district for providing STD and telegraph link;

(b) whether the prescribed norms are fulfilled in case of Azamgarh district of Uttar Pradesh; and

(c) if so, when the STD and telegraph link are proposed to be provided for the Azamgarh district ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA) : (a) The norms followed in selecting a district head-quarter for provision of STD and telegraph link are as follows :