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PRASAR BHARATI – AN OVERVIEW

A. INTRODUCTION:

Prasar Bharati (INDIA'S PUBLIC SERVICE BROADCASTER) is the only public service broadcaster in the country, with Akashvani (earlier also known as Akashvani) and Doordarshan as its two constituents. It came into existence on 23rd November 1997 with the mandate to organize and conduct public broadcasting services to inform, educate and entertain the public and to ensure a balanced development of broadcasting on radio and television.

Prasar Bharati has also made its presence felt in the digital platform as well. Live streaming of content, informative new websites, availability of programmes on You Tube, Mobile Apps and Alexa have ensured a vibrant appearance of Prasar Bharati on these platforms. Active presence in social media is being made through Twitter, Instagram and Facebook. The need for a public service broadcaster like Prasar Bharati is even more important in view of more than 800 TV channels and 388 private radio stations in the quarter ending June 2022 that are mainly focussing on commercial programmes. Prasar Bharati, broadcasting public service content on its Akashvani and Doordarshan Network across the length and breadth of the country is the only counter-balancing force in a highly commercialized electronic media environment. Moreover, the ethical norms and guidelines developed by Prasar Bharati over a period are serving as bench-marks for the industry.

B. OBJECTIVES:

The major objectives of Prasar Bharati as laid out in the Prasar Bharati Act, 1990 are as follows:-

- i) To uphold the unity, integrity of the country and the values enshrined in the Constitution.
- ii) To promote national integration.
- iii) To safeguard the citizen's right to be informed on all matters of public interest and presenting a fair and balanced flow of information.
- iv) To pay special attention to the fields of education and spread of literacy, agriculture, rural development, environment, health & family welfare and science & technology.
- v) To create the awareness about women's issues and to take special steps to protect the interests of the children, the aged and other vulnerable sections of the society.
- vi) To provide adequate coverage to the diverse cultures, sports & games and the youth affairs.
- vii) To promote social justice, safeguarding the rights of working classes, minorities and tribal communities.
- viii) To promote research and expand the broadcasting facilities and development in the broadcasting technologies.

C. THE PRASAR BHARATI BOARD

Prasar Bharati is governed by the Prasar Bharati Board, which comprises of a Chairperson, an Executive Member (Chief Executive Officer), a Member (Finance), a Member (Personnel), six part-time Members, a representative of the Ministry of Information & Broadcasting and the Director Generals of Akashvani and Doordarshan as its ex-officio Members. The tenure of Chairman is three years subject to the maximum age limit of 70 years, whichever is earlier. The Executive Member has tenure of five years, subject to an age-limit of sixty five years, whichever is earlier. The Member (Finance) and the Member (Personnel) are whole-time Members with six year tenure, subject to the age limit of 62 years, whichever is earlier. The Prasar Bharati Board normally meets at least six times in a year.

The composition of Prasar Bharati Board from 01.04.2022 to 31.03.2023 is as under:

- Chairman Vacant
- Chief Executive Officer Shri Shashi Shekhar Vempati
(till 08.06.2022)
- Shri Mayank Kumar Agrawal
(Addl. charge from 09.06.2022 to 20.11.2022)
- Shri Gaurav Dwivedi, IAS
(w.e.f. 21.11.2022)

WHOLE TIME MEMBERS

- Member (Personnel) Shri D.P.S. Negi
(Addl charge from 02.05.2022 to 20.11.2022)
- Shri Gaurav Dwivedi, IAS
(Addl charge w.e.f. 21.11.2022)
- Member (Finance) Shri D.P.S. Negi
(w.e.f. 01.12.2021)

MEMBERS NOMINATED BY MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING

- Addl. Secy., MIB & Nominated Member Smt. Neerja Sekhar, IAS

PART TIME MEMBERS

- Shri Ashok Kr. Tandon w.e.f. 08.07.2020
- Shri Alok Agrawal w.e.f. 08.07.2020
- Shri Sanjay Gupta w.e.f. 08.07.2020
- Smt. Shaina NC w.e.f. 09.07.2020

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS

- Director General, DD Shri Mayank Agrawal
(till 28.02.2023)
- Director General, AIR Shri N. Venudhar Reddy
(From 17.05.2022 to 31.08.2022)
Ms. Vasudha Gupta
(w.e.f. 12.01.2023)



MEETINGS OF THE PRASAR BHARATI BOARD

During the year 2022 - 2023, Prasar Bharati Board met six times (173rd to 178th) and there were 16 meetings of various Board Committees. Some key matters that were deliberated upon during these meetings as well as important decisions taken are as under:

- Revision of e-auction methodology for allotment of slots of DD Free Dish to private TV channels.
- Ratification of revision of eligibility criteria for participating in e-auction of DD Free Dish slots
- Upgradation of genre of 'Shemaroo Umang' TV channel on DD Free Dish from movies (Hindi) to GEC (Hindi)
- Upgradation of genre of 'Manoranjana Grand' TV channel on DD Free Dish from movies (Bhojpuri) to GEC (Hindi)
- Signing of agreement with Broadcast Audience Research Council (BARC) for Statement of Work (SoW) for viewership data in respect of Doordarshan channels for the FY 2022-23
- Approval of the amended Direct Assignment Process (DAP) guidelines.
- Content Procurement Policy
- Out-of-arbitration settlement of dispute with 'Saibaba Telefilms'

D. THE ORGANISATIONAL SETUP

The Prasar Bharati Board functions at the apex level ensuring general superintendence, direction and management of the affairs of the Corporation. The Board is assisted by a Secretariat consisting of officers from Programme, Technical, Finance and Administration.

The Executive Member is the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Prasar Bharati. Officers from different streams in the Prasar Bharati Secretariat assist the CEO, Member (Finance) and Member (Personnel) in overseeing operations, implementation of plans and policies, as well as management of budget, accounts and financial matters.

The Akashvani (AIR) and the Doordarshan (DD) Directorates are headed by respective Directors General (DGs). The News Wing of Akashvani is headed by Director General, News Services Division (NSD) and that of Doordarshan by Director General, News and Current Affairs (N&CA).

The DGs are assisted by Additional Directors General (ADGs) in Programme, Administration and Finance Wings, and an Engineer-in-Chief in the Engineering Wing.

The Directorates are responsible for policy formulation, planning and development, infrastructure and technology upgradation, budgetary planning and control, human resource management, overseeing operations and maintenance activities, etc.

Field level Operations and Management are executed through the zonal offices in the North Zone (Delhi), South Zone (Chennai), East Zone (Kolkata), West Zone (Mumbai) and North East Zone (Guwahati). ADG level officers function as Zonal Heads for Content Operations, Broadcast Operations and Administration. A National Zone supervises the channels of Doordarshan and Akashvani.

Prasar Bharati has a Vigilance set-up at the headquarters headed by a Chief Vigilance Officer.

Commercial Sales and Billing of Akashvani is handled by the Central Sales Unit (CSU) at Mumbai along with 15 main Commercial Broadcasting Service (CBS) Centers (renamed Sales Centres- SCs) across the Country. The Commercial Revenue Division (CRD) (renamed Public Outreach Service -POS) in Delhi manages Government business. Corporate Sales in Doordarshan are handled by Commercial Revenue Divisions (CRDs) (renamed Sales Divisions-SDs) located in Mumbai, New Delhi, Kolkata and Bengaluru. Centralised Billing is done by the Doordarshan Commercial Service

(DCS) in Delhi.

The National Academy of Broadcasting & Multimedia (NABM) with its main campus at Kingsway Camp, Delhi is Prasar Bharati's training facility. It has regional campuses at Bhubaneswar and Shillong. The Academy's Programme Division is responsible for in-service training of Programme and Administrative personnel. The Technical Division organizes Training Courses for the engineering staff. The NABM also conducts departmental promotion examinations for staff including examination for recruitment in various cadres. International Collaboration to be added here.

The Archives, Research Department, Civil Construction Wing (CCW) and AIR Resources are common facilities for AIR and Doordarshan.

The PB Recruitment Board (PBRB) created on 12.02.2020, handles recruitment of personnel below the level of Joint Secretary to the Govt. of India.

F. IMPORTANT ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS:

- Modernization/ up-gradation of Akashvani (All India Radio) and Doordarshan network is a continuous process. Modernization plans cover a broad spectrum, which, inter alia, includes digitalization; adoption of new technologies at par with International standards; replacement of old ageing equipment and upgradation etc. Schemes in this regard are formulated time to time and implemented as per Govt approval which depends upon availability of funds/resources and inter-se priorities.
- In view of emerging trends in Broadcasting and change in consumer viewing pattern, PrasarBharati has entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with IIT Kanpur to develop Next Gen. Broadcast solution/roadmap for Digital Terrestrial Broadcasting consistent with emerging standards. After completion of small scale Proof of Concept (PoC)/Trial in Bengaluru of "Next Generation Broadcast Technology – Direct to Mobile (D2M)" Hybrid PoC in Delhi is in progress. The Report on Evaluation of the PoC on "Next Generation Broadcast Technology – Direct to Mobile (D2M) Trial" is awaited from IIT Kanpur. The report will pave the way for selection of appropriate Next Generation broadcast Technology and roadmap for digital broadcasting. For pan India roll out relevant Policy decision, availability/allocation of required UHF Spectrum and funds allocations would be needed.
- Content Innovation is a major thrust area and has seen synergy across radio and television, language amplification to address the wide diversity, and creating value from the rich archives. While focusing on its primary mission of public service broadcasting, popular content in new and innovative formats produced in collaboration with best in the industry has given a new fillip and boost to the entertainment fare on the networks. The international footprint of DD India-- the international channel of Doordarshan-- has also grown in the last one year making it popular among the large Indian diaspora spread across the globe.
- DD Free Dish which is a free to air (FTA) DTH service has been further augmented for Its bouquet to contain 167 TV channels {38 DD channels (including 1 HD & Home), 2 Parliamentary channels, 51 co-branded educational channels, 2 foreign public broadcasting channels and 74 private GEC, movie, news, music} and 48 radio channels. Currently available in approx. 43 million households, it is the largest DTH platform in the country.
- Both AIR and Doordarshan are repositories of priceless archival collections of music, plays, serials etc., besides content of historical importance which have been completely digitized and have been made available online.



- With 501 Broadcasting Centres of Akashvani (Akashvani), 66 Doordarshan Kendras, DD FreeDish DTH Setup etc., spread across the length and breadth of the country, Prasar Bharati offers one of the most effective communication platforms for developmental outreach and commercial messaging.

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GLOBAL OUTREACH

The Global Outreach Wing of Prasar Bharati deals with International Relations activities such as signing of Agreements and Memorandum of Understandings (MoUs) with Public Service Broadcasters/ Organisations of other countries. It facilitates the official visits of broadcasters from other countries to all the verticals of Prasar Bharati, organizes In-country/ Sub-Regional workshops/ conferences/ events for the MoU Partners as well as the International Broadcasting Unions such as Asia-Pacific Broadcasting Union (ABU), Asia-Pacific Institute for Broadcasting Development (AIBD) etc. and facilitates the participation of its officials in international competitions/ events/ conferences.

A. Mous / Agreements Signed By Prasar Bharati During This Year :

1. Following MoUs/ Agreements were signed by Prasar Bharati during this year:

S.No.	Country	Broadcaster/ organization	Date of Sign/ Remarks	Purpose
1	South Korea	KBS Korea	Renewal of MoU on 30.12.2022 valid upto 31.12.2023	Hosting of DD India on OTT Platform MyKK.
2	Argentina	Radio and Television(RTA) Argentina	22.04.2022	Content exchange, Co-Production and Trainings
3	Madagascar	Office de la Radio et de la Television Publiques de Madagascar(ORTM)	10.05.2022	Content exchange, Co-Production and Trainings
4	Fiji	Fiji Television Limited (FTL), Fiji	04.05.2022	Content exchange, Co-Production and Trainings
5	Brazil	Empressa Brazil De Comunicacao, (EBC)	24.08.2022	Content exchange, Co-Production and Trainings
6	Thailand	Thai PBS	17.08.2022	Content exchange, Co-Production and Trainings
7	Bangladesh	BTV, Bangladesh	06.09.2022	Carrying DD India channel in Bangladesh and BTV channel on DD FreeDish on areciprocal basis.
8	Serbia	Pink TV Serbia	26.10.2022	Content exchange, Co-Production and Trainings
9	Paraguay	Paraguayan National Audio Visual Institute, MoICT, Republic of Paraguay	12.12.2022	Content exchange, Co-Production and Trainings
10	Germany	Deutsche Welle	12.12.2022	For telecast of 'Manthan' on DD network

S.No.	Country	Broadcaster/ organization	Date of Sign/ Remarks	Purpose
11	Egypt	National Media Authority, Egypt	25.01.2023	Content exchange, Co-Production and Trainings

- A Letter of Intent between Prasar Bharati and France Medias Monde (FMM) was signed on 31.03.2023 for cooperation & collaboration in the field of broadcasting & distribution of DD India channel in France on reciprocal basis. The LOI was signed by CEO Prasar Bharati Sh Gaurav Dwivedi on behalf of Prasar Bharati and Ms Marie Christine Saragosse, Chairman and CEO, FMM on behalf of France Medias Monde. The LoI indicates the cooperation in different areas of broadcasting such as exchange of radio & TV programs, distribution of DD India channel in France, co-production of programmes, capacity building /training etc.



MoU signed between Prasar Bharati and Radio & Television Argentina on 22.04.2022 virtually



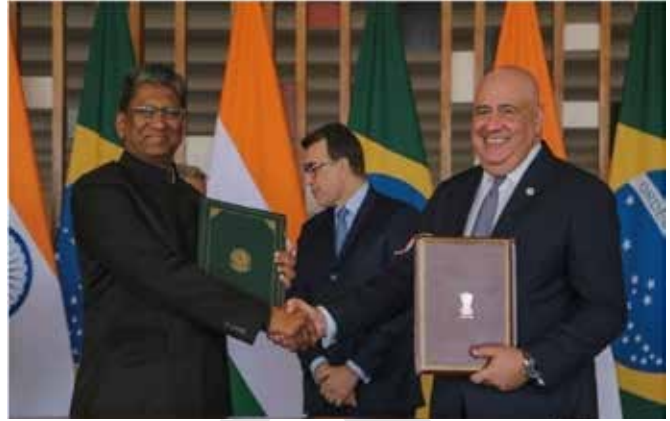
Signing & Exchanging of MoU between Prasar Bharati and ORTM Madagascar on 10.05.2022



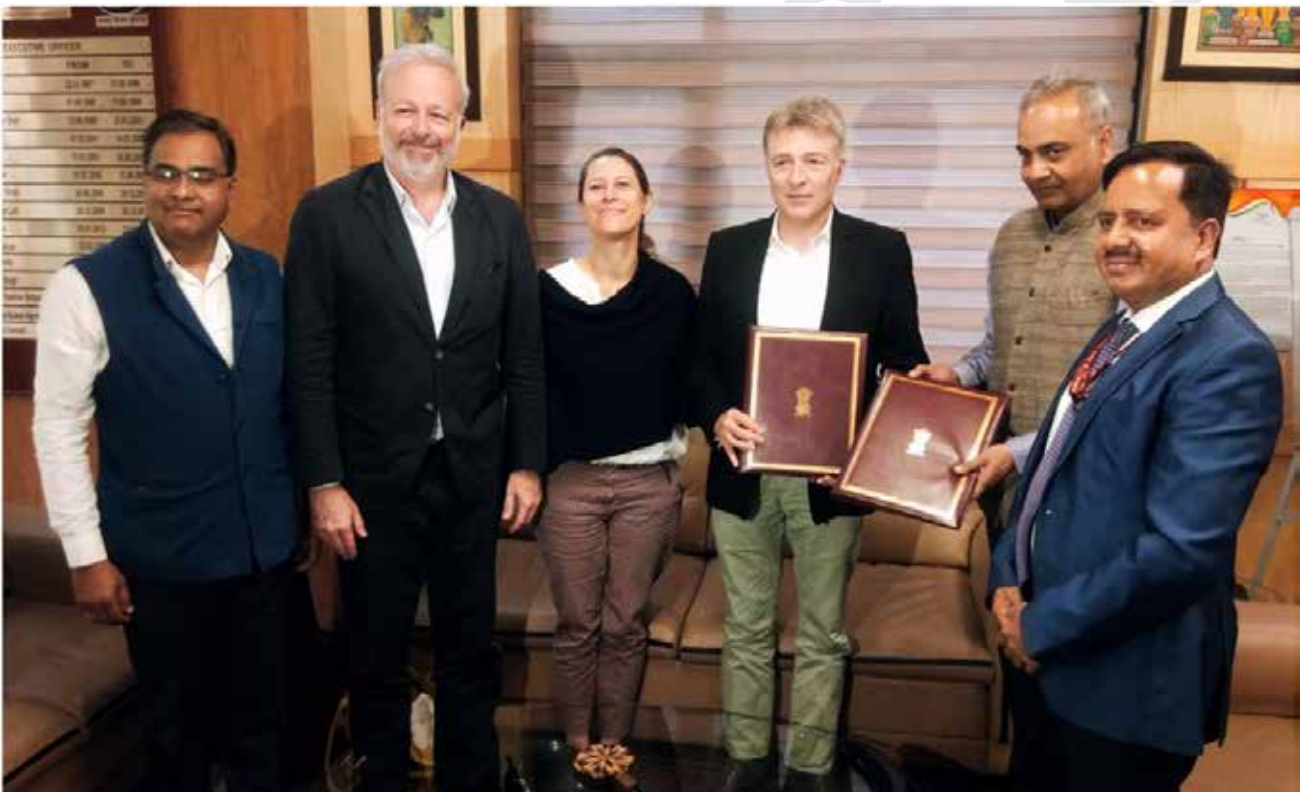
Signing of MoU between Prasar Bharati and Ministry of Information & Communication Technologies of Republic of Paraguay, the Paraguayan National Audio Visual Institute on 12.12.2022



Exchanging of MoU between Prasar Bharati and BTV Bangladesh on 06.09.2022



Signing and Exchanging of MoU between Prasar Bharati and EBC Brazil on 24.08.2022



Signing & Exchanging of Letter of Intent with France Medias Monde on 31.03.2023

2. **Co-Production of TV programmes:** 4th International Co-production with EBS, Korea namely 'Beasts of Asia' has been completed successfully and was telecast on DD National on 23rd & 24th April 2022 at 5:00 PM (IST).
3. **Formation of the Joint Working Group (JWG):** A Joint Working Group (JWG) comprising of officers from Prasar Bharati, M/o Information & Broadcasting and M/o External Affairs was constituted in order to frame the strategy for enhancing co-operation and collaboration efforts of Prasar Bharati with international broadcasters including the exploration of possibilities of distribution of DD India channel world over. The 7th Meeting of Joint Working Group (JWG) was held on 20.01.2023 under the chairmanship of CEO PB. Sh Arindam Bagchi, AS (XP) MEA, Sh Senthil Rajan, JS ((MIB) along with the representatives from both directorates of Akashvani/ Doordarshan attended the meeting.

