

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3314  
ANSWERED ON:15.12.2005  
DOORDARSHAN KENDRAS  
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**Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of Doordarshan Kendras in the country at present, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has received proposals to set up more Doordarshan Kendras in the country;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the action taken by the Government thereon and the places where new Kendras are proposed to be set up?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. R. DASMUNSI)

(a) : Currently, there are sixty-four Doordarshan Kendras in the country. Details are placed at Annexure. These are also available on Doordarshan's website viz. [www.ddindia.gov.in](http://www.ddindia.gov.in).

(b) to (d) : Such requests are received from diverse sources from time to time and the details are not maintained centrally. These are considered for appropriate follow-up action. Doordarshan Kendras are proposed to be set up at Calicut in Kerala and Rajouri in Jammu and Kashmir.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3314 TABLED FOR ANSWER ON 15TH DEC.EMBER, 2005.

**Name of the State/Union Territory Number of Doordarshan Kendras**

- |                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| 1. Andhra Pradesh    | 3 |
| 2. Arunachal Pradesh | 1 |
| 3. Assam             | 4 |
| 4. Bihar             | 2 |
| 5. Chhatisgarh       | 2 |
| 6. Goa               | 1 |
| 7 Gujarat            | 2 |
| 8. Haryana           | 1 |
| 9. Himachal Pradesh  | 1 |
| 10. Jharkhand        | 2 |
| 11. Jammu & Kashmir  | 3 |
| 12. Kerala           | 2 |
| 13. Karnataka        | 2 |
| 14. Madhya Pradesh   | 3 |
| 15. Meghalaya        | 2 |
| 16. Maharashtra      | 3 |
| 17. Manipur          | 1 |
| 18. Mizoram          | 1 |
| 19. Nagaland         | 1 |
| 20. Orissa           | 3 |
| 21. Punjab           | 2 |
| 22. Rajasthan        | 1 |
| 23. Sikkim           | 1 |

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|---------------------------------|---|
| 24. Tamilnadu                   | 3 |
| 25. Tripura                     | 1 |
| 27. Uttaranchal                 | 1 |
| 28. Utar Pradesh                | 7 |
| 28. West Bengal                 | 3 |
| 29. Andaman and Nicobar Islands | 1 |
| 30. Chandigarh                  | 1 |
| 31. Delhi                       | 2 |
| 32. Pondicherry                 | 1 |

Total 64