

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1204
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TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS IN POST OFFICES
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether telephone connections have been provided at all post offices in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise particularly in Tamil Nadu; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (DR. SHAKEEL AHMAD)

- (a) No, Sir.
- (b) The State-wise number of post offices provided with telephone connections as on 31-03-2006 is given in the Annexure.
- (c) As per the policy of the Department of Posts, all the Departmental Post Offices in the country will be provided with telephone connections in a phased manner.