

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2260
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OPENING OF MUKHYA DAK GHAR
SURESH RAMRAO JADHAV (PATIL)

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has taken a decision to open `Mukhya Dak Ghar` (MDG) at all Taluka Places under MDG Scheme;
- (b) if so, the names of the Taluka Places in Parbhani and Nanded Districts where MDG has not yet been opened under the Scheme ;
and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to open MDGs at Purna, Manwath, Gangakhed, Jintoor, Partur, Selu and Pathri Talukas of Parbhani district?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHR THIRUNAVUKKARASAR)

- (a) No, Sir.
- (b) Does not arise in view of (a) above.
- (c) The scheme of setting up of Mukhya Dak Ghars (MDGs) at District Headquarter having no Head Post Office has come into existence w.e.f. 01.04.2002. Gangakhed and Pathri Sub Offices have already been converted as Mukhya Dak Ghars. The case for conversion of the remaining post offices as Mukhya Dak Ghars is not considered necessary as these offices are giving satisfactory service as per local requirement, within the existing framework.