THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (DR. SHAKEEL AHMAD): (a) Sir, Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) project is under implementation in Gujarat Circle.

(b) No, Sir. However, during routine audit of BSNL office, P&T Audit and Accounts wing of Ahmedabad has raised certain queries which has been replied by BSNL office at Ahmedabad.

(c) Does not arise in view of (b) above.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise in view of (d) above.

Implementation of ERP system in Gujarat

3157. SHRI JAYANTILAL BAROT: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the BSNL Head Quarter, New Delhi has received any complaint in the matter of implementing Enterprise Resource Planning system in BSNL, Gujarat Circle; and

(b) if so, the action proposed to be taken by BSNL and DoT?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (DR. SHAKEEL AHMAD): (a) No, Sir. BSNL Head Quarters has not received any complaint. However a news item has appeared in one of the newspapers of Gujarat regarding ERP project.

(b) Contents of the news report have been examined and no action is proposed.

New post offices in Arunachal Pradesh

3158. SHRI NABAM REBIA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of new post offices set up in North Eastern region particularly in Arunachal Pradesh during the last three years; and

.(b) the details of amount allocated and spent, so far for setting up new post offices in the region, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (DR. SHAKEEL AHMAD): (a) The number of post offices set up in North Eastern Region including the State of Arunachal Pradesh during the last three years are given below:

Sl. No.	Name of State	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	1	2	-
2.	Manipur	4	2	-
3.	Meghalaya	1	2	-
4.	Mizoram	1	1	1
5.	Nagaland	1	2	-
6.	Tripura	2	2	1
7.	Assam	16	15	-
8.	Sikkim	1	3	-

(b) Rs. 4000/- per branch post office and Rs. 10000/- per sub post office were given to meet the non-recurring cost of each of the new post offices in the first two years of the 10th Plan. No Plan support has been given in 2004-05 as no plan targets were given for opening post offices. New Post offices were opened in 2004-2005 only through relocation of existing post offices.

Software/Hardware Exports

3159. SHRIMATI N.P. DURGA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the total software exports during the last three years, year-wise and State-wise;