B. Meetings of CEO, Prasar Bharati & ADG (GO) with Ambassadors/ Foreign Broadcasters:-

- Online/Physical Meetings of CEO, Prasar Bharati/ ADG (GO) with Ambassadors of different Countries/ Head of different foreign broadcasters namely ATN Canada, Voice of Vietnam (VOV), NTV-Nepal, Radio Nepal, IRIB, Iran, PSM Maldives, TRT Turkey, USA Media, Thailand TVTM Turkmenistan , EBS Korea, BPA Kiribati, MNB Mongolia, SBC Saudi Arabia, KTRK Kyrgyzstan, Germany, MBC Mauritius, Committee on Television and Radio, Tajikistan, Radio Mozambique, Deutsche Welle, Germany, European Broadcasting Union (EBU)etc. were held to discuss and explore the possible areas of mutual cooperation in the field of News & Broadcasting, Associate Membership of EBU, in addition to promoting DD India channel. A meeting of CEO, PB with the Dr. Hendrick Selle, Minister/ Counselor of the Embassy of Germany was held on 12.01.2023 in the chamber of CEO, to discuss as to how Prasar Bharati produces “Mann Ki Baat” – a monthly address by the Hon’ble Prime Minister. An online meeting of CEO, Prasar Bharati & ADG (GO), PB with the Executive Chairman of NTV Nepal and Joint Secretary, Ministry of I&B, Government of Nepal was held on 10.03.2023 at 2.30 PM IST to discuss the possibility of carrying of NTV channel on DD DTH Platform on unilateral basis.



Physical meeting with Ms. Clair M Gorman, IR head of ABC Australia at DTH Todapur in New Delhi, India on 26.04.2022



Physical meeting of Shri Sunil, ADG (Global), Prasar Bharati with Secretary, I&B, Nepal Government at Kathmandu, Nepal on 03.05.2022



Meeting of Shri Mayank Kumar Agrawal, DG, DD with DG MNB Mongolia on 01.12.2022





Meeting of CEO, Prasar Bharati with Representatives of Radio & NTV Nepal on 29.11.2022



Meeting of CEO, Prasar Bharati with CEO, PSM Maldives on 29.11.2022



Meeting of ADG (GO), Prasar Bharati with Ms. Hyunsook Chung, Executive Producer, EBS Korea on 30.11.2022

C. ASIA-PACIFIC BROADCASTING UNION (ABU), ASIA-PACIFIC INSTITUTE FOR BROADCASTING DEVELOPMENT (AIBD) and other INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES:

1. Prasar Bharati was invited by National Association of Broadcasters (NAB) to participate in NAB show 2022 which was held on 22-27 April 2022 in Las Vegas, NV, USA. A 3 member delegation from Prasar Bharati lead by Shri D P S Negi, Member (F), PB along with Shri Sunil, ADG (Global), PB and Shri Abhishek Agrawal, DDG DDK Delhi participated in the event.
2. Prasar Bharati was invited by ABU to attend the 7th Global Platform of DRR on 23-28 May 2022 for syndicated coverage of the Global Platform of DRR. Shri Gautam Roy, Consulting editor and Ms. R. Jayashree Puri, Cameraperson from DD News and Shri Anoop Khajuria, ADP, as a lead producer for Asia group for DRR co-production, participated in the event on behalf of Prasar Bharati.
3. Dr. Javad Mottaghi, Secretary General, ABU visited Prasar Bharati from 10-13 May 2022 in order to discuss the various components involved with the preparation of the event including different requirements as a preliminary preparation for the forthcoming international events viz. 59th ABU GA, Global News Forum and ABU Robocon 2022.



Dr Javad Mottaghi, Secretary General, ABU visited Prasar Bharati

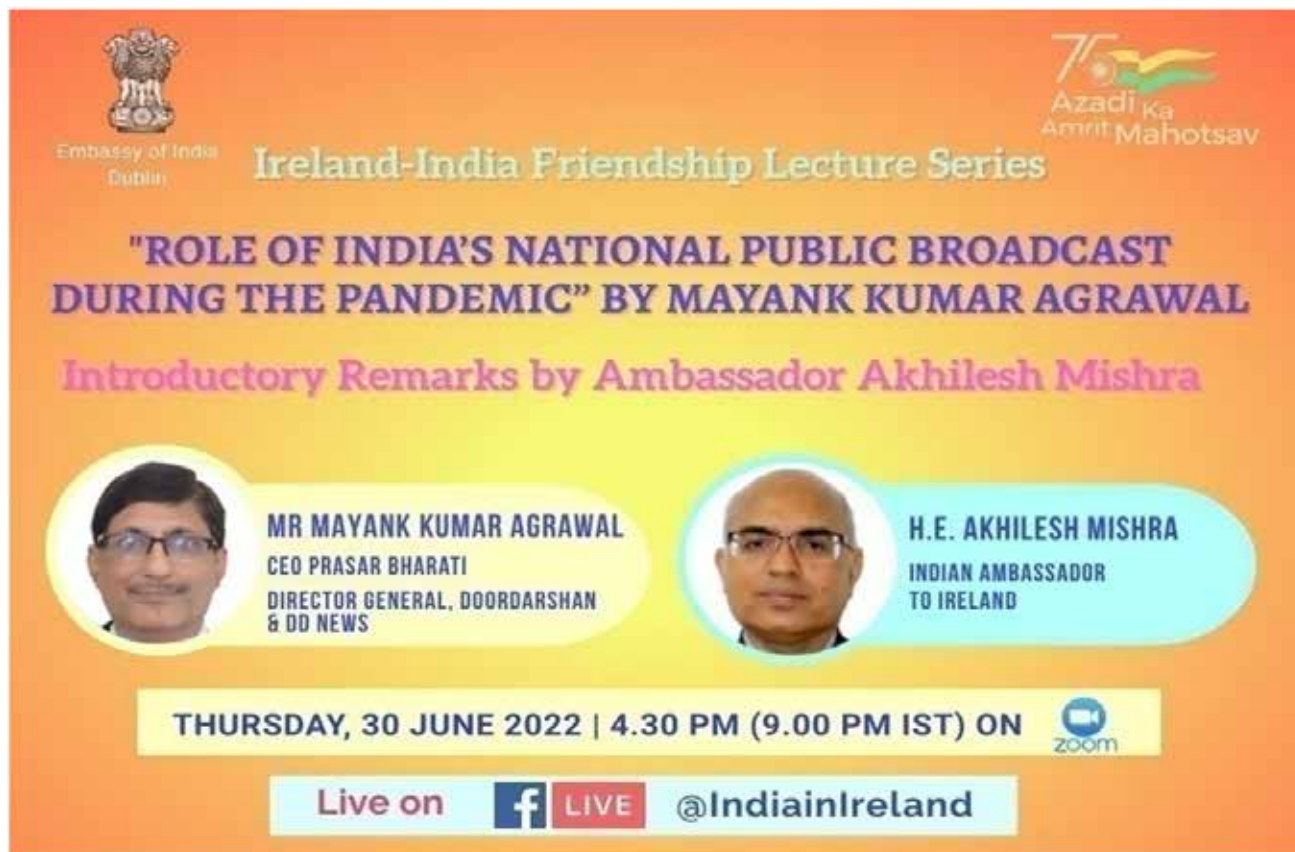


4. Mr. Ahmed Nadeem, Director ABU Technology & Innovation, ABU and Ms. Nargiza, Personal Assistant to Secretary General, ABU visited Prasar Bharati from 24-27 May 2022 in order to discuss the various components involved with the preparation of the event including different requirements as a preliminary preparation for the forthcoming international event viz. 59th ABU General Assembly & Associated meeting hosted by Prasar Bharati in New Delhi, India.
5. CEO, Prasar Bharati, on the invitation of Chairman of the State committee of Turkmenistan for Television, Radio Broadcasting and Cinematography, attended Online International Media Forum on the “Role of Media in the Development of Modern Society” held on 22 June 2022 in Mary (Turkmenistan) as a chief guest and delivered the speech.
6. Shri Sunil, ADG (Global), PB attended the ABU Planning & Strategy Group Meeting (PSG), one of the most important meeting of ABU virtually on 22.06.2022.



ABU Planning & Strategy Group Meeting (PSG) on 22.06.2022 virtually

7. The Ambassador, Embassy of India; Dublin invited Sh. Mayank Agrawal, DG, DD to deliver a special lecture under the lecture series “India-Ireland Friendship Lecture Series” that was launched as a flagship initiative under the celebration of 75th years of India’s Independence (Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav) and 100 years of Independence of Ireland. Sh. Mayank Agrawal, DG, DD delivered a special lecture on 30.06.2022.



The poster features the Indian coat of arms and the text 'Embassy of India Dublin' on the left. On the right, it commemorates '75 Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav'. The main title is 'Ireland-India Friendship Lecture Series' in green. Below it, the event title is '“ROLE OF INDIA'S NATIONAL PUBLIC BROADCAST DURING THE PANDEMIC” BY MAYANK KUMAR AGRAWAL' in purple. A pink line indicates 'Introductory Remarks by Ambassador Akhilesh Mishra'. Two circular portraits are shown: Mr. Mayank Kumar Agrawal (CEO Prasar Bharati, Director General, Doordarshan & DD News) and H.E. Akhilesh Mishra (Indian Ambassador to Ireland). The event date and time are 'THURSDAY, 30 JUNE 2022 | 4.30 PM (9.00 PM IST) ON zoom'. At the bottom, it says 'Live on' with Facebook and YouTube icons, followed by 'LIVE @IndiainIreland'.

Embassy of India
Dublin


Ireland-India Friendship Lecture Series



"ROLE OF INDIA'S NATIONAL PUBLIC BROADCAST DURING THE PANDEMIC" BY MAYANK KUMAR AGRAWAL

Introductory Remarks by Ambassador Akhilesh Mishra

MR MAYANK KUMAR AGRAWAL
CEO PRASAR BHARATI
DIRECTOR GENERAL, DOORDARSHAN & DD NEWS

H.E. AKHILESH MISHRA
INDIAN AMBASSADOR TO IRELAND

THURSDAY, 30 JUNE 2022 | 4.30 PM (9.00 PM IST) ON 

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8. AIBD AMS (Asia Media Summit) 2022:

- Prasar Bharati received an invitation from AIBD for participation in Asia Media Summit 2022, from 25-26 May 2022 with pre-summit events on 23-24 May 2022 and requested PB for sponsorship for the same. Welcome remarks were made by Shri. Mayank Kumar Agrawal, President (AIBD GC) & DG, DD.
 - Hon'ble Minister of Information and Broadcasting and Youth Affairs & Sports, Govt. of India, Shri. Anurag Singh Thakur graced the event by participating in the Ministerial Session of the AMS held on dated 25-05-2022 and delivered a speech.
 - Shri Shashi Shekhar Vempati, CEO, PB participated in the Session namely CEO Roundtable – Re-imagining Media wherein CEOs of five public broadcasters from different countries participated.
9. The Domestic competition of Robocon namely “DD Robocon 2022” has been conducted successfully on 16th -17th July, 2022 at Thyagraja Stadium, New Delhi in coordination with IIT Delhi. The Game Field and conduction of the game was taken care of by IIT Delhi whereas Prasar Bharati took care of the broadcasting, Live Streaming, News coverage and other parts. CEO, Prasar Bharati, and M (F&P), PBS graced the event and delivered motivational speeches to the students.



Domestic competition of Robocon 2022 on 16th -17th July, 2022 at Thyagraj Stadium, New Delhi

10. Two senior member delegation from ABU Robocon Secretariat viz. Mr. Takushi Yoshida, Sr. Producer and Ken Matsuo, Sr. Producer visited Prasar Bharati from 02.08.2022 to 06.08.2022 to strategize and ensure the smooth hosting of international ABU Robocon 2022.



Visit of two Senior Member Delegation from ABU Robocon Secretariat at Prasar Bharati

11. Two member delegation of ABU Mr. Yasu Nagahata, Director of Programming, Ms. Hanizah Hamzah, Head of TVSF and Mr. Hamdhoun Rashad, Project Manager Digital Media (ABU prizes) visited Prasar Bharati on 07-09 August 2022 in order to discuss the various components involved with the preparation of the event including different requirements as a preliminary preparation for the forthcoming international event viz. 11th ABU TV Song festival and ABU Prizes ceremony hosted by Prasar Bharati in New Delhi, India.
12. Ms. Philomena Gnanapragasam, Director, AIBD visited India from 8-12 August 2022 to meet Secretary Ministry of I&B, CEO:PB and other senior Officers of PB to discuss and plan for the hosting of AIBD GC 2022 in India from 19-21 Sept 2022.
13. Mr Yasu Nagahata, Director (Programming), ABU, Mr Hiroyuki Yamanaka, Sr. Producer, NHK Enterprises visited Prasar Bharati from 14-21 September 2022 in order to discuss the various components involved with the preparation of ABU TV Song Festival and ABU Prizes Ceremony hosted by Prasar Bharati in New Delhi, India.
14. ABU Prizes 2022: An entry from AIR titled “Victory’s Voice: The Radio, 1971” has been selected for Special Jury Prizes winner and Special Commendation award for this year. The award was

presented on 29th Nov. 2022 in conjunction with ABU General Assembly 2022 held in Hotel PullMan, Aerocity, New Delhi.

15. Ms. Philomena Gnanapragasam, Director (AIBD) visited Prasar Bharati on 23-3-2023 and had a meeting with CEO, PB wherein she invited PB to participate in the Asia Media Summit 2023 in Bali Indonesia.
16. The group of trainees comprises 20 Editors and Journalists of Maldivian Media, headed by Dr. Fathmath Muna, Director General, Maldives Media Council visited Prasar Bharati/ DD News and DDK Delhi studios on 16.03.2023 (as referred by MEA) to see the infrastructure and studio set up of Prasar Bharati.

D. Hosting of International Events:

1. ABU Robocon 2022

- Prasar Bharati successfully completed the hosting of the ABU Robocon 2022 on 21st August, 2022 at Thyagraj Stadium wherein 13 teams from 12 countries (including India) participated virtually.
- Ms. Neerja Sekhar, AS (MoIB); Mr. Mayank Kumar Agrawal, CEO, Prasar Bharati; Mr. N.V. Reddy, DG, AIR were present at the event and delivered motivational speeches to the students.
- The event was telecast live on DD Sports on 21st August, 2022 from 09:00 AM and News Capsules of half an hour were telecast on DD News & DD India channel.
- Details of winners are as follows:

S. No.	Name of Award	Country	College Name
1	Grand Prix	Hong Kong	The Chinese University of Hong Kong
2	1st Runner Up	Indonesia	Institut Teknologi Sepuluh Nopember
3	2nd Runner Up	India	Institute of Technology, Nirma University
4	2nd Runner Up	Nepal	Tribhuvan University, IOE





2. AIBD General Conference (19th-21st September 2022):

- Prasar Bharati, on behalf of M/o I&B, hosted the “47th Annual Gathering/ 20th AIBD General Conference & Associated Meetings 2022” from 19th to 21st September, 2022 at The Lalit, New Delhi.
- The Conference was inaugurated by Sh. Anurag Singh Thakur, Hon’ble Union Minister of Information & Broadcasting on 19th Sept 2022. Secretary, Ministry of I&B along with other senior officials of MIB as well as other ministries also graced the event.
- Approx 30 foreign delegates from 16 AIBD Member Countries participated in the event in New Delhi.



Inaugural ceremony of AIBD GC on 19th Sept 2022 at Hotel Lalit, New Delhi



AIBD General Conference 19-21 September 2022 at Hotel Lalit, New Delhi

3. ABU Global News Forum 2022

- Prasar Bharati hosted Global News Forum (GNF) 2022 successfully at Taj Palace from 3rd -5th October 2022. About fifty delegates from ABU member countries attended the event.
- The event was inaugurated by Hon'ble Minister for State of I & B Ministry. Representatives from local media units and foreign news agency in India also attended the event.



ABU Global News Forum from 3-5 October 2022 at Hotel Taj Palace, New Delhi

4. ABU General Assembly & Associated Meetings 2022 (25-30 November 2022):

- Prasar Bharati hosted the 59th ABU General Assembly & Associated Meetings from 25-30 November 2022 at New Delhi.
- The Conference was inaugurated by Sh. Anurag Singh Thakur, Hon'ble Union Minister of Information & Broadcasting on 29.11.2022.
- Hon'ble Minister for State of I & B Ministry and Secretary, Ministry of I&B along with other senior officials of MIB also graced the event.
- Approx 330 foreign delegates at the rank of CEOs/ DGs from 43 ABU member countries attended the event.
- Shri Sunil, Additional DG was elected as new Vice President ABU during the restricted session of ABU General Assembly held on 30.11.2022 at New Delhi.



Inaugural Ceremony of 59th ABU General Assembly on 29.11.2022 at Hotel PullMan, New Delhi



Different ABU Meetings and Conferences from 25-27 November 2022 at Hotel Pullman, New Delhi



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(E) List of ABU & AIBD Events/ webinars/ workshops in which Prasar Bharati participated from 01.04.2022:

Sl. No.	Name of Events/ Webinars	Date of event
1	ABU Asia-vision online workshop “Advanced Social Media Content for TikTok, Instagram & FaceBook	20.04.2022
2	AIBD webinar “Global Road Safety Plan: A Perspective for Regional Media”	23.05.2022
3	AIBD Asia Media Summit (AMS) 2022	23-26 May 2022
4	AIBD webinar/ workshop on Generation Connect Global Youth Summit 2022	2-4 June 2022
5	ABU Programme Bureau meeting virtually	08.06.2022
6	ABU Digital 2022 virtually	15-16 June, 2022
7	ABU Robocon 2022	21.08.2022
8	IBC (International Broadcasting Convection) 2022 conference at Amsterdam, Netherland	9-12 September 2022
9	AIBD General Conference	19-21 September 2022
10	ABU Global News Forum 2022	3-5 October 2022
11	PBI Conference at Tokyo, Japan	16-18 November 2022
12	ABU General Assembly & Associated Meetings	25-30 November 2022
13	12th World Hindi Conference from at Nadi, Fiji	15-17 February 2023
14	Asia Vision Coordination Meeting 2023, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	6-9 March 2023
15	ABU Digital Broadcasting Symposium (DBS 2023), Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	6-9 March 2023
16	ABU RAI Days	13-14 March 2023

CAPACITY BUILDING – TRAINING INFRASTRUCTURE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF BROADCASTING & MULTIMEDIA (NABM)

INTRODUCTION

Prasar Bharati is up-skilling and re-skilling its employees through National Academy of Broadcasting and Multimedia (NABM). NABM is imparting various trainings on topics pertaining to Program (content), Engineering, Administration and Management to the employees of Prasar Bharati. These training programs are at various levels ranging from induction/introductory courses to advanced levels for upskilling and refreshing the skills of Prasar Bharati employees. NABM Delhi is a premier National Level Academy for imparting training and skill development in the field of Broadcasting and Multimedia. It was established in 1948 as Staff Training Institute and has grown over the years emerging as a training hub even for broadcast professionals from other countries in Asia-Pacific Region besides largely providing training to the employees of Prasar Bharati.

The prime objective of the Academy is to develop & nurture the broadcast professionals for their optimum performance in the ever challenging dynamic broadcasting environment. Over time, NABM has emerged as the leading institution to impart training in the field of radio and television production, post-production and broadcasting for broadcasters in the Asia-Pacific region.

The NABM has modern infrastructure keeping pace with technological changes to impart world class training.. The class rooms are equipped with latest audio/visual facilities, Radio & TV studios with latest production and post-production equipment, measurement lab, computer lab, networking lab, Radio & TV transmitters. The library has a collection of over 11000 books. The academy has excellent hostel facilities with 125 rooms.

PRESENT TRAINING ACTIVITIES

Presently there are three academies working at three locations namely NABM Delhi; NABM Bhubaneswar; and RABM Shillong and they train over 3500 engineering/programme/administrative personnel every year. NABM collaborates with Asia Pacific Institute for Broadcasting Development (AIBD) and Asia Pacific Broadcasting Union (ABU) to organize trainings/workshops for the radio and television personnel of various countries in Asia Pacific region. It also collaborates with organizations like - United Nations Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF), Universities, Colleges, and other academic institutions including National Institute of Disaster Management (NIDM) for specific training modules for Akashvani & Doordarshan.

TRAININGS CONDUCTED FOR THE PROGRAMME AND ENGINEERING DIVISIONS

During the period reported upon , many courses on Broadcasting and HR Management which includes programme management and presentation, broadcast and transmission technology management,



broadcast management during crises, different aspect of administrative and HR matters and out of country trainings in collaboration with National and International Organizations were conducted. Apart from scheduled trainings a number of special and demand/need based online/physical training were also conducted.

The category /discipline wise training courses conducted by NABM, Delhi and its regional academies at Bhubaneswar and Shillong has been summarized as under:

A. PROGRAMME MANAGEMENT AND PRODUCTIONS

A total of 63 training courses on Programme Management, Programme Production and Presentation, Administration and Management courses were conducted by NABM Delhi and its regional Academies at Bhubaneswar and Shillong. The main themes of these courses were:

I. PROGRAMME MANAGEMENT

- Gender sensitive media-programming and workplace concerns
- E-programme management
- Practical training in programme management and production for radio mass communication students
- Sales & Marketing
- Modules of BARC "YUMI" software
- Broadcast management during disaster
- Media reset and paradigm shift into the new norms
- Core competency development programme
- Essence and nuances of cross media publicity for sustainable development
- Planning and management of e-Marketing (Commercial)

II. PROGRAMME PRODUCTION AND PRESENTATION

- Sports and non-sports radio commentaries
- Radio archiving, digitization & re-packaging
- Protecting art-culture & heritage- innovative radio programming
- Emergency & risk communication management (disaster/ emergency situation/ health hazards)
- Monetizing development communication & digital marketing skills in broadcasting
- Radio agri-vision (strategic communication plan for cost effective agriculture)
- Voice culture and language articulation
- Induction training for marketing executives
- Production works of redeployed engineering staff in Akashvani
- Motivating farmers for adopting innovation in horticulture
- TV documentary
- Non-linear editing
- Innovation in youth programmes
- Children programme in the digital age
- Innovation in TV production (children, women & health)
- Basic course in TV production & smart phone film making

- Art of interviewing & script writing for TV
- Spoken-word programme: new strategy
- Sports coverage and management-post pandemic
- Revamping the art of presentation vis-a-vis digital convergence
- Metadata and effective archiving
- Workshop on MoJo (mobile journalism)

III. ADMINISTRATIVE AND GENERAL MANAGEMENT TRAINING COURSES

- E-procurement and inventory management
- Inter-personal and workplace management
- Handling court cases
- Disciplinary procedures and departmental enquiries
- Administrative and financial management including Centralised Accounting System (CAS)
- Bhavishya: pension & post-retirement benefits
- Fundamentals of finance: GST, GEM, NPS, PFMS & digital payment
- General legal matters of HR and contractual assignments policy of Prasar Bharati
- Rajbhasha (Official Language) hindi protsahan sambandhi shaskiye ??
- Establishment rules
- Principles of administration: Prevention of sexual harassment at workplace and Right to Information Act
- Legal & HR matters
- Pre-retirement office procedures & post-retirement counselling & life management
- Government e- Marketing (GEM)
- CCS (CCA) rules to effectively handle vigilance matters
- Financial management budgeting & e-accounting
- Interactive programme/ reality show for TV
- Court cases, RTI matters & disciplinary proceeding
- Bhavishya: pension & other post- retirement benefits
- GST, GEM, PFMS & NPS
- Interpersonal relations/ developing positive work culture & conduct rules

IV. RAJBHASHA (OFFICIAL LANGUAGE) SPECIAL TRAINING

- राजभाषा हिंदी की अखिल भारतीय कार्यशाला एवं काव्यसंगोष्ठी
- अखिल भारतीय हिंदी भाषा में प्रश्नोत्तरी (Quiz) प्रतियोगिता

B. TECHNICAL TRAINING COURSES

A total of 74 training courses on technical subjects were conducted by NABM, Delhi and its regional academies at Bhubaneswar and Shillong. Some of the themes of these courses were:

- Air conditioning system: concepts and maintenance techniques
- App development in iOS and Android platform-level 1
- Excel/Power Point/ MS Word/email & internet applications
- Casparcg graphics with react CASPAR client



- Summer training on broadcast technology for students of Engg. Colleges
- Cloud computing: Changing the landscape of technology by CDAC Noida
- Cloud computing by NIELIT
- Training on programming for CASPAR CG
- FM(RVR) transmitter
- Workshop on roles/responsibilities of DDO (virtual/ physical mode)
- Computer application for MTS (Offline)
- In-house news NRCS system (CASPARCG based)
- Air conditioning system/air conditioning plant: concepts and maintenance techniques
- Training on camera operation (offline)
- Modern soldering techniques, cables & connectors (offline)
- Virtual studio (offline)
- Computer hardware, software and network maintenance
- Training program on work related to lighting
- Training on excel/power point/ms word/email & internet applications
- Training on “BATS” booking, scheduling and billing software for air
- Training on production related activities (NLE/3D graphics/VD)
- Training on public procurement (basic)
- Social media in broadcasting
- Training on IT & digital (for redeployed staff)
- Earth station in Doordarshan
- Training on public procurement (Basic)
- Training on camera operation
- Audio/video & RF measurement
- Repair and maintenance of LED/LCD TVS
- Earth station in Doordarshan
- Training on camera operation

C. SUMMARY OF TRAINING REPORTS FOR THE PERIOD 2022-23

• TECHNICAL TRAININGS

Sl. No.	Name of the training institutions	Number of trainings conducted in 2022-23	Number of Officers trained
i.	NABM, Delhi	40	1898
ii.	NABM, Bhubaneswar	30	1337
iii	RABM, Shillong	04	135
TOTAL		74	3370

• PROGRAMME AND ADMINISTRATIVE TRAININGS

Sl. No.	Name of the training institutions	Number of trainings conducted in 2022-23	Number of Officers trained
i.	NABM, Delhi	39	1749
ii.	NABM, Bhubaneshwar	15	302
iii	RABM, Shillong	8	204
TOTAL		62	2255

D. REVENUE EARNED

Sl. No.	Name of the training institutions	Revenue earned in 2022-23 (in Rupees)
i.	NABM, Delhi	18, 40,200/-
ii.	NABM, Bhubaneshwar	1,63,00,000
iii	RABM, Shillong	
TOTAL		1,81,00,200

COMMON FACILITIES FOR AIR AND DOORDARSHAN

A. PRASAR BHARATI ARCHIVES

Prasar Bharati Archives is a treasure trove of not only the memorable performances of the great artistes, who have contributed to India's rich cultural, music and dance heritage but also a collection of rare media assets related to important events since the advent of broadcasting in our country like Independence Day celebrations, Republic Day Parade, address to the nation by Prime Minister, President etc. as well as other important broadcasts. These rare assets are in the form of sound recordings and A/V footage in all genres like music, dance, drama, interviews, short films, documentaries, feature films etc.

Archival activities started in the form of Transcription & Programme Exchange Service (T&PES) on 3rd April, 1954 by entrusting the main function of preparing transcription of speeches of all dignitaries with a special reference to the Presidents & the Prime Ministers of India. Though, informal archiving had been there in the country, setting up of transcription service converted it as an organized activity. Doordarshan Archives was established in 2004 with an objective to digitize and preserve the valuable audio-visual footage. Though, initially the archival setups in Akashvani and Doordarshan have grown separately under respective verticals. These setups were combined and brought under a common umbrella as a separate vertical "Prasar Bharati Archives" in 2018.

Objectives

Collection, digitization and preservation of media assets in the form of sound recordings and audio-visuals acquired across Akashvani and Doordarshan Network is the primary objective of Prasar Bharati Archives. The objective includes preservation of legacy media in digital domain for posterity, research and nurturing arts and culture. Archival content is also repurposed for feeding the Akashvani/Doordarshan channels and OTT platforms along with the focus on monetization of media assets in order to generate revenue for Prasar Bharati.

Central Archives publishes media content of Akashvani & Doordarshan of public interest on OTT/ Social Media platforms namely YouTube, Twitter, Facebook, Instagram & Koo in order to enhance the presence of Prasar Bharati on Social Media & Digital platforms.

Setup

Prasar Bharati has established a setup for identification and archiving of the media assets available in all Akashvani and Doordarshan Kendras across the country. The archiving setup has following establishment: -

1. Central Archives (Central & North Zone), New Delhi
2. Zonal Archives East Zone, Kolkata
3. Zonal Archives West Zone, Mumbai

4. Zonal Archives South Zone, Chennai
5. Zonal Archives North East Zone, Guwahati

The archiving set up at different regions/zones (to be checked whether they still exist) are engaged in identification, digitization and archiving of precious media assets available at various stations/ Kendras.

Central Archives Prasar Bharati

Central Archives has been established at Akashvani Bhavan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi. It caters to the archiving needs of the North and Central Zone of Prasar Bharati and has two wings namely :

1. Akashvani Archives & 2. Doordarshan Archives.

1) Akashvani Archives

a. Digital Sound Archives/Library

The Digital Sound Archives is a rich repository of priceless recordings/radio autobiographies of eminent personalities, freedom fighters, National leaders such as Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose, Mahatma Gandhi, J.R.D Tata, Ustad Ali Akbar Khan, Harivansh Rai Bachchan and Dr. Verghese Kurien. Apart from this, rare music (Classical, Light Classical & Folk) recordings, Dramas, Features, Documentaries, Lectures & Sanskaar Geets are preserved in the library.

b. Programme Exchange Unit

Programme Exchange Unit circulates radio programmes like Serials, Features, Community Singing Songs, Dramas and Monthly Chain Plays among the Akashvani stations spread across the country. It provides audio listening/previewing facilities to Govt. & Private organizations & research scholars for research and commercial purposes as per request.

c. Digitization Unit

Akashvani wing of Central Archives has taken up a Mega project of digitizing all the analogue content. Work includes digitization of Tapes & CDs received from National Channel, Akashvani, Delhi, Drama Unit of DG:AIR and Sanskaar Geet Programmes from DG:AIR along with replication (Data Backup) of Digitized Programmes as Disaster Copies to be stored at Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh and Bengaluru, Karnataka. After Digitization, important programmes are catalogued and the data is maintained in Library Management System.

d. Transcription Service Unit

This unit transcribes and preserves the recording of speeches delivered by the Presidents & Prime Ministers of India.

e. Refurbishing Unit

This Unit takes care of enhancing the audio quality of the archival value recordings of Akashvani Archives available in Central Archives. Work includes refurbishing, editing & watermarking of recordings and providing to social media unit for upload after due preview/approval.

f. Licensing Unit

This unit provides licenses for Audio assets such as speeches, features, documentaries etc. on commercial and non-commercial basis on payment as per the approved rate card.



g. Repurposing Unit

Akashvani Archives has been re-purposing the archival content of Akashvani as new programme for broadcast. The archival contents of public interest are also repackaged for OTT/Social Media platforms.

Important Activities of Akashvani Archives (2022-23):

- 1,814 hours (Analogue Tapes) of programmes have been digitized and Total Digitization has been done for 1,40,367 Nos. of Programmes amounting to 42,302 A web based service named 'Audio Wires' has been started for the circulation of radio programmes like Serials, Features, Community Singing Songs, Dramas and Monthly Chain Plays from Central Archives among the Akashvani stations. Is it existent?? To check
- 52 episodes programmes series named "Sangrahalaya Ke Galiyaron Se" based on rare Akashvani archives content were produced and broadcast on Indraprastha Channel of Akashvani Delhi.
- Akashvani tape libraries consisting 66,688 Nos. of digitized legacy Tapes/Cds of audio assets are maintained as on 31st March, 2023.
- Uploading of 485 Nos. of Digitized old Journals and Magazine on Google Books (Nos). Total Books available as Google Books online: 3,900 Nos. 49,438 times these books have been downloaded and accessed by public during the period.
- 2,389 Nos. of entries have been made on Library Inventory during the period. Total 95,409 Nos. of inventories have been fed in the online Library Management System (LMS) till date.

2. Doordarshan Archives

a. Video Library/Archives

Video Library of Central archives is a content rich library and a central repository of tapes received from various DD Kendras across Prasar Bharati network. Library acts as the core of archiving activities in the setup. It has huge collection of variety of tapes in the legacy analogue and new digital format.

b. Digitization And Archiving

Analogue media contents generated by DD Kendras are digitized and preserved in Media Assets Management (MAM) System. Born digital content is being archived in the directly in the MAM system. There are different legacy formats viz U-Matic, BCN, Betacam and DVC Pro etc. for media. Dubbing/transfer suits are installed for dubbing of contents from legacy formats U-Matic, BCN, Betacam to DVC Pro-50. Maintenance of all these equipment is carried out by available Engineering staff.

c. Library Information System

An online library information system has been deployed for searching/cataloguing of media assets available in various programme libraries of AIR Stations and Doordarshan network.

d. Cleaning And Restoration of Legacy Media

Legacy tapes are thoroughly checked for any kind of damage. They are cleaned and the content is restored if the need arises before digitisation. High quality video digital restoration and noise reduction system are instated for the purpose. Any type of problem/ailment on videos are corrected on High Quality Digital Restoration System (Archangel) and Digital Noise Reduction System (Puritan). These systems were installed in 2008. Spares for these equipment are not available even with the OEMs. Engineering staff itself performs operation/ maintenance of these machines without AMC from outside agencies.

e. Repackaging/Repurposing

Digitized archival content is curated/repackaged for telecast purposes by DD Kendras. The archival contents of public interest are also repackaged for OTT/Social Media platforms.

f. Programme Exchange

For the purpose of exchanging programmes among Doordarshan Kendras, a pool of selected programmes has been maintained in Central Archives. This content is frequently used for exchange among DD Kendras for telecast purpose.

g. Licensing Unit

This unit provides licenses for footages/programmes such as Speeches, Documentaries etc. on commercial and non-commercial basis on payment, as per the approved rate card.

Important Activities of Doordarshan Archives(2022-23):

- 1,398 Hrs. of content have been digitized during the period. Total 35,622 Hours 42 min. of legacy content have been dubbed/digitized and stored in digital tapes.
- 2,134 Nos. of entries have been made in the online Library Information system during the period. Total 61,390 Nos. of inventories have been fed i up to 31.03.2023 by DD Archives.
- Under Programme exchange scheme of DD Archives, 1220 Hrs.15 minutes of content provided to various channels viz. DD National, DD Bharati, DD Retro, DD News (DD Dastavez), GO/IR: PB Division. etc. during the period.
- Maintenance of various Non-Linear editing systems viz Canopus Edius Pro and FCPs etc. NREPs setups, Casper CG play out servers have been carried out for making/trans coding/transferring programmes for social media.
- 146 Nos. of footage licensing query, including 85 related to license renewal has been processed during the period. From which a total of Rs. 36,99,983/- including Licence renewal fee Rs. 2,34,434/- have been collected.
- 45 hrs. of access has been provided to facilitate preview to various Govt. and private entities, researcher and individuals etc. for research and sale purposes.
- During the period 2,200 Nos. of tapes has been cleaned by DD Archives, Also 90 Hrs of restoration has been performed.

Social Media Cell: Central Archives

Central Archives publishes media content of Akashvani IR & DD of public interest on OTT/Social Media platforms namely YouTube, Twitter, Facebook, Instagram & Koo in order to enhance the presence of Prasar Bharati on Social Media & Digital platforms.

