

1	2	3
7.	2006-2007	128
8.	2007-2008	160
9.	2008-2009	255
10.	2009-2010	130 (upto December, 2009)
TOTAL :		5342

Cyber police force

1544.MS. SUSHILA TIRIYA : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state :

- (a) whether it is a fact that there is a proposal to set up a Cyber Police Force; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI SACHIN PILOT) : (a) No, Sir.

- (b) Does not arise.

Private courier service

1545.SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state :

- (a) whether Government has plans to insist on private couriers to cover uneconomic and distant areas all over the country; and
- (b) if not, in what manner Government plans to cover all the villages in the country under postal services?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI GURUDAS KAMAT) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Out of a total network of 1,55,015 post offices in the country (as on 31.03.2009), 1,39,144 post offices (approximately 89%) are functioning in rural areas. Basic postal facilities in terms of regular delivery of dak, sale of postage stamps/stationery and clearance of letter boxes are provided in all villages of the country. Residents of villages, where post offices are not available at present, are availing of postal facilities from post offices existing in neighbouring villages.

Broadband coverage

1546.SHRI BHAGIRATH MAJHI : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state :