इलाहाबाद में दूरदर्शन केन्द्र की स्थापना

346. **श्री कृष्ण प्रकाश तिवारी :** क्या सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या देश की राजनीति, इतिहास और सांस्कृतिक परम्परा में इलाहाबाद का महत्वपूर्ण स्थान है;

(ख) क्या इलाहाबाद को देश के दूरदर्शन मानचित्र में अभी तक कोई स्थान नहीं मिला है;

(ग) क्या इलाहाबाद को देश के दूरदर्शन मानचित्र में लाने का कोई प्रस्ताव है; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो ऐसा कब तक किया जाएगा और यदि नहीं, तो इसके क्या कारण हैं ?

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री (श्री वसन्त साठे) (क) और (ख) जी, हां ।

(ग) और (घ) दूरदर्शन के विस्तार की भावी योजना के अन्तर्गत डाक-तार माइक्रोवेव लिंक की सहायता से दूरदर्शन रिले केन्द्र स्थापित करने के लिए 49 स्थानों में से एक स्थान इलाहाबाद चुना गया है जो दूसरे चरण (1985-90) में है । इस योजना का कार्यान्वयन संसाधनों की उपलब्धता पर निर्भर करेगा ।

Scavenging work in DESU entrusted to Contractors

347. SHRI R. N. RAKESH : Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state :

(a) whether the scavenging work at many places in DESU has been entrusted to contractors; if so, the reasons therefor;

(b) whether a decision to terminate the aforesaid contracts by 30 April, 1981 had been taken; if so, the reasons for its still continuing;

(c) the reasons for recruiting labourers on daily wages instead of employing them from panel of scavengers and the number of such persons recruited after the formation of the panel;

(d) the time by which recruitment would be made from the panel; and

(e) the total number of posts of attendants in DESU and whether all the reserved posts have been filled up and if not, the reasons therefor and the number of posts to be filled up to complete the reserved quota?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRI VIKRAM MAHAJAN) (a) to (d). A decision was taken in April, 1981, to terminate contract system for scavenging work in DESU. This decision could be implemented partially since efforts to make alternative arrangements did not succeed at all places. A panel of 23 Safai Karamcharis was drawn up in March, 1980. Seventeen candidates have already been given employment. This panel is valid upto 14th March, 1982 and appointments will be made as and when vacancies arise. Workers are engaged on daily wages when the nature of work is casual and for brief duration, e. g. against leave vacancies in remote places and for part-time work. The number of daily wage Safai Karamcharis as at present is 46.

(e) There are no posts of 'Attendants' in DESU and as such the question does not arise.