Prasar Bharati Archives is managing PB Archives, DD Cinema, PB Lok Sampada YouTube channels. The relevant contents as per categories are being regularly uploaded in these channels by Social Media Cell. Tweets and Facebook post are done regularly to inform the people about uploaded contents on YouTube. This cell also contributes content to other YouTube channels of Prasar Bharati like DD National, DD Bharati etc.



Link of various platforms are as under:

YouTube Channels:

- i. Prasar Bharati Archives: <https://www.youtube.com/c/DDARCHIVES>
- ii. DD Cinema : <https://www.youtube.com/c/ddcinemachannel>

Twitter:

- i. Prasar Bharati Archives: <https://twitter.com/centralarchives>
- ii. DD Cinema: https://twitter.com/DD_Cinema

Instagram:

- i. Prasar Bharati Archives: <https://www.instagram.com/pbarchives/>
- ii. DD Cinema: <https://www.instagram.com/doordarshancinema>

FaceBook Page:

- i. Prasar Bharati Archives: <https://www.facebook.com/DDArchives>
- ii. DD Cinema: <https://www.facebook.com/Doordarshancinema>

Koo App

- i. Prasar Bharati Archives: <https://www.kooapp.com/profile/pbarchives>
- ii. DD Archives: <https://www.kooapp.com/profile/DDCinema>

Important Activities of Social Media (2022-23):

- 39.4 million Views and 3.4 M hours Watch time and addition of 179.2 K new subscriber has been recorded on PB Archives YouTube channel. During the period, 730 Videos were added to the Channel mainly like 41 episodes series 'Azadi Ki Kahani' on the occasion of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, 8 episodes of interview based series 'Talking Tales', 16 episodes of the series on 'Travelogues' of different foreign explorers, 16 episodes of the series 'Institutions of Democracy', Science based series 'Aisa Hi Hota Hai' & 'Brahmand the Universe', Sanskrit Play 'Uttarramcharitam' by Mahakavi Bhavbhuti, 'Tehreer Munshi Premchand Ki' by Gulzar along with footages of 19th Commonwealth Games and of 1982 Asian Games.
- 6.4 million Views and 1.1 M hours Watch time and addition of 35.6 K new subscriber has been recorded on DD Cinema YouTube channel. During the period, 283 Videos added such as telefilms and serials like Devi Chaudhrani, Fikarchand, Afsane, Shalmali & Krishnkant Ka Vasiyatnama.
- 836 Videos have been uploaded on other channels/Social Media handles (Instagram, Facebook, Twitter, Koo etc.) during the period.
- Radio Autobiography of Girish Karnad, Habib Tanvir, Balraj Puri, Kapila Vatsyayan, Soumitra Chattopadhyay, Mrinal Sen, Homi Wadia, Paidi Jairaj etc. have been uploaded.
- Paid Premium membership has been started on pilot basis on Prasar Bharati Archives YouTube Channel.
- Details of the media assets published on Prasar Bharati Archives YouTube Channel in order to enhance the revenue during previous years is given below:-

Channel Name	F.Y.	No. of Videos	No of Subscribers	Watch Time (Hrs)	Views	Revenue (In Rs.)
Prasar Bharati Archives	2018-19	609	49.7 K	821.4 K	8.2 M	51,051
	2019-20	1406	182.5 K	2.0 M	22.5 M	4,79,066
	2020-21	2219	262.6 K	4.0 M	40.4 M	14,06,845
	2021-22	815	228.1 K	3.4 M	35.0 M	13,40,000
	2022-23	730	179.2 K	3.4 M	39.4 M	16,92,858
DD Cinema	2021-22	170	13.37 K	273 K	1762 K	1,15,890
	2022-23	283	35.6 K	1.1 M	6.4 M	3,97,292

Sales/ Marketing: Central Archives

I. Exhibitions:

- Central Archives represented Prasar Bharati Archives during 53rd Annual edition of India International Film Festival (IFFI) 2022 held in Goa. The allotted pavilion at Film Bazar was successfully run during the event from 20-28th November 2022.
- Central Archives represented archival legacy of Doordarshan & Akashvani through the stall of Prasar Bharati at 27th International Conference & Exhibition on Broadcast & Media Technology organised by BES during 16th to 18th February, 2023 at Pragati Maidan, New Delhi.

II. Sales/ Revenue during F.Y. (2022-23):

Sale/ licensing of archival footages & YouTube revenue has seen upward progress in the F.Y. 2022-23 as per details:-

i.	Akashvani Footage Sale	:	18,89,157
ii.	Doordarshan Footage Sale	:	36,99,983
iii.	YouTube Revenue (PB Archives+ DD Cinema)	:	20,90,150

Total : Rs. 76,79,290

B. Civil Construction Wing (CCW) - Overview

The Civil Construction Wing, Akashvani was established in the year 1971 under the Ministry of Information & Broadcasting, Government of India. CCW was assigned with Civil works pertaining to various organizations under the Ministry. CCW also undertakes the Construction and Maintenance of various types of office buildings, Residential buildings, Radio and TV Studios, Roads, RCC and steel towers, steel masts, and other development works for Prasar Bharati and other Media Units under the Ministry of I & B. Prior to this, CPWD was carrying out all the Civil Works pertaining to various organizations under the Ministry. Though CCW is under the Administrative Control of Akashvani, CCW works for both Akashvani & Doordarshan.

The Civil Construction Wing was declared a Central Public Works Organization by the Ministry of I & B on 31st January 2008. Rule 132(2) of GFR 2017, recognizes CCW as Public Works Organization. CCW also undertakes Civil works for other Ministries, Departments, Autonomous Bodies, Public Sector Banks, Public Sector Undertakings, etc as deposit works all over India.



Civil Construction Wing is headed by Chief Engineer (Civil) who reports to Director General, Akashvani through Engineer-in-Chief. At the Headquarters, CE (Civil) is assisted by Superintending Surveyor of Works, Superintending Engineers, Architects, Financial Advisor, Civil and Electrical Engineers, and other complementary staff.

CCW has its presence throughout the country with 7 Civil Circles, 3 Electrical Circles, 24 Civil Divisions, 11 Electrical Divisions, and one Architectural Unit for construction and maintenance of Akashvani & Doordarshan buildings as well as deposit work from Kargil to Kanyakumari and Ziro (Arunachal Pradesh) to Bhuj (Gujarat). Major works undertaken by CCW for Akashvani & Doordarshan for the year 2022-23 are listed at **Annexure-VIII**.

HUMAN RESOURCES & ADMINISTRATION

A. STAFF STRENGTH:

The sanctioned and in-position work force in Prasar Bharati as on 31.03.2023 is given below:

	AIR	Doordarshan	Total
Sanctioned	26,129	19,662	45,791
In-position	11,723	7,128	18,851

B. PROMOTIONS:

DPCs during 2022-23

The details of Group-A DPCs convened during 01.04.2022- 31.03.2023 are as under:

S. No.	Cadre/Grade and the date of DPC held	No. of Officers recommended
1.	DPC for pay parity from STS (NFSG) held on 04.04.2022	248
2.	Limited Review DPC [originally held on 17.04.2018] for promotion from Assistant Engineers to JTS of IB (E)S for the vacancy years from 2007-08 to 2017-18], held on 10.05.2022	67
3.	DPC for NFU to JAG of IB(E)S belonging to 1991 to 1992 batches held on 03.06.2022.	15
4.	DPC for pay parity from SAG to HAG held on 09.06.2022	08
5.	DPC for pay parity from STS to JAG held on 04.07.2022	75
6.	DPC for promotion to the post of Chief Engineer, CCW, Akashvani (Level-II) for the vacancy year 2022 held on 04.07.2022	01
7.	DPC for promotion to JAG for the vacancy year 2022 held on 04.08.2022	14
8.	DPC for pay parity from JAG to SASG held on 26.08.2022	12
9.	DPC for promotion to the grade of Superintending Engineer (Electrical)/ Superintending Surveyor of Works (Electrical) in CCW of AIR for the vacancy year 2022 held on 26.09.2022	01
10.	Limited Review DPC to review Limited Review DPC held on 10.05.2022 (originally held on 17.04.2018) to consider eligible PwBD Assistant Engineers for promotion to the JTS of IB(E)S for the vacancy years 2016-17 (30.06.2016-31.03.2017) and 2017-18 held on 14-11-2022.	04



S. No.	Cadre/Grade and the date of DPC held	No. of Officers recommended
11.	DPC for promotion of JTS of IB(E)S and PB(E)S to STS of IB(E)S and PB(E)S for the vacancy year 2021, 2022 and 2023 held on 29.11.2022.	244
12.	DPC for STS (NFSG) for the vacancy year 2023 held on 01-12-2022.	19
13.	DPC for promotion of Assistant Engineers to JTS of IB(E)S for the years 2018 (1.4.2018-31.12.2018), 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 held on 22.12.2022.	294
14	DPC for promotion from STS to JAG of IB(E)S for the vacancy years 2022 (Supplementary) and 2023 (Regular) held on 02.01.2023	29

C. RECRUITMENT:

I. Reservation for SCs/STs/OBCs:

Prasar Bharati has taken requisite measures for implementation of the reservation policy in respect of SC/ST/OBC categories of employees by setting up a dedicated SC/ ST Cell. SC/ST cell ensures due compliance of the order on reservation issued from time to time in favour of SCs/STs. All relevant policy directions and instructions issued by Nodal Ministries/ Departments for extending benefits to SCs/STs/OBCs in Government service are widely circulated to all subordinate/ field offices by respective Directorates for implementation.

The recommendations of Hon'ble National Commission for Scheduled Castes (NCSC) and Hon'ble National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST), as reflected in their Annual Reports, are disseminated at various levels for strict implementation. Consolidated annual statements on representation of reserved category employees and data on other specific information relating to appointment and vacancies in respect of reserved categories employees are being submitted to concerned authorities periodically. Necessary action is also being taken for redressal of grievances of employees through Grievance Redressal Mechanism.

The overall representation of SC/ST in Prasar Bharati and in different groups of services is as under:

Representation of SC/ST/OBC/EWS/UNRESERVED in Prasar Bharati, AIR and Doordarshan in different groups of Services

Group	Total Sanctioned Strength	Total In-Position Strength	SCs In-Position	STs In-Position	OBCs In-Position	UR
A	3,098	1,130	186	71	64	797
B	21,874	9,206	1,394	938	1,113	5,654
C	20,819	8,515	1,837	1,297	1,004	4,310
TOTAL	45,791	18,851	9,417	2,306	2,181	10,761

II. Reservation for Persons with Disabilities (PwDs):

The Constitution of India ensures equality, freedom, justice and dignity of all individuals and implicitly mandates an inclusive society for all including the persons with disabilities. The Government of India enacted "The Persons with Disabilities (Equal Opportunities, Protection of Rights and Full Participation) Act, 1995", in an effort to ensure equal opportunities for persons with disabilities and their full participation in nation building. The PwD Act has come into force in 1996. Subsequently Government of India had passed "The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016" which came into force from 19th April 2017 and related instruction related to reservation was issued by Department of

Personnel and Training vide O.M. dated 15.01.2018. With the enactment reservation for persons with disabilities was made applicable in identified Group A, B and C posts also in case of direct recruitment.

As regards promotions, reservation is available when promotions are made from Group 'D' (erstwhile) to Group 'C' and within Group 'C' identified posts.

Prasar Bharati has taken all requisite measures for implementation of reservation for PWDs. All relevant policy decisions and instructions issued by DoPT from time to time are being followed.

Prasar Bharati broadcasts programmes on Persons with Disabilities through its Akashvani and Doordarshan network channels. Programmes cover Schemes for Welfare of Persons with Disabilities being implemented by the Central and State Governments. Programmes relating to their health, social and cultural concerns are also included. The content of programmes is so designed that it not only helps them to get benefits of welfare schemes of the Government but also encourages them to live with dignity. The programmes are crucial from the point of view of social awareness and are also useful in changing the insensitive attitude of people towards Persons with Disabilities.

Although there is no specific Budget Head for the benefit of Persons with disabilities, activities like construction of ramps, special toilets preferably on the ground floors of offices, are undertaken from the 'Minor Works' budget Head of CCW, AIR.

	Akashvani			Doordarshan		
	Total Sanctioned Strength	Total Inposition Strength	In Position Strength of PwD	Total Sanctioned Strength	Total Inposition Strength	In Position Strength of PwD
A	2002	701	12	1096	429	1
B	12056	5588	107	9818	3618	92
C	12071	5434	67	8748	308	6
TOTAL	26129	11723	186	19662	7128	99

E. PUBLIC GRIEVANCE AND REDRESSAL MECHANISM:

Grievance Redressal and Access Mechanism have been functioning in accordance with the guidelines of Department of Administrative Reforms & Public Grievance and monitored through the Centralized Public Grievances Redressal and Monitoring System (CPGRAMS). Public grievances and pension redressal petitions are being attended to promptly and disposed of at the earliest. Monthly status reports on disposal of Grievances are submitted to the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting. ATRs/ replies sent to petitioners are also uploaded on the DARPG Portal.

The status report of grievances received on CPGRAMS Portal during the period 01.04.2022 to 31.03.2023 in respect of CGR Cell, Prasar Bharati Secretariat is given below in tabular form:

Description	No. of Grievances
Outstanding (As on 01.04.2022)	91
Grievance Received (During 2022-23)	1094
Total	1185
Disposed off	1051
Pending as on 31.03.2023	134



F. HANDLING OF COURT CASES:

Prasar Bharati monitors Court cases and Arbitration cases through the Legal Information Management & Briefing System (LIMBS) of Department of Legal Affairs. Concerted effort has been made to bring all litigation on the portal. LIMBS Version-2.0 has also been implemented and all court cases are being uploaded & updated. Nodal Officers have been appointed for regular monitoring of progress of litigations. A system of Centralised Monthly Review has been introduced at the Prasar Bharati Secretariat. The current break up of Court Cases and Commercial Cases is given below:

(a) Majority of Court cases are in various Hon'ble CATs. Information in respect of implementation of the judgments/orders of CAT cases in the period 01.04.2022 to 31.03.2023 is as under:

Sl. No.	Media Units/Sections	No. of Court Cases in CAT	No. of Judgements/ Orders received from CAT	No. of Judgments/ Orders implemented
1.	DG: Doordarshan	258	32	21
2.	DG: AIR	585	54	34
	Total	843	86	55

G. IMPLEMENTATION OF RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT 2005:

Category	Received	Disposed Off
RTI	2284	2073
First Appeal	434	377

RTI applications are received in physical and online mode. Efforts were made to convert the RTI Applications received in physical mode to online mode and processed through E-office. The List of CPIOs and Appellate Authorities have been regularly updated on our website.

H. IMPLEMENTATION OF OFFICIAL LANGUAGE:

i. Progressive use of Hindi in Prasar Bharati Secretariat:

The Hindi Section of Prasar Bharati Secretariat handles the following:-

- Hindi Translation of Annual Reports, Audit Reports and Annual Accounts of Prasar Bharati.
- Hindi Translation of replies to Parliament Questions laid before Parliament.
- Hindi Translation of Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)'s.
- Hindi Translations of replies to various RTI Queries.
- Quarterly, Half Yearly and Annual Progress Reports of use of Hindi.
- Preparing the agenda and minutes of all meetings in Hindi.
- Organising quarterly meetings of Official Language Implementation Committee, issuing the minutes and implementation of decisions.
- Pursuance of action taken to fulfil the assurances given to Parliamentary Official Language Implementation Committee.
- Hindi Translation of all correspondence under Section 3 (3) of the Official Language Act.
- Organising workshops and desk-workshops.
- Arranging for Hindi Training, Hindi Typing/ Shorthand training under Hindi Teaching Scheme.
- Organising Hindi Diwas/ Hindi Mah etc. and competitions to promote use of Hindi.
- Ensuring the usage of Unicode to work in Hindi on all computers of Prasar Bharati Secretariat.

- Translation of any other Reports and Returns, texts as per requirement.
- Organising activities for progressive use of Hindi in the Prasar Bharati Secretariat.

ii) Progressive use of Hindi in Akashvani:

The Hindi Unit of Akashvani (DG: AIR) (Headquarter) is fully committed towards compliance and implementation of the Official Language Policy of Union of India and constantly strives to implement the orders/ instructions issued from time to time by Ministry of Home Affairs, Department of Official Language and achieving targets mentioned in Annual Programme in various AIR stations/ offices. Apart from the implementing the Official Language Policy from 01 April, 2022 to 31 March, 2023 by Hindi Unit, the following significant works were carried out to encourage the officers/officials to work in Official Language Hindi and also to accelerate the implementation of Official Language policy.

Reports of Hindi Divas/ Hindi Fortnight organized and other specific work carried out from 01 April, 2022 to 31 March, 2023:-

Hindi Divas/ Hindi Fortnight

14th September is observed as Hindi Divas every year. Akashvani came to the fore in this celebration. Hindi Divas was organized and the messages of the Union Home Minister, the Minister of Information & Broadcasting and CEO, Prasar Bharati were sent via e-mail to various offices and stations located all over India. In order to create conducive atmosphere regarding the use of Official Language Hindi in day to day official work, Hindi fortnight was held during 14.09.2022 to 29.09.2022. Adhering to Covid-19 guidelines five competitions were organized for the Officers/officials of DG:AIR which saw active participation by the staff. In addition, banners containing selected quotes of famous personalities were displayed at prominent places in DG:AIR. In addition, an award ceremony was also held on 05.05.2022 in which the then Principal DG:AIR handed over the certificates to the winners of various competitions held during Hindi fortnight in the year 2021.

Hindi Workshop

During the period online Workshops related to various aspects of Official Language were organized. Prominent personalities were invited who shared their insights.

Rajbhasha (Hindi Unit), DG: AIR (HQ):

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iii. Progressive use of Hindi in DG: Doordarshan

To ensure the compliance of the Official Language policy and instructions there is a separate Hindi Section in the Directorate General of Doordarshan. This section reviews the position relating to the progressive use of Hindi in the Directorate and its subordinate offices and makes all efforts to promote the progressive use of Hindi.

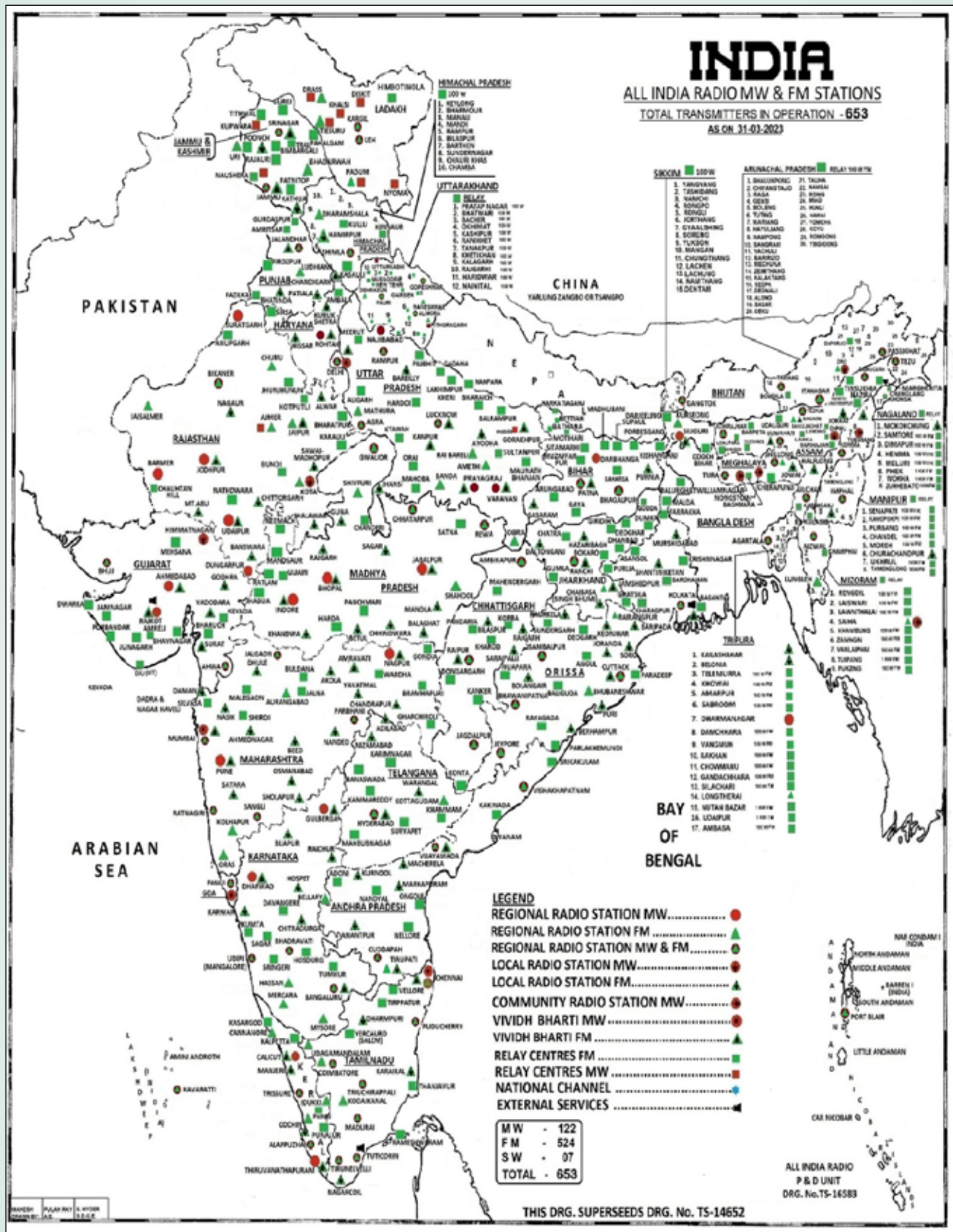
In this reference the major activities done by the section during 1 April, 2022 to December, 2022 are as follow:-



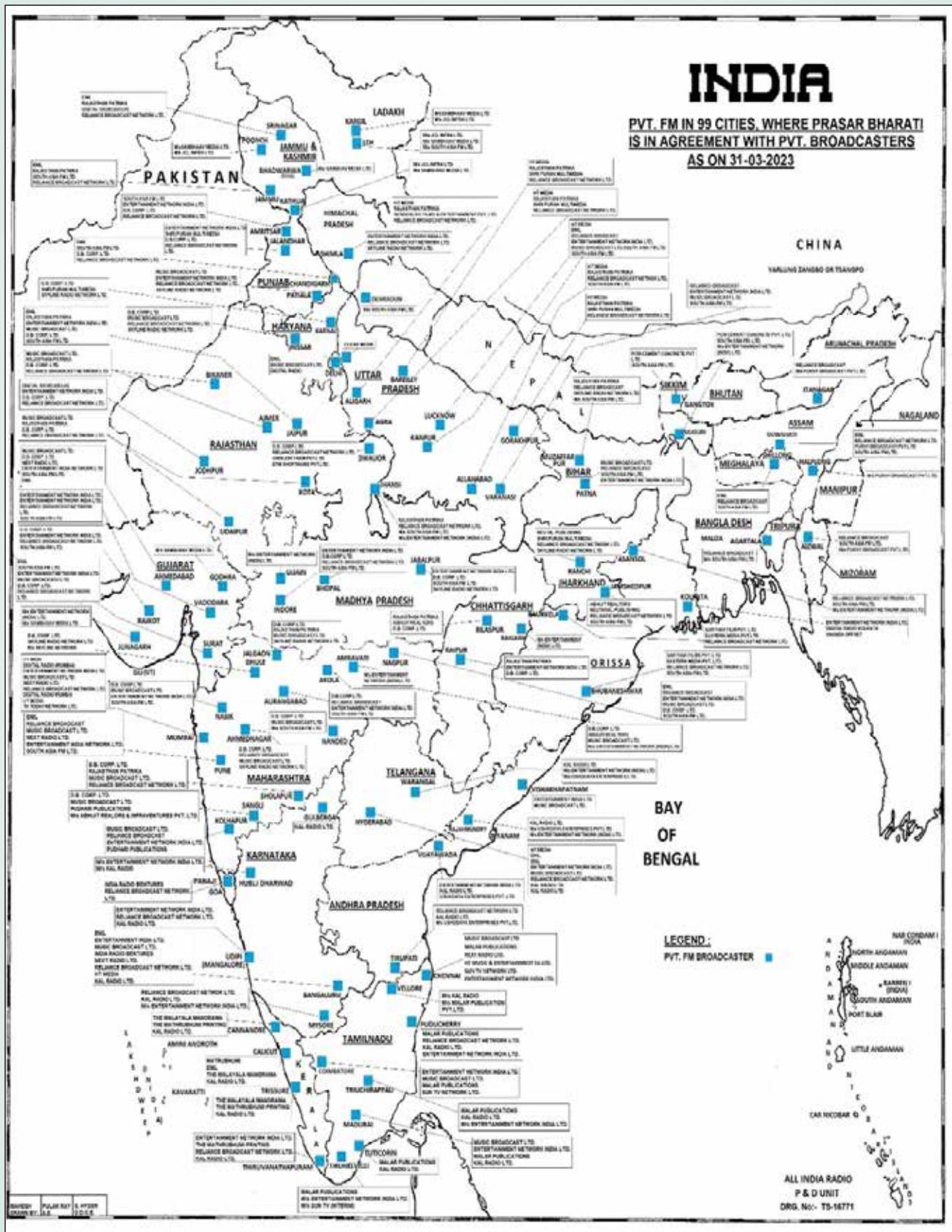
- All documents under Section 3(3) of the Official Language Act, 1963 were issued in bi-lingual form and all letters received in Hindi were replied to in Hindi.
- Hindi fonts were installed in computers of DG:DD.
- Hindi workshops were organized successfully in every quarter to create awareness among officers and employees regarding Official Language Hindi and to motivate them to do their work in Hindi.
- During the period around 22 Doordarshan Kendras/Offices were inspected and review reports were sent.
- Official Language inspection of DDK, Hyderabad, DDK, Thiruvananthapuram and DDK, Raipur and Kolkata, Ranchi and Jaipur was successfully conducted by Parliament Committee on Official Language completed. Work related to preparation of inspection questionnaire of Doordarshan Kendra, Lucknow and Kozhikode were also completed well in time.
- Hindi fortnight was celebrated in DG:DD various competitions were organized during Hindi fortnight and prize amount were given to the successful participants accordingly.
- Parliamentary inspection of 05 internal sections of Doordarshan Directorate were done for the purpose of achieving the goal of Official Language inspection of 25% of the sections prescribed in the annual programme issued by the Department of Official Language, Ministry of Home Affairs.
- Parliamentary inspection of 02 subordinate offices of Doordarshan Directorate were done for the purpose of achieving the goal of Official Language inspection of minimum 25% of the attached offices prescribed in the Annual Program issued by the Department of Official Language, Ministry of Home Affairs.
- Hindi translation work of Demand for Grants 2023-24 received from the ministry and Prasar Bharati was completed on urgent basis.



Locations of MW & FM Stations in operation



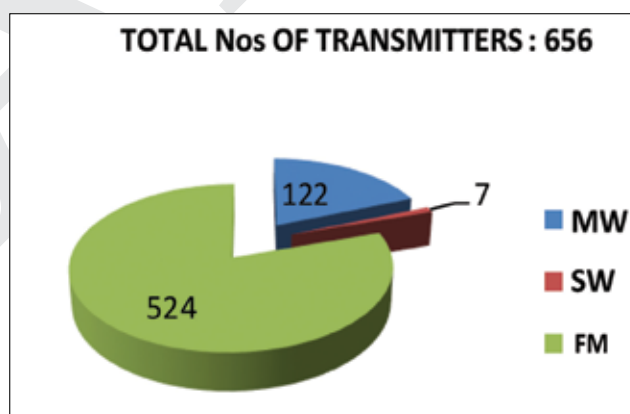
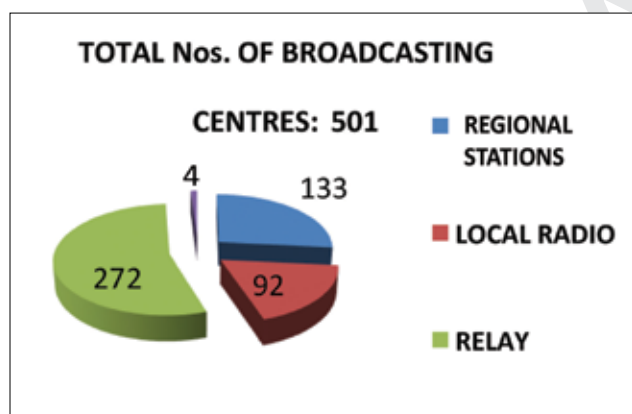
Locations of 99 cities, where Prasar Bharati is in agreement with Pvt. FM Broadcasters



AKASHVANI – FACTS AT A GLANCE (AS ON 31.03.2023)

BROADCASTING CENTRES:

REGIONAL STATIONS	133
LOCAL RADIO STATIONS	92
RELAY CENTRES	272
COMMUNITY RADIO STATIONS	4
TOTAL:	501



TRANSMITTERS:

• Medium Wave	122
• Short Wave	7
• FM	524
• TOTAL:	653

OTHERS:

• AIR Channels on DTH Platform	48
• Regional News Units	46



CHANNELS AND PROGRAMMES OF AKASHVANI

A. INTRODUCTION:

Akashvani (All India Radio) aims to provide information, education and entertainment, for promoting the welfare and happiness of the masses (Bahujana Hitaya Bahujana Sukhaya).

The phenomenal growth achieved by Akashvani [All India Radio] over the past eight decades has made it one of the largest media organizations in the world. Now, it has 501 Broadcasting Centres and 653 transmitters. To meet the communication needs of the plural society that India is, the network expanded gradually imbibing new technologies and programme production techniques. Continuing with the adoption of newer technology, Akashvani's services are being digitalized.

To realise its objectives, Akashvani [AIR] has evolved over the years, a three-tier system of broadcasting namely National, Regional and Local. It caters to the information, education and entertainment needs of the audiences through its stations in this country of continental dimension and with a plural society. They provide news, music, spoken word and other programmes to almost the entire population of the country. Its vast reach especially in the rural and tribal areas make it the primary and sometimes the only source of information and entertainment.

In National programmes which are heard on the Medium Wave in most part of the country cater to the first-tier broadcasting. The regional and Sub-regional stations provide the second tier of broadcasting giving the programmes in the regional languages and promoting regional and cultural facets. In addition, FM Channels caters to the needs of the people primarily the youth. The Vividh Bharati Service primarily on FM Channels is available at 43 places across the country and also relayed by 79 Local Radio Stations for various durations. Out of total 92 Local Radio Stations, 90 Stations are broadcasting on FM mode. New slots have been introduced across the Vividh Bharati network and local radio stations as centralized- VBNS in order to give a pan-India complexion of some of the programmes. The FM mode set up to cater to the needs and tastes of the audiences of small towns in various parts of the country are the Local Radio stations (LRS) providing the third-tier broadcasting. In the last couple of years, the community radio has become popular among different electronic media available in the country and not surprisingly, Akashvani has also set-up Community Radio Service at four places in the North Eastern Region as the voice of the local tribal population.

B. ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE:

Akashvani [All India Radio] traditionally has been headed by a Director General assisted by Additional Director Generals (ADGs) in Programme, Administration and Finance Wings; and an Engineer-in-Chief in the Engineering Wing. News Wing is headed by a Director General (News).

Directorate General, Akashvani, has been responsible for policy formulation, planning and development, infrastructure and technology upgradation, budgetary planning and control, human resource management; overseeing operations and maintenance activities, etc.

Earlier Programming in Akashvani were divided into eleven Programming Regions: at Delhi (Northern Region-I&II), Mumbai (Western Region-I&II), Bengaluru (Southern Region-I&II), Lucknow (Central Region-I), Bhopal (Central Region-II), Kolkata (Eastern Region-I & II) and Guwahati (North Eastern Region); and Engineering into five Zones located at Delhi (North Zone), Kolkata (East Zone), Mumbai (West Zone), Guwahati (North-East Zone) and Chennai (South Zone) for project and maintenance engineering activities.

These Zones have now been restructured as North Zone (in Delhi), South Zone (in Chennai), East Zone (in Kolkata), West Zone (in Mumbai) and North East Zone (in Guwahati) on geographical basis. In addition, a National Zone is also created to supervise the National channels of Doordarshan and Akashvani. ADG level officers were posted as Zonal Head(Content Ops.), Zonal Head (Broadcast Ops.) and Zonal Head (Admin) at each of these Zones.

C. SERVICES AND CHANNELS OF AKASHVANI:

i. Regional Channels:

Regional (Primary) Channels of Akashvani are located mostly in the state capitals and in major linguistic- cultural regions of every state. Altogether 133 such channels are spread over 28 states and 8 Union territories (UTs) of the country. The Regional Channels put out infotainment programmes with the objective of enriching the lives of their listeners. The Regional Channels broadcast largely on the Medium Wave with many channels having FM support and follow a composite programming mix. Regional services are also available on AIR live streaming. They also promote art and culture with a major emphasis on Indian classical music. Around 40 percent of the total broadcast on primary channels comprises music which includes Classical music, light music, folk music, film music and the music of various other languages. News and current affairs programmes constitute 20 to 30 percent of the broadcast time. Radio plays and drama, health & family welfare programmes, programmes for women and children, farm and home programmes aimed at empowering rural masses are the other important segments of the primary channels. These channels being the most accessible to all, strive to reach their audiences in the languages most understood.

ii. Local Radio Stations (LRS):

At present, 92 Local Radio Stations are located across the country. These stations are catering to the local population of the area, providing utility services and reach right into the heart of the community which uses the microphone to reflect and enrich its life. What distinguishes Local Radio from the regional network is its down to earth, intimate, and uninhibited approach. The programmes of the local radio are area-specific. They are flexible and spontaneous enough to enable the station to function as the mouthpiece of the local community.

In the present scenario, as most of the LRS of Akashvani are on FM, Vividh Bharati Programmes are relayed by most of them besides local content. At present most of the Local Radio Stations are broadcasting for the duration of 17Hrs. Out of which, 7 hours are Vividh Bharati relay. The content is approximately 60% local and 40% relay (Including News and other relay programmes of regional stations). Thus, serving the purpose for which they were created.



iii. Community Radio Stations (CRS):

Community radio centres were set up at 4 places in the North Eastern Region to serve the local tribal population.

1.	Tuensang	1 kW MW	1602 kHz
2.	Nongstoin	1 kW MW	1485 kHz
3.	Williamnagar	1 kW MW	1602 kHz
4.	Saiha	1 kW MW	1602 kHz

iv. FM Rainbow:

FM Rainbow channel of Akashvani was launched at a time when radio listening was declining especially in big cities. People representing the higher economic strata of the society thought it is out of fashion to listen to radio programmes which according to them, were addressing to the needs of average middle-class radio-listeners. Technological improvements made in the field of sound-recording tempted the young music lovers to opt for other modes of music players because reception quality of these songs on AM mode was not as lively as it was in stereophonic cinema halls or on digital electronic equipment. FM radio filled this gap effectively by ensuring disturbance-free high-quality music to its listeners. Even the presentation style of the comperes on FM channel was transformed to suit the changing tastes of listeners. Inter-personal chatting style of the comperes caught the pulse of youth and allured them to come close to their radio. In its round-the-clock broadcast, the radio listeners were served with a recipe of whole new gamut of entertainment. The old glory of radio was restored once again at least in terms of listening percentages.

