

Defence Production Units in Assam

1948. SHRI ABDUL HAMID:
SHRI BHADRESWAR TANTI:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether any defence production units are located in Assam; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION AND SUPPLIES IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI D. L. BAITHA): (a) and (b). No defence production unit is located in Assam.

Complaints of Telephone Service in Assam

1949. SHRI ABDUL HAMID:
SHRI BHADRESWAR TANTI:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any complaints of disorder of telephones in Assam were received in 1987-88 and 1988-89;

(b) if so, their total number; and

(c) the number of telephone in Guwahati district of Assam?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The total number is:—

1987-89	1,41,202
1988-89	1.47,581

(c) As on 31.3.89 the number was 10,537.

[Translation]

Upgradation of Tanakpur-Pithoragarh Tawaghat Road in U.P.

1950. SHRI HARISH RAWAT: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government of Uttar Pradesh held meeting with the officers of the Ministry of Defence and Director General Border Roads during the last several years with regard to the improvement and upgradation of Tanakpur-Pithoragarh -Tawaghat Motor Road (U.P.);

(b) If so, whether an agreement was reached in that meeting that half of the cost of development of this motor road would be met by the Government of India and half of the cost would be met by the U.P. Government;

(c) if so, whether this mutual agreement has been implemented; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION AND SUPPLIES IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI D. L. BAITHA): (a) Yes, Sir. A meeting was held with officers of Govt. of Uttar Pradesh, in September, 1980.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) and (b). Do not arise.

Demand for Allotment of Land by Ex-Servicemen Committee, Ranikhet

1951. SHRI HARISH RAWAT: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state: