1

RAJYA SABHA

Tuesday, the 24th August. 1993/ 2nd Bhadra, 1915 (Sake)

The House met at eleven of the cluck, The Deputy Chairman in the chair.

MEMBER SWORN

SHRI TRIDIB CHAUDHURY (West Bengal)

ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

STD/ISD Working in the Country

*381. SHRI H. HANUMANTHAPPA: Will, the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) what is the number of STD/ISD working in the country State-wise;
- (b) whether it is a fact that Govern ment are not considering to increase these facilities in view of the rising demand; and
 - (c) if so, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) The required information is furnished in the enclosed statement. [see below]

- (b) No, Sir.
- (c) Does not arise in view of reply to part (b) above.

Statement

Status of STD PCOs as on 31-3-93

SI. No.		Circle							-			
I. Andhra Pradesh	_		_									2957
2. Assam						_				·		405
3. Bihar	,	,					Ì	Ċ				551
4. Gujarat	,				·			Ċ	Ċ	Ī	·	4814
5. Jammu & Kashmir					-	·		•	•	•	•	83
6. Kerala					·	Ċ		•	•	Ċ	-	3100
7. Karnataka .					•	Ċ	•	•	:	•	•	2954
8. Madhya Pradesh					•			•	•	·	•	2600
9. Maharashtra		·		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	3958
10. Orissa				,	٠		•	•	•	•	•	5936 594
11. Haryana	Ċ			•	•		•	•	•	•	•	950
12. Himachal Pradesh	Ċ	•		•	•	•	•	٠	•	•	•	
13. Punjab				•	•	•	•	•	٠	٠	•	130
14 30 2 41					•	•		•	•	•	•	2923
15. North Eastern.	•		•	•	•	•	٠	•	٠	•	•	2286
16. Tamil Nadu .	•	-	•	•	•		•	•	٠	٠	•	183
	•	•	٠	•	٠	•		•	٠	٠		2955
17. Uttar Pradesh	•	•	٠	•	٠			٠			:	3437
18. West Bengal .	•	,	•	-	٠	•	•	٠	•	٠		84
				ME	TRO	DIST	RICT	S				
I. CALCUTTA .							,				v	1181
2. MADRAS .												1358
3. DELHI .												1954
4. BOMBAY .				t								2558