At present, AIR has 524 FM transmitters across the country, by which it covers 58% of the area and 72% of the population of the country. Out of these, FM Rainbow channel is available at 25 places i.e. Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai, Kolkata, Bengaluru, Lucknow, Panaji, Jalandhar, Kanpur, Kochi, Puducherry, Shillong, Chandigarh, Cuttack, Kodaikanal, Tiruchirapalli, Coimbatore, Hyderabad, Vishakhapatnam, Raibareilly, Madurai, Triunelvali, Vijayawada, Patna and Ranchi. AIR FM Rainbow at four metropolitan cities is available 24X7. Besides this, Delhi Rainbow is also relayed fully from Mussoorie, Aligarh and partly from Dharamshala and Bhatinda. The FM channel includes Pop music, Film songs, Classical & Devotional music, News Headlines, etc.

v. FM Gold:

FM Gold channel was on air on 1st September 2001 at Delhi as a niche infotainment channel with around 50% of News and Current affairs component and 50% of entertainment programming. At present, FM Gold channel is available daily round the clock. FM Gold channel is available at four metros i.e. Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata and Chennai. This additional channel gave its listeners an option to choose between the two, besides listening to other parallel running AIR and Private FM stations in the area. This channel is trying to provide information interlinked with entertainment and brings information updates on Traffic, Airlines, Railways, Weather, etc.

vi. Direct to Home (DTH) Service:

DTH Radio Channel is a Satellite Service meant for the listeners who own a TV set. The DTH Service is available through the DTH platform of Prasar Bharati with up linking facilities at Todapur, Delhi. It is not a terrestrial broadcast service and DTH programmes cannot be tuned in through the ordinary radio receiver sets. DTH, covers the entire country as well as neighbouring countries. DTH is a 24-hour service broadcast digitally. The programming is planned in such a way that the repetitions are kept at a minimum.

The DTH Service provides different language channels available in every nook and corner of the country. The most significant aspect of DTH broadcast is its digital quality. The new channels during this year are Leh (Ladakh), Panaji, Puducherry, Port Blair and Gangtok.

vii. Vividh Bharati National Service (VBNS):

Vividh Bharati Service is a 24 hours service available through satellite transmission for relay from various radio stations across the country. VB is produced and uplinked from Mumbai. The channel has the status of truly a national service. This service is primarily relayed from 41 CBS-VB centres (17 hours). Vividh Bharati Service is also relayed through 65 Local Radio Stations and 100-Watt FM transmitters located across the country.

viii. Live Streaming:

As on date 291 AIR channels including AIR live News 24x7, FM Rainbow, FM Gold, Vividh Bharati services, Raagam etc. can be listened through internet by browsing Prasar Bharati website 'prasarbharati.gov.in'. Further, these channels can also be listened by using apps namely 'NewsOnAir' on iOS and Android based mobile phones.

D. NEW INITIATIVES DURING THE YEAR

i. Engineering:

Akashvani [All India Radio] is one of the largest broadcasting networks in the world. At the time of independence there were six Radio Stations and 18 Transmitters (6 MW & 12 SW) which covered 11% population and 2.5% area of the country.

By 30th November 2022, the network had grown to 501 stations. The total no. of transmitters have however been reduced to 653 (122 MW, 7 SW & 524 FM), which provide coverage to 98% of the population spread over 90% area of the country. This includes 207 nos. of 100 W FM transmitters installed for localized coverage of about 8-10 km radius.

New Initiatives during the year are as follows:

- 10 kW FM Transmitters: 2 Nos.
- FM Transmitter commissioned: 2 Places
- SITC of server and radio automation completed at 79 Nos. of AIR stations. Digital console supplied and are under installation at 29 Nos. of AIR Stations. The departmental work related to Regional Archival facility at Guwahati completed.

ii. Programme:

1. Publicity of the campaign entitled '**Har Ghar Tiranga**' from 11th to 17th August, 2022 under the aegis of '**Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav**'.
2. Publicity of the 75 day long cleanliness campaign '**Swachh Sagar, Surakshit Sagar/Clean Coast Safe Sea**' to clean 75 sea beaches from 5th July 2022 to 17th September, 2022.
3. Broadcast of a special serial titled "**Swaraj**" in Hindi and regional languages in connection with **Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav** from 20th August 2022.
4. Publicity for the awareness of **National Emergency Number - 112** on 29/03/2023 under the **project ERSS** (Emergency Response Support System) especially for the safety of women at public places.



5. Extensive Publicity & Coverage to Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India in association with various other Ministries/Departments of Govt. of India, organized '**Kisan Bhagidaari, Prathmikta Hamari**' campaign highlighting various flagship schemes of the Central Govt. for the welfare of farming community, from 25th April to 30th April 2022 under '**Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav**'.
6. A radio report on the National Conference of Cluster Based Business Organizations & Formation of 10,000 FPOs organized by the Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. Of India, was broadcast by AIR, Delhi, on its FM Gold Channel, in Kisan Ki Baat programme on 21.04.2022.
7. **Extensive sustained publicity/coverage on IYOM-2023** AIR stations broadcasting Farm & Home and Kisanvani programmes mounted sustained publicity/coverage to International Year of Millets 2023 by broadcasting programmes on various aspects of Millets cultivation, its nutritive value, export and marketing potential of processed products and its environmental.
8. Special publicity was given by the programme heads of AIR stations on the 75 day long COVID vaccination precaution dose campaign on 15th July 2022 to provide free precaution dose to all eligible adult population between the age group of 18-59 and continued till 30th September 2022. This COVID vaccination drive was a part of the celebration for **Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM)** and AIR has played a crucial role in this by timely disseminating the information.
9. Ministry of Women and Child Development celebrated **POSHAN Abhiyan** from 1st to 30th September 2022. With the central theme of 5th Rashtriya Poshan Maah 2022 as "Mahila aur Swasthya" and "Bacha aur Shiksha", outreach programmes were conducted by AIR stations to fulfil the Hon'ble PM's vision of a Suposhit Bharat and convert this Jan Andolan into Jan Bhagidari.
10. Ministry of Health and Family Welfare launched the nation-wide voluntary blood donation drive, **Raktdaan Amrit Mahotsav, from September 17th till October 1st, 2022**. All AIR stations across India were advised to broadcast suitable programmes in different formats to provide wide publicity to National Voluntary Blood Donation Day (NVBDD).
11. **Khelo India University Games** Akashvani covered extensively, the Khelo India University Games 2021 held in Bengaluru from 23rd April to 3rd May 2022.
12. **National Games 2022** Akashvani covered extensively the 36th National Games 2022 held in Gujarat from 29th September to 12th October, 2022 **AIR with the help of UNICEF** spread the Message of Nutrition and programmes were broadcast on nutrition related themes during the National Nutrition Month in September, 2021.
13. **AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV** AIR broadcast National Programme of Regional Folk and Light Music in this year Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav Broadcast based on Patriotic song in different Indian languages.

iii. News Service:

1. **Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav** : NSD, Akashvani ran a special series comprising Azadi Ka Safar with AIR News/Azadi Ka Safar Akashvani Ke Saath, Dharohar, Aparajita, Nishan, Azadi Ke Tarane and Unsung Heroes on Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrating 75 years of India's Independence. It also brought out an e-book Azadi Ka Safar, with Akashvani News so that these broadcasts reverberate through the minds of India's future generations. The e-book can be accessed through <https://newsonair.gov.in/akam/english/akame/index.html>.

2. **Commonwealth Games 2022:** Akashvani News broadcast special reports on the profiles of Indian sportspersons participating in the “Commonwealth Games 2022” held in Birmingham.
3. **J&K Ek Nayi Subah: NSD:** Akashvani ran a special series *J&K Ek Nayi Subah*, to highlight the achievements of the UT Administration of Jammu & Kashmir over the last 2 years.
4. **Har Ghar Tiranga and Independence Day 2022:** NSD, Akashvani and its RNUs gave wide coverage to events and activities related to the Campaign countrywide *Har Ghar Tiranga Campaign* to inspire the citizens to hoist the national flag atop their homes to mark the 75th year of the Independence as part of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav.
5. **Azad Bharat Ki Baat Akashvani Ke Saath:** Akashvani News celebrated 75 years of freedom with a special series, *Azad Bharat Ki Baat- Akashvani Ke Saath*. The series broadcast in major bulletins showcased the journey of India since the Independence in various walks of life through the story telling of Akashvani.
6. **Poshan Maah:** PoshanMaah held in September 2022, News stories and capsules to increase awareness about nutrition, highlight the Government of India’s measures to address malnutrition, and improve nutritional outcomes for children, adolescent girls, pregnant women and lactating mothers were carried in bulletins and news magazine programmes.
7. **Mann Ki Baat:** The Prime Minister’s *Mann Ki Baat* programme was covered in all major news bulletins at NSD Headquarters, and in bulletins of RNUs. Live webcasting of the programme was also done through the newsonair website. Special discussions on the programme were also organised. NSD: Akashvani conducted surveys on *Mann ki Baat* episodes. It conducted the surveys with the help of RNUs, Reference & PP&D Unit and Reporting Unit at the Headquarters. Data analysis was done by Reference and PP&D Unit.
8. **Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi & Swachh Bharat Diwas:** Wide coverage was given to the 153rd Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi and Swachh Bharat Diwas in bulletins at NSD Headquarters and RNUs.
9. **Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat:** NSD: Akashvani, its RNUs and social media platforms gave coverage to activities and events related to Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (EBSB).
10. **G20, COP27 and International Year of Millets:** NSD Akashvani accorded a special coverage to the Prime Minister’s address at the G20 Summit in Bali, and the COP27 Summit in Sharm-el-Sheikh. Coverage was also given as part of International Year of millets.
11. **AWARD:** News Services Division, Akashvani was conferred with National Media Award for its outstanding campaign for voters’ awareness and education by Election Commission of India

E. PROGRAMME ACTIVITIES:

Details of important coverages, broadcast and radio reports for the year 2021-22 (1st April, 2021 to 31st March, 2022) are given at **Annexure-V**. Other important programme activities are also given below:

i. Spoken Word:

AIR carried out awareness generation programmes on various themes on its Network of more than 400 stations/Channels during the year 2022-23. Spoken Word Division deals with publicity of important subjects/ schemes/ policies of the Ministries/ Departments of Government of India. Regular information along with publicity was carried out through various formats of programmes by all AIR Stations across the country for the period 1st April, 2022 to 31st March, 2023:-



1. Broadcast of 'Mann Ki Baat' by Hon'ble Prime Minister was carried out from entire AIR network on last Sunday of every month.
2. Publicity of 'Sabka Vikas Maha Quiz Series' on AIR stations for awareness, wider participation and involvement of citizens in the various schemes of the Government of India on 6th May, 2022.
3. Spreading of the message #Only One Earth as theme on the occasion of World Environment Day on 05.06.2022.
4. Delhi broadcast a live Dial-Out programme from the venue on its Rainbow channel on 24.11.2022 and a comprehensive radio report was broadcast on the event in the Kisan Ki Baat programme on FM Gold Channel on 25.11.2022.
5. Millets-Smart Food Conclave at New Delhi was covered in Kisan Ki Baat programme of AIR, Delhi FM Gold Channel on 06.12.2022.
6. Network Coverage & Publicity to IYOM-2023 All AIR stations including those broadcasting 'Kisanvani' and 'Kisan Ki Baat' programs, broadcast extensive programmes on post harvest management of Millets through processing machinery, millets production, marketing and consumption including success stories of farmers concerning Millets production and marketing.
7. All stations broadcasting Kisanvani and Kisan Ki Baat programmes mounted publicity to and covered events in connection with the Kisan Diwas on 23.12.2023.
8. National Agripreneurship Awards ceremony held at NASC Complex, Pusa was covered in the Kisan Ki baat programme on 12.01.2023.
9. Publicity was mounted and coverage provided to National Conference for Zaid/Summer Campaign held at Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi, on 20.02.2023.
10. Millets-Smart Food Conclave held at New Delhi was duly covered in Kisan Ki baat programme on 06.12.2022
11. Radio Kisan Diwas was celebrated by several AIR stations broadcasting Kisanvani programme on 15.02.2023 where progressive farmers were felicitated, senior district officials presided and experts shared valuable insights on local farmers' issues on the spot.

हिन्दुस्तान

किसान रेडियो दिवस में सम्मानित हुए कृषक

अयोध्या, संवाददाता। आकाशवाणी अयोध्या व इनको के सहयोग से बुधवार को शिले के सरेवा मया बाजार में रेडियो किसान दिवस का आयोजन किया गया। इस दौरान किसानों के लिए सरकार की ओर से चलाई जा रही योजनाओं व प्राकृतिक खेती पर विस्तार से चर्चा हुई। आयोजन के दौरान विक्क प्रनोतरी के विजेता कृषकों को सम्मानित किया गया जो कृषि सम्बंधी प्रदर्शनी भी स्वगई गई।

आकाशवाणी अयोध्या के कार्यक्रम प्रमुख संजयधर द्विवेदी व सहस्रक निदेशक अभिषांजिकी अनिल कुमार सिंह ने वक्ताओं व अतिथियों का स्वागत करते हुए आयोजन के उद्देश्य पर प्रकाश डाला। एलडीएम नीरज कुमार व डीडीएम नाथार्ड कमलेश



प्राकृतिक खेती के प्रति जागरूक करने को कृषि वैज्ञानिकों की देखरेख में तलाई प्रदर्शनी कुमार बादव ने किसानों हेतु चलाई जा रही सरकार की विभिन्न योजनाओं की जानकारी दी।

प्रगतिशील किसान राकेश वर्मा व राम लौट वर्मा ने प्राकृतिक खेती और

राजधवन सिंह, कमलाकांत पाण्डेय, हरिसंकर दुबे, राकेश वर्मा, राजेश वर्मा, चन्द्र प्रकाश, राम सुमन शिवारी, रामनेरेश वर्मा, विजय कुमार वर्मा, परसनाथ सिंह, विजय वर्मा, जयसराज वर्मा, रामनेखल व रामलौट को वूरिया व अन्य उत्पाद देकर सम्मानित किया गया। आयोजन के दौरान ठप कृषि निदेशक संजय त्रिपाठी, जिला कृषि अधिकारी ओमप्रकाश मिश्र, मुख्य पशु चिकित्सक अधिकारी डॉ. जयदीप प्रसाद ने भी सम्बोधित किया।

वक्ताओं ने कृषि क्षेत्र में किए जाने वाले कार्य की गुणवत्ता और अधिक फसल उत्पादन विषय पर कई जानकारी साझा की। उन्होंने कहा कि कृषि से अधिक आय के लिए निर्यात मानदंडों का पालन किया जाना चाहिए।

12. An 'Impact Assessment & Capacity Building Workshop for Programme producers of AIR Kisanvani and DD Kisan/DD regional Kendras organized by Farm & Home Unit, DG :AIR from 8th to 10th February,2023 at Central Coastal Agriculture Research Institute, Goa, which was attended by around 40 programme producers, progressive farmers including State Krishi Ratna Awardees, Senior Ministry of Agriculture & Farmer Welfare officers, subject matter experts, media representatives etc. The workshop which was inaugurated by Director General Akashvani Dr. Vasudha Gupta, deliberated on campaign strategies on IYOM 2023, food and nutritional securities challenges, smart agriculture including agri tech and agripreneurship for new age farmers, climate resilience amongst others.



Director General Akashvani Dr. Vasudha Gupta innaugurating the workshop on 'Impact Assessment & Capacity Building Workshop for Programme producers of AIR Kisanvani and DD Kisan/DDK





13. Publicity and coverage was provided to the National Workshop on Bamboo Sector Development & Bamboo Exhibition at PHD Chamber of Commerce & Industry, held at New Delhi from 9th to 10th March, 2023.
14. Publicity and awareness campaign was mounted for the farming community from 11.03.2023 on the prevalent agro climatic conditions for adopting suitable measures to combat extreme weather in the upcoming summer season.
15. Publicity was mounted and live coverage was provided over the AIR network to the Global Millets Conference inaugurated by the Hon'ble Prime Minister at NASC Complex Pusa, on 18th March, 2023.
16. Publicity and coverage was provided to the Kisan Mela organized by Punjab Agriculture University from 24-25 March, 2023.
17. Publicity and coverage was provided to the G 20 ADM at Chandigarh from 29th to 31st March, 2023

ii. Health & Family welfare:

a. Women's Programmes:

Women's programmes of Akashvani cover subjects related to socio-economic development of women, health and family welfare, food and nutrition, scientific home management, women entrepreneurship, education including adult education, women empowerment, gender issues etc.

Akashvani broadcasts a number of programmes in different formats for the welfare of girl child. Programmes of the family welfare section of the stations generally aim at creating social awareness on the issues relating to female foeticide, gender discrimination, awareness about the rights and privileges of women through the propagation of legal literacy. Different traditional folk forms were also used to communicate with the rural audience. . After the launch of programme, "Beti Bachao Beti Padhao" the Director General, Akashvani has issued instruction to all stations to give special attention while planning their programmes on the popularization of the 'Beti Bachao Beti Padhao'. The same campaign continued in 2022 as well.

Akashvani stations across the network have been regularly advised to give due publicity to the laws, rules, regulation and guidelines related to the Indecent Portrayal of Women in media and sensitize the public through positive portrayal of women. In these programmes, information about the legal provisions and the remedies available under the existing laws and regulations on indecent portrayal of women was also disseminated.

Akashvani stations across its network were instructed to give due publicity to the laws, rules, regulation and guidelines related to the sexual crimes against women and to broadcast programs in different formats for creating mass awareness on the legal provisions and punishment for violation of such provisions as per Delhi High Court Judgment. Instructions were issued for creating awareness and publicizing the campaign on 'National Mission for safety of women' which covered diverse issues related to women and girl child. Programme Heads were advised to keep special focus on programmes linked to women's rights and their safety on the lines of the recommendations received from National Human Rights Commission, which continued in the year 2022.

Every year awareness programmes are conducted to celebrate International Women's Day & promote gender equality. This year too Stations were directed well in advance to prepare and broadcast relevant programmes to raise awareness and recognize the achievements of women and girls in various sectors in India.

Regular participation of programme officials was ensured in the events conducted by UN agencies. Recently, radio professionals participated in the UNDP event for the launch of 2nd Edition of Inspiring India Magazine, in which tribute was paid to the exceptional women of India and their contribution in business and environmental sectors.

b. Health Programmes

Health programmes are part of regular broadcasts of Akashvani. Almost every AIR station broadcasts health awareness programmes on regular basis. These programmes are planned and broadcast as per the health requirement of the concerned area, potential out-break of seasonal diseases and as per the instructions / advice of ministry of Health and Family Welfare and the Directorate General of Akashvani. All the health related issues about disease, their causes and prevention, information about available treatment, awareness about immunization are featured in regular health programme schedules of all AIR stations.

Awareness campaign as per the guidelines of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare were publicized among the masses about the MonkeyPox, without creating panic amongst the people in July 2022 itself.

United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) observes World Population Day each year on July 11th with the aim to raise awareness about the sexual and reproductive health (SRH) needs and vulnerabilities of women and girls worldwide. Programme Heads were directed to create general awareness on the occasion of World Population Day, 2022.

Awareness campaigns as per the advisories of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare were publicized among the masses about the Coronavirus. AIR had started generating awareness about the disease at the earliest from the Month of January, 2020 and this continued in the year 2022 as well with the focus on reporting surge in cases & precautionary measures to be adopted. All AIR stations were directed to broadcast high-quality copyright free audio messages produced by Asia Pacific Institute for Broadcasting Development(AIBD) in cooperation with WHO, UNESCO, which were related to vaccines and other measures to prevent COVID-19. Special publicity was given by the programme heads of AIR stations on the 75 day long covid vaccination precaution dose campaign on 15th July 2022 to provide free precaution dose to all eligible adult population between the age group of 18-59 and continued till 30th September 2022. This COVID vaccination drive was a part of the celebration for Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM) and AIR has played a crucial role in this by timely disseminating the information.

During this period awareness was done on Alzheimer's disease while observing World Alzheimer's Day. AIR stations highlighted the need of timely diagnosis and treatment for the welfare of elderly population in India.

Ministry of Women and Child Development(WCD), Government of India, decided to observe the month of September as the National Nutrition Month / POSHAN Maah as a part of POSHAN Abhiyan. This year also, Ministry of Women and Child Development celebrated POSHAN Abhiyan from 1st to 30th September 2022. With the central theme of 5th Rashtriya Poshan Maah 2022 as "Mahila aur Swasthya" and "Bacha aur Shiksha", outreach programmes were conducted by AIR stations to fulfil the Hon'ble PM's vision of a Suposhit Bharat and convert this Jan Andolan into Jan Bhagidari. Programmes on nutrition are regular feature of special focus group programmes such as women and children.

Awareness was raised on the twin dangers of Heart diseases and Diabetes as the burden of NonCommunicable Diseases in India is increasing. Accordingly, AIR Stations were directed to observe World Heart Day and World Diabetes Day where tips and prevention methods were discussed



by eminent endocrinologists & cardiologists. Recently, rising cancer incidence and mortality due to it in India was highlighted while observing World Cancer Day on 04th of February 2023. Along with this, awareness was done on available government health schemes & programmes like National Programme for Prevention and Control of Cancer, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Strokes (NPCDCS) under NHM.

Hon'ble Supreme Court of India passed the directions regarding awareness on Leprosy Eradication vide its order 05.07.2018, 10.09.2018 and 14.09.2018 in the WP(C) NO. 1151/2017 and WP(C)NO. In this regard, Programme Heads of all AIR stations were directed to comply the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court to the extent of creating general awareness under their regular family welfare programmes.

Ministry of Health and Family Welfare launched the nation-wide voluntary blood donation drive, Raktdaan Amrit Mahotsav, from September 17th till October 1st, 2022. All AIR stations across India were advised to broadcast suitable programmes in different formats to provide wide publicity to National Voluntary Blood Donation Day (NVBDD).

Awareness was generated among general public about the Mental Healthcare Act and programmes were broadcast to sensitize the society towards the special needs of persons going through depression while observing World Mental Health Day on 10th October 2022. This was preemptively done before the release of National Suicide Prevention Strategy which deals with mental wellbeing and strategies to counter suicides. Later, stations were directed to mount programmes and talks with psychologists to address the issue of suicides with multi-sectorial approach as per the National Suicide Prevention Strategy.

Regular participation of programme officials was ensured in the health events conducted by UN agencies. Recently, radio professionals participated in the G20 & Health priorities webinar being hosted by the UNICEF under the aegis of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare. In the webinar, efforts towards strengthening digital health infrastructure and ensuring universal access to quality healthcare services were discussed.

Other subjects covered in regular broadcast on health include topics like right age of marriage, delay of first child, space between two children, terminal methods, maternal care, child survival, promotion of inter-spouse communication / male responsibility, neutralizing male preference syndrome, medical termination of pregnancy, promotion of institutional legal provisions, management of reproductive tract infections (RTIs) and sexually transmitted infections (STIs) with special awareness on AIDS with the observance of World AIDS Day, pre-natal diagnostic techniques (regulations and prevention of misuse) act- 1994, breast feeding, disability and reproductive child health etc. Recently special broadcast was also done to observe World Tuberculosis Day on 24th March 2023 to promote increasing efforts to end TB epidemic in India. In addition to this, general awareness about the adverse child sex ratio and to alter the negative mindsets leading to abortion of girl child fetus are regularly created.

c. Children's Programmes

All stations broadcast programmes for children on regular basis. AIR broadcast programmes from different stations for children of three categories, viz, programmes for children between the age of 5 to 7 years and 8 and 14 years' age and special programmes are also broadcast for rural children. Some of the programmes are broadcast on weekly basis, plays, short stories, features, choral singing, interviews, stories from epics etc.

The following points are a regular feature of the programmes broadcast by AIR stations for children:

1. Protection of rights of children and particularly protection of identity of children in need of care and protection of juveniles in conflict law.
2. Care and support to disabled children.
3. Care and support to children under difficult circumstances.
4. Equal status of girls.
5. Universal access to basic education to children and more attention to girl's education.
6. Providing safe and supportive environment to children.
7. Improvement in the economic condition of family and self - reliant society.
8. National and international cooperation for better future of the child.
9. Safe drinking water facility and sanitary means of excreta disposal.
10. Protection from vulnerability to Internet and Online world.

International Day against Child Abuse and Illicit Trafficking is observed on 26th June every year in support of victims of torture, human rights defenders and survivors of tortures around the world. Programme Heads of all AIR stations were advised to generate general awareness programmes about the ill effects of drug abuses.

Akashvani, has been a regular partner of UNICEF to champion the cause of children and women and has been associated with UNICEF through campaigns like Radio4child, since a long time. It is widely believed, and rightly so, that radio has a crucial role to play in spreading awareness about health initiatives and promoting healthy behaviors among its listeners. With the importance of Radio in mind UNICEF, India had extended the invitation to AIR to participate in the G20 & Health priorities webinar being hosted by the UNICEF under the aegis of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, where affordable and accessible healthcare system, especially to the children of India were discussed.

AIR stations were advised to provide widespread publicity to the POCSO (Amendment) Act 2019. The reason behind amendment is to make it more effective in dealing with case of child sexual abuse in the country and aims at arresting the rising number of gruesome and heart wrenching offences being committed against children. Programme Heads were directed to provide wide coverage/ publicity to the second phase of Intensified Mission Indradhanush (IMI 2.0). Instructions were issued to provide pre-launch publicity to a pan India campaign named "Safe Neighbourhood for Child Safety".

vi. Music:

National programme of music (Hindustani & Carnatic) featuring the following artistes.

April 2022- Pradip Kumar Nag – Guitar, Debashish Sarkar – Tabla solo, Vid. A. Chandan Kumar- Flute, Pt. Chandra Shekhar Vaze – Vocal, Pt. Ravi Kiran Nakod- Tabla solo, Vid. O.S. Tyagarajan- Vocal, Pt. Praveen Sheollikar- Violin, Shakti Pad Naag- Flute, Vid. Dwaram Satyanarayana- Violin, Shashank Maketedar – Vocal.

May 2022- Avnindra Sheollikar – Sitar, Vidushi V. Saraswathi- Vocal, Rashmi Chaudhary – Vocal, Nand Kishore Mishra – Tabla, Pt. Sudip Kumar Chatopadhyay- Flute, Vid. Bonal Shankar Prakash- Veena, Pt. Kailash Patra-Violin, Danish Aslam – Sarod, Ustad Akhtar Hasan- Tabla, K. ammaiappan & K. A. Velmurugan – Nagaswaram, Vid. Paladam Ravi, Pt. Bhol Nath Mishra – Vocal.



June 2022- Pt. Sudip Chattopadhyay- Flute, Vid. A. Ananthapadmanabhan – Veena, Sadhna Deshmukh Mohite- Vocal, Gajadhar Pathak – Israj, Krishan Gopal Sharma – Pakhawaj, Vid. Thoppoor B. Sai Ram – Vocal, Minal Matigaonkar – Vocal, Anwar Hussain – Santoor, Vidushi J. Yogavandana.

July 2022- Pt. Ranjit Sen Gupta- Sarod, Smt. Padma Ravishankar – Veena, V.V. Ramanamurthy- Mridangam, Mahesh Mallick-Violin, Mohd. Moin- Tabla solo, Vidushi Nityasri Mahadevan – Cl. Vocal, Nagraj Havaladar – Vocal, Mohit Kumar – Guitar, Vittal Rajpura – Pakhawaj, R. Narayanan – Keyboard, Koviladi R. Madhwa Prasad- Mridangam solo, Pt. Sanjeev Abhyankar – Vocal, Vidushi Manju Mehta- Sitar.

August 2022 – Cheppad A. E. Vamana Namothiri – Vocal, Prasad Glavani- Vocal, Sumna Gupta- Dhrupad/Dhmar, Munjal Shaileshbhai Mehta – Tabla solo, Lokesh Anand & Party – Shehnai, Chetna Banawat – Lt. Cl. Vocal, Mohd. Ahmed – Tabla solo, Indradeep Ghosh – Violin, Indranil Mallick – Tabla solo, Ananyampati S. Ganesan – Jaltarang, Dr. T. K. Murthy – Mridangam solo, Aradhana Karhade – Vocal.

September 2022- C. S. Anuroop – Violin, Johar Ali – Violin, Mahima UPadhyay – Pakhawaj solo, Dibyajoti Changmai – Tabla Solo, Alope Chattopadhyay – Vocal, Dhruv Bedi – Sitar, Ramesh Kumar Mallick – Pakhawaj, R. Sudhakar – Nagaswaram.

October 2022- Ustad Ali Bangash – Sarod, Samanway Sarkar- Sitar, Sh. Samit Bhattacharya – Tabla solo, Vid. Shankaran Namboodiri – Vocal, Durga Sharma – Violin, Pt. Satlingappa Desai – Tabla solo, Pt. Brij Bhushan Goswami – Dhrupad/Dhmar, Dr. M. Narmada – Violin Solo, Vinod Digarjkar – Vocal, Rohit Majumdar – Tabla solo, Pt. Tushar Dutta – Vocal, Vid. Sangeeta Shankar – Violin.

November 2022 - Tadeballi Loknath Sarma – Vocal, Vid. R. Ramesh – Mridangam solo, Smt. Nita Mathur – Hindustani Vocal, Pt. Radhey Shyam Sharma- Pakhawaj solo, U. P. Raju & U. Nagamani – Mandolian Duet, Pt. Nakul Mishra – Tabla solo, M. S. Pawan Kumar – Tabla Solo, D. V. Mohana Krishna compositions of Balamurlikrishna – Vocal.

December 2022 - Deba Pritam Roy – Sitar, Subir Adhikari – Tabla solo, Pt. Vishvanath – Vocal, Sunil R. Gargegan – Carnatic Vocal, Mambalam MKS Shanmugam – Taval solo, Govind Prasad Jaipur Wale- Vocal, P. V. Dayakar – Nagaswaram, V. N. Balachandra – Dolu, Rita Das - Sarod, Anoop Kumar Banerjee – Tabla, S. Somya – Vocal, Pt. Satish Vyas.

January 2023- Pt. Santanu Bhattacharya – Vocal. Shri Sandeep Narayan – Vocal, Kumari A. Kanya Kumari & Embar Shri S. Kannan – Violin Duet (Live Broadcast of the concerts from Thiruvaiyaru the Occasion of the 176th Saint Thyagaraja Aradhana Mohotsav- 07.01.2023), Smt. Rajeshri Pathak – Lt. Cl. Vocal, Live Broadcast of Panchratna Kritis Goshtgayan from Thiruvaiyaru on the occasion of the 176th Saint Thyagaraja Aradhana Mahotsav- 11.01.2023. Poornima Dhumle – Vocal, Vid. N. Ravi Kiran – Vichitra Veena, Bahauddin Dagar – Rudra Veena, K. Ravi Prabha & K. Eswaramma – Nagaswaram, Mayank Raina – Sitar, Sanchita Chowdhury – Dhrupad/Dhmar.

February 2023 – Vid. Dr. Pantula Rama – Vocal, Sandip Chattopadhyay – Santoor, Pandit Sanjay Mukhopadhyay, Rajesh Mishra & Geetesh Mishra – Vocal duet, R. N. Thyagarajan & R.N. Taranathan – Vocal Duet, Anupriya Devtale – Violin, Ramkrishna Karambelkar – Tabla solo, Munne Khan – Sarangi solo, Vid. Anuradha Pal – Tabla solo, Vid. B. V. Balasai – Flute, Vidushi Shubha Mudgal – Vocal.

March 2023 – Sahana Banerjee- Sitar, Sarala Lakshminarayana – Vocal, Pt. Nirmalya Dey – Dhrupad/Dhmar, Mahendra Toke – Vocal, M. Lakshman – Nagaswaram, Pushpraj Koshti – Sur Bahar, Pt. Rajkushi Ram – Pakhawaj solo, Bhaskar Nath – Shehnai, Dr. G. Baby – Vocal.

AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV

The National Programme of Regional Folk and Light Music in this year on the occasion of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav Broadcast was based on Patriotic songs in different Indian languages as follows

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| a) | April 2022 | - Tamil | - Chennai |
| | May 2022 | - Dogri | - Jammu, Kannada- Bengaluru |
| | June 2022 | - Odiya | - Bhubneshwar |
| | July 2022 | - Manipuri | - Imphal, Konkani – Panaji |
| | August 2022 | - Hindi | - AIR, Delhi |
| b) | 01.09.2022 | - Smt. Veena Pahadi- Bhajan Geet, Sri Satish Chandra Vats- Ghazal | |
| | 06.10.2022 | - Smt. Mahuva Nandi – Devotional, Sabir Khan – Rajasthani Folk | |
| | 03.11.2022 | - B. Suchitra – Harikatha, S. Sarala – Telugu Folk | |
| | 01.12.2022 | - Vid.Mamta Chandrakar – Chhattisgarhi Folk Music, Farooq Ahmad Jan & Party - Kashmiri Folk Music. | |
| | 05.01.2023 | - Gokul Singh Bist & Party – Kumauni Folk, Vanshikhaj Aral – Dogri Folk | |
| | 02.02.2023 | – Dr. P. K. Rajashekhar – Kannada Folk, Kalamandalam Vinod – Malayalam Devotional. | |
| | 02.03.2023 | – Anadi Mishra- Panjabi Folk & Sufiyana. | |

vii. Sports:

- AIR Sports is engaged in planning and executing radio broadcast of various National and International sports events on the National Hook-up of Akashvani. The work related to acquisition of Radio Broadcast Rights, coordinating with various Sports Federations/ Associations, various AIR Stations/Foreign Broadcasters and other relevant entities etc. are performed by it for ensuring smooth broadcast of sports events on AIR. The screening and detailing of commentators for sports events are also carried out by AIR Sports.
- To keep pace with changing times, AIR Sports broadcast sports events on digital platform of Prasar Bharati depending on rights availability. Further, to enhance visibility, AIR Sports carried sports broadcasts wherever rights were obtained on Prasar Bharati Sports YouTube channel, and on the NewsonAir mobile app which evoked considerable response from viewers and listeners especially for live commentary.

Cricket:

- The ball-by-ball commentary of the **ICC Women's World Cup 2022** held in New Zealand was broadcast from 06.03.2022 to 04.04.2022.
- AIR Sports broadcast ball-by-ball commentary of **Asia Cup 2022** played in UAE from 27.08.2022 till 11.09.2022.
- Ball-by-ball commentary of **ICC Men's T-20 World Cup 2022** played in Australia from 22.10.2022 to 13.11.2022 was broadcast.
- The ball-by-ball commentary of the **ICC Women's T-20 World Cup 2023** held in South Africa was broadcast from 12.02.2022 to 27.02.2023.

5. 'Stumped' a weekly programme on Cricket, a co-production of AIR, BBC and ABC was broadcast regularly every Saturday at 1130 hours over AIR FM Rainbow network.

Multi-disciplinary events:

1. Khelo India University Games

Akashvani covered extensively, the Khelo India University Games 2021 held in Bengaluru from 23rd April to 3rd May 2022. A 30-minute 'bilingual capsule of daily highlights' was aired from 24/04/2022 to 03/05/2022 on National Hook-up.



A.Vignesh, Triple Gold Medallist and fastest Athlete of Khelo India University Games 2022, Bengaluru



Tennis at Khelo India University Games 2022, Bengaluru

2. National Games 2022

Akashvani covered extensively the 36th National Games 2022 held in Gujarat from 29th September to 12th October, 2022 as per schedule given below:-

1. **FM Updates:** AIR broadcast hourly FM Updates which was broadcast by FM Rainbow Network of Akashvani.



Maana Patel talking to AIR post her victory in the 100-metre back stroke Aquatic event held in Rajkot during the 36th National Games 2022 in Gujarat



Swapna Barman, 2018 Asian Games Heptathlon Gold Medallist speaking to AIR after winning Gold Medal at National Games Gujarat 2022



PV Sindhu talking to AIR at Surat Badminton Hall during National Games 2022 in Gujarat



2. Live Commentary:

AIR, broadcast live commentary in Hindi and English on 29/09/2022 of the Opening ceremony of National Games 2022.

3. Daily Highlights:

A 30-minute daily highlights programme was broadcast from 30/09/2022 to 12/10/2022.

Football

- Live commentary of Final match of the Under 17 Boys of Subroto Cup Football Tournament 2022 held in New Delhi was broadcast on 11.10.2022.

Hockey

- Live commentary of the Final match of 12th Hockey India Senior Men's National Championship 2022 played in Bhopal was broadcast on 17.04.2022.
- Live commentary of the Final match of 12th Hockey India Senior Women's National Championship 2022 played in Bhopal was broadcast on 17.05.2022.
- Live commentary of the final match of 39th Surjit Hockey Tournament-2022 played in Jalandhar was broadcast on 04.11.2022.
- Live commentary of the Men's Hockey World Cup 2023 held in Bhubaneswar and Rourkela from 13.01.2023 to 29.01.2023

Screening of Commentators

- Screening of cricket commentators for fresh empanelment was held on 15th and 16th of December, 2022 in AIR, Mumbai

Boxing

- Consolidated Radio Report was broadcast on IBA Women's World Boxing Championship 2023 held in New Delhi from 16th to 26th March, 2023.

Shooting

- Radio Report was broadcast on ISSF World Cup Shooting Championship 2023 held in Bhopal from 20th to 26th March, 2023.

F. NEWS SERVICE OF AIR:

The News Services Division (NSD) of Akashvani broadcasts news and news-based programmes to listeners in India and abroad. While adhering to the highest professional ethics and standards in Radio broadcasting. Using new technologies, Akashvani News is now available on websites in English, Hindi, Urdu, Assamese, Dogri, Gujarati, Marathi, Rajasthani and Tamil languages. It is also available on social media platforms.

i. Organisational Structure:

The News Services Division is headed by a Principal Director General/Director General (News), who is one of the senior most officers of the Indian Information Service. The PDG /DG(NEWS) is assisted by a team of Additional Director Generals(News), Directors(News), Joint Directors(News), Deputy Directors(News), Assistant Directors(News), News Editors and Reporters.

The various operational sections of NSD Headquarters in Delhi include: General News Room; Hindi News Room; Regional News Unit Desk; External Services; Reporting Unit; Talks and Current Affairs

Unit; News reel Unit; Indian Language Units; Reference, Policy, Planning & Development Unit; IT and Website Unit; Library and the Administrative Wing.

ii. General News Room (GNR)

The General News Room (GNR) is the nerve-centre of the Operations of the News Services Division. It receives news from different sources and functions round-the-clock in four shifts. It is the focal point for selection of news items, editing and putting out bulletins in the home and external services. GNR is organised as a large single News Room but sub-divided for convenience into different desks. The arrangement ensures that all Editors function in a state of continuous interaction and are enabled to be abreast of news developments minute to minute, while they are given the facility to work as independent units undisturbed by others. The Editor-in-Charge is the head of the Newsroom for the duration of the shift.

iii. Hindi News Room(HNR)

Hindi News Room compiles all Hindi bulletins broadcast from headquarters. The Editor-in-Charge is the head of the Newsroom for the duration of the shift. NRTs (Newsreaders-cum-Translators) translate news stories into Hindi from English for use in bulletins.

iv. Regional News Units:

The Regional News Units (RNUs) in various states are headed by officers of the rank of Director/Joint Director/ Deputy/Assistant Director/News Editors and are assisted by Newsreaders-Cum-Translators. Akashvani's Regional News Units (RNUs) play a vital role in catering to the information needs of the people with a regional flavour and further their grassroots reach. RNUs broadcast bulletins and programmes in regional languages/dialects, making news region-specific and listener-friendly. Each state has at least one RNU and bigger states have up to four RNUs for effective coverage of events in the respective states.

These Units also mount news-based programmes besides broadcasting special programmes on occasions like Mann ki Baat, AKAM, Budget, Republic Day, Independence Day or any other occasion of National importance. They also broadcast special programmes when State Assemblies are in Session. FM headlines aim at providing important news in a quick and effective manner to the listeners. RNUs gave wide publicity to government schemes and various social, economic and political developments in respective regional languages.

v. EXTERNAL SERVICES:

Radio plays a crucial role as an instrument of Foreign Policy and Public Diplomacy. Nations attach great importance to international broadcasting as a means of protecting their image and making their point of view to the world.

As part of British India, Akashvani entered the domain of external broadcast on 1st October, 1939, purely, as a tool for propaganda for the Allies during the World War II. The first broadcast of Akashvani for external audience was made in Pashto to counter the German Radio blitzkrieg in the then North West Frontier Province (NWFP) to supplement the efforts of the BBC in this part of the world. After India attained Independence, the External Services Division of Akashvani assumed a new role as the voice of an emerging nation, an old civilization, a tool for diplomacy, and also an effective propaganda machinery at the time of crises. Since then, the External Services have been functioning as a vital link between India and the rest of the world, especially with those countries where India's interests are intertwined because of the presence of a large Indian Diaspora. The External Services connect the Diaspora with their own culture and heritage, giving them a feel of home away from home.



Through its external broadcasts, Akashvani aims to keep its overseas listeners in touch with the ethos of India, offer its point of view on different issues, keep informed about strides made in various fields, including Science, art, culture, economy, business, democratic and secular traditions; project India as an educational, healthcare and tourist destination, and its commitment to universal declaration of human rights, etc.

Role of External Services:

- Offering India's perspective for the neighbourhood and the outside world;
- Acting as the Voice of India on the world stage since 1939;
- Countering malicious and anti-India propaganda;
- Engaging with the Indian Diaspora;
- Projecting New India: Narrating India's Growth Story:
 - Strides made in various fields;
 - Business and commercial opportunities;
 - India as an educational, health and tourist destination;
 - Vibrancy of India's art, culture, music, literature, etc.

The External Services Division was merged with the News Services Division, Akashvani on 12.08.2021. After the merger, efforts were made to revitalize the External services broadcasts. The services are in 17 languages/dialects. Of them, 11 are foreign, namely Arabic, Persian, Dari, Pashto, Baluchi, Swahili, Chinese, Burmese, French, Indonesian and Tibetan. The remaining six are Indian languages, namely Urdu, Seraiki, Sindhi, Punjabi, Bangla and Nepali.

vi. News Gathering Network

NSD has to ensure delivery of news and related services while adhering to certain journalistic principles such as accuracy, credibility, timeliness and quality. It has various sources of news gathering. A team of dynamic Reporters/Correspondents, covering a variety of beats, is deployed at the NSD headquarters. Similarly, Prasar Bharati Special Correspondents are posted in Beijing, Dubai, Kathmandu, Colombo and Dhaka. Correspondents are also posted in the RNUs. Part-Time Correspondents (PTCs) in more than 550 districts of the country also aid in gathering news through their respective RNUs. Social media such as Twitter, YouTube and Facebook are also monitored as a source of news.

vii. Reporting Unit:

Reporting Unit at Headquarters extensively covered developments and events and important Press Conferences in Delhi. Reporting Unit, by being in constant touch with various Ministries, Government Organisations, Election Commission of India etc. gathered News and related information for Spot News Coverage. Their meetings, programmes and press conferences were also covered. The Unit also did stories on Mann Ki Baat programme every month.

viii. Talks and Current Affairs Programmes:

The Talks and Current Affairs (T&CA) Unit organises discussion programmes on current affairs and other topics. The idea is to help listeners understand major new developments, put things into perspective through analysis, and deal with a subject in detail. Various topics were discussed extensively in the daily and weekly programmes.

Important programmes broadcast during the current financial year include discussions on Covid-19 Pandemic, Mann Ki Baat, State Legislative Assembly Elections, Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, 153rd

Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, International Day of Yoga, 53rd Edition of IFFI, G20 Summit in Bali, CoP 27 in Egypt, millets, Assembly elections, Padma Awards, Pariksha Pe Charcha, Economic Survey, Budget, Operation Dost and Mann Ki Baat. Prime Minister's programmes/functions and Cabinet Decisions were also covered extensively, with in-depth analysis

ix. REFERENCE AND PP&D:

Reference and Policy, Planning & Development Unit (PP&D) provides prior information to various Units of NSD about activities and programmes of the government and political parties on a daily and weekly basis. The Unit deals with preparation of Media Action Plans and Action Taken Reports, compilation of other reports, including a monthly Summary for the Cabinet, progress reports on Swachhta, Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat and Annual Report on the programmes broadcast from NSD, Akashvani. The Unit also deals with Scrutiny of applications for the Akashvani Annual Awards.

x. IT & WEBSITE UNIT:

365 days operation of the Akashvani News website provides round-the-clock updates, news stories and bulletins, with its hallmark of ABC- Authenticity, Balance and Credibility. The NEWSONAIR website is available in English, Hindi, Urdu, Assamese, Dogri, Gujarati, Marathi, Tamil and Rajasthani. Efforts are on to make the website available in all the regional languages.

Language	URL
English	newsonair.com
Hindi	newsonair.gov.in/Hindi
Urdu	newsonair.gov.in/Urdu
Marathi	newsonair.gov.in/Marathi
Gujarati	newsonair.gov.in/Gujarati
Tamil	newsonair.gov.in/Tamil
Assamese	newsonair.gov.in/Assamese
Dogri	newsonair.gov.in/Dogri
Rajasthani	newsonair.gov.in/Rajasthani

xi. Social Media Statistics: NSD

Akashvani is present on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Youtube and Koo. RNUs also have their Twitter and Facebook accounts, and Youtube channels.

Platforms	URL
Facebook	All India Radio News
Twitter (English)	@airnewsalerts
Twitter (Hindi)	@AirNewsHindi
YouTube	NEWS ON AIR OFFICIAL
Instagram	airnewsalerts
KOO	airnewsalert

xii. ADMINISTRATION & BUDGET:

- CVC guidelines are strictly followed in the posting of various staff to sensitive posts for transparency in the daily Administration and Accounts work.



- All Public Grievances and Sexual harassment cases in this division are resolved, and there is no pendency.
- The SBG to NSD in Financial Year 2022-23 under Sub Head salary government employees is Rs. 13,98,00,000/-. Salary of Prasar Bharati Employees is Rs. 64,00,000/-under Sub Head OAE Rs. 9,10,00,000/- and under Sub Head PP&SS — Rs. 9,74,00,000/-.
- The SBG to External Services in Financial Year 2022-23 under Sub Head salary government employees is Rs. 7,95,27,000/.Salary of Prasar Bharati employees is Rs. 33,77,000/-under SubHead OAE Rs. 55,00,000/- and under Sub Head PP&SS — Rs. 2,45,00,000/-.
- DG (Audit) – The accounts of NSD were audited for the year 2015-2020, and report is awaited.
- Internal Audit Wing (IAW, MIB) – Accounts of NSD were audited for the year 2018-19 to 2019-20. There was only one audit objection, and it is under process of settling.
- Internal Audit Wing (IAW, PB) - Accounts of NSD were audited for the year 2018-19 to 2021-2022.
- Under Treasury Single Account (TSA) System, NSD has opened a bank account for grants-in-aid issued by Ministries / Departments with Reserve Bank of India in terms of Department of Expenditure.

xiii. PERSONNEL AT NSD:

At the Headquarters, NSD has a sanctioned strength of 460 posts, out of this, 318 are vacant in various cadres. External Services has a sanctioned strength of 299 posts, out of this, 249 are vacant. The multiple activities of NSD: Akashvani and External Services are, however, being managed by engaging contractual staff or casual assignees as per policies/guidelines issued by the Prasar Bharati Secretariat.

The Regional News Units have a total sanctioned strength of 95 IIS officers in different grades, out of which, 28 posts are vacant. Non-RNUs have a total sanctioned strength of two posts, and there is one vacant post.

xiv. LIBRARY:

NSD: Akashvani also has a Library Unit. As on 31st March, 2023, it had 16236 books. The library subscribes to about 24 newspapers and 59 magazines. It caters to the needs of NSD staff for news operations. It uses the library software E-Granthalaya, developed by the NIC, for maintaining a repository of books.

Major Highlights

NSD: Akashvani gave coverage to Independence Day 2022, *Har Ghar Tiranga*, *National Unity Day*, *Constitution Day*, *Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat*, *IFFI 2022*, *Swachh Bharat Diwas*, *Assembly Elections*, *G20 and International Year of Millets*.

In addition to coverage through bulletins and news based programmes as well as talks and Current Affairs programmes, NSD, Akashvani has adopted a radio plus strategy. Campaigns were, thus, undertaken on several Social Media Platforms. All broadcast content was posted online. Web-only exclusive content was also uploaded. Graphics, video, audio and interactive content like quiz were shared with dedicated and campaign-specific hash tags to increase visibility.

Important coverage (1st April 2022 to 31st March, 2023):**i. Assembly & Local Body Elections**

NSD, Akashvani gave wide coverage to general elections to the legislative assemblies of Himachal Pradesh, Gujarat, Tripura, Meghalaya and Nagaland, Presidential and Vice Presidential elections and by-elections on Lok Sabha and Assembly seats. News items with voice-casts and sound-bites on electioneering, polling and counting of votes were broadcast in news bulletins from NSD, Akashvani. Besides, discussions were also organised. Apart from this, bulletins and talk shows on the elections were broadcast in regional languages.

**ii. Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav**

NSD, Akashvaniran a special series on Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrating 75 years of India's Independence, in news bulletins and news based programmes. The series comprised Azadi Ka Safar with Air News/Azadi Ka Safar AkashwaniKe Saath, Dharohar, Aparajita, Nishan, Azadi KeTaraneand Unsung Heroes.

NSD brought out an e-book Azadi Ka Safar, with Akashvani News so that these broadcasts reverberate through the minds of India's future generations. The e-book can be accessed through <https://newsonair.gov.in/akam/english/akame/index.html>



iii. Commonwealth Games 2022

Akashvani News broadcast special reports on the profiles of Indian sportspersons participating in the “Commonwealth Games 2022” held in Birmingham. Discussions were also held with sports personalities. Special bulletins were broadcast in Sports Scan programme with focus on India’s medal prospects.



iv. Sessions of Parliament

Wide coverage was given to Monsoon, Winter and Budget Session of Parliament and maiden joint address to both the Houses of Parliament by President, Smt. Droupadi Murmu.



v. 8 Years of NDA Government

NSD: Akashvani mounted a special campaign in order to highlight the major developments during the 8 Years of NDA Government. Under the campaign, theme-based stories and special programmes were broadcast daily between 30.05.2022 and 12.06.2022.



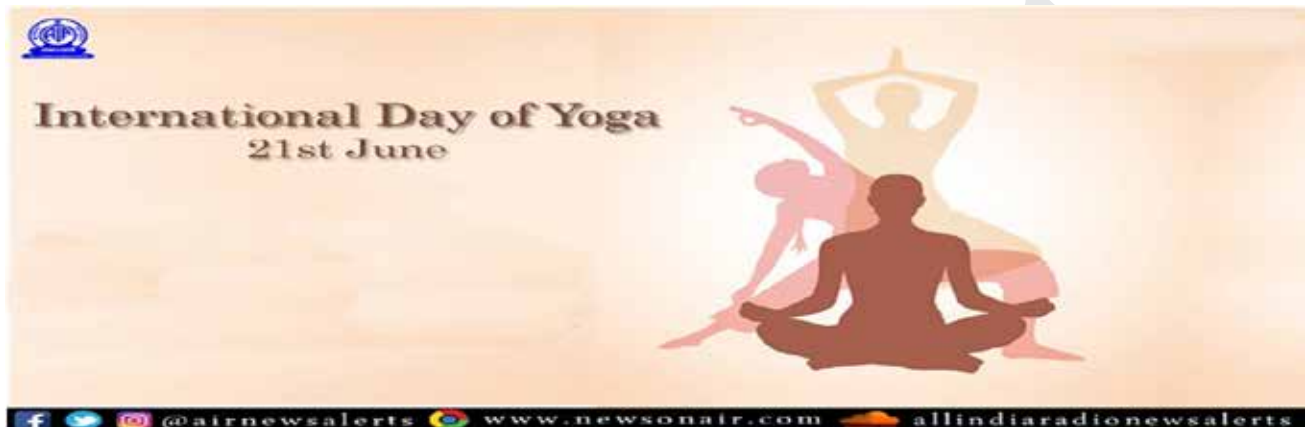
vi. J&K Ek Nayi Subah

NSD: Akashvani ran a special series J&K Ek Nayi Subah, to highlight the achievements of the UT Administration of Jammu & Kashmir over the last 2 years. Under the series, interviews of nearly 10 District Magistrates were conducted to elicit information about various development activities and public welfare schemes in Kashmir valley.



vii. International Day of Yoga

NSD: Akashvani accorded extensive coverage to events and activities related to the International Day of Yoga, IDY-2022. News stories and voice-casts on the importance and health benefits of yoga were carried in bulletins and news-based programmes at NSD, Akashvani and RNUs. Discussions with experts on benefits of Yoga were also organised. Videos on yoga sessions, messages of yoga experts were amplified on social media platforms.



viii. Har Ghar Tiranga and Independence Day 2022

In the run-up to the Independence Day 2022 celebrations, the Government of India launched a countrywide *Har Ghar Tiranga* Campaign to inspire the citizens to hoist the national flag atop their homes to mark the 75th year of the Independence as part of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav. NSD, Akashvani and its RNUs gave wide coverage to events and activities related to the Campaign in their news bulletins and news magazine programmes. NSD, Akashvani social media platforms like twitter ran a special series "*Know Your Tiranga*" under which tweets, graphics and videos were posted covering various facets and significant moments related to the tri-colour. Jingles and promos on the Campaign were also broadcast. At NSD Headquarters, more than 20 discussions programmes were also organised.

As part of the Independence Day 2022 celebrations, Nsd: Akashvaniran a special series- *India@75* under which theme-based stories and features were broadcast, and discussions and interviews held from August 5th to August 15th, 2022.



ix. Azad Bharat Ki Baat Akashvani Ke Saath

Over the past 75 years since independence, India's largest public service broadcaster, Akashvani has been the proverbial story teller for the citizens across the country. Akashvani News celebrated 75 years of freedom with a special series, *Azad Bharat Ki Baat- Akashvani Ke Saath*. The series broadcast in major bulletins showcased the journey of India since the Independence in various walks of life through the story telling of Akashvani.



x. Poshan Maah

Wide coverage was given to events organized by various Ministries across the country during the Poshan Maah held in September 2022. News stories and capsules to increase awareness about nutrition, highlight the Government of India's measures to address malnutrition, and improve nutritional outcomes for children, adolescent girls, pregnant women and lactating mothers were carried in bulletins and news magazine programmes. Discussions on the importance of nutrition, and the need to eradicate malnutrition for a healthy India were also organised.



xi. Mann Ki Baat

The Prime Minister's *Mann Ki Baat* programme was covered in all major news bulletins at NSD Headquarters, and in bulletins of RNUs. Live webcasting of the programme was also done through the newsonair website. Special discussions on the programme were also organised.



RNUs also gave wide publicity to the monthly broadcast on their social media platforms by posting tweets in their regional languages.

Translated version of *Mann Ki Baat* episodes were also broadcast in several foreign languages such as Chinese, French, Arabic, Persian, Pashto and Indonesian.

