

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
RAJYA SABHA
QUESTION NO 18.11.2010
ANSWERED ON
COMPUTERISATION OF SAVING BANKING BY DEPARTMENT OF POSTS .

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Shri Prabhat Jha

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

- (a) whether any target for computerization of its saving banking and other activities has been fixed by Department of Posts;
- (b) if so, the details of target set and achievement thereon, so far;
- (c) whether the job of data collection to ascertain rural price index from the targeted post offices in the country has been completed by the Department of Posts; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

(SHRI GURUDAS KAMAT)

(a) & (b) Sir, computerization of postal activities including savings bank is an ongoing activity taking place in a phased manner subject to availability of funds. As on 31.10.2010, 12604 post offices have been computerized.

(c) & (d) Department collects monthly price data for 1181 villages on behalf of Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation.