

2. New FM Radio Stations under implementation:

Sl.No.	Place	Power of transmitter being installed	REMARKS
1	Rairangpur	1 kw FM (Relay)	Technically ready.
2.	Angul, Baligurha, Nuapara, Paradeep, Pariakheimundi Rayagada, Sundergarh	100 Watt FM (Relay) at 7 places	Equipment under procurement

Statement-II

Sl.No.	City	Name of the company	Channel Identity
1	Bhubneshwar/Cuttak	Reliance Broadcast Network Ltd.	BIG-FM
2	Bhubneshwar/Cuttak	Eastern Media Ltd.	Radio-chocolate
3	Bhubneshwar/Cuttak	South Asia FM Ltd.	S. FM
4	Rourkela	Reliance Broadcast Network Ltd.	BIG-FM
5	Rourkela	Eastern Media Ltd.1	Radio-Chocolate

Preservation of speeches and film archives of patriots

2075. SHRI BHARATSINH PRABHATSINH PARMAR:

SHRI PARSHOTTAM KHODABHAI RUPALA:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the concerned department of the Ministry has scientifically preserved the original speeches and the film archives of our great patriot leaders and moments of freedom fighting when our nation became independent;

(b) the number of schools and colleges as on date where original films and speeches of the said personalities and moments have been demonstrated to familiarise the young generation about the glorious freedom history; and

(c) whether any target has been set by the Ministry in this regard for the next five years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (DR. S. JAGATHRAKSHAKAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(i) Doordarshan:

Doordarshan Archives preserves and restores the programmes/recordings of freedom fighters and patriots which were recorded from time to time by its various Kendras.

(ii) All India Radio:

The original audio speeches of Prime Ministers, Presidents and some great patriotic leaders are preserved in the Sound Archives of All India Radio.

(iii) Films Division:

Films Division (FD) has made many documentary films on freedom fighters/ national leaders which include their speeches wherever recorded. Films Division has also made a series of films on freedom struggle held from 1857 to 1947. These films have been digitalized in the high definition format.

(iv) National Film Archive of India:

National Film Archive of India (NFAI) also preserved some of the documentary footages of great patriotic leaders and moments of freedom struggle.

(b) Documentary films on freedom fighters/freedom movement are shown by FD at schools and other educational institutes, as and when requests are received. Between 2006 and 2010, Films Division organized 46 such film screenings.

(c) No, Sir.

Advertisement on death and birth anniversaries

†2076. SHRI BALVANT ALIAS BAL APTE:

SHRI ANIL MADHAV DAVE:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government issues the advertisements on the death and birth anniversaries of the former Prime Ministers and national leaders through its various Ministries/Departments;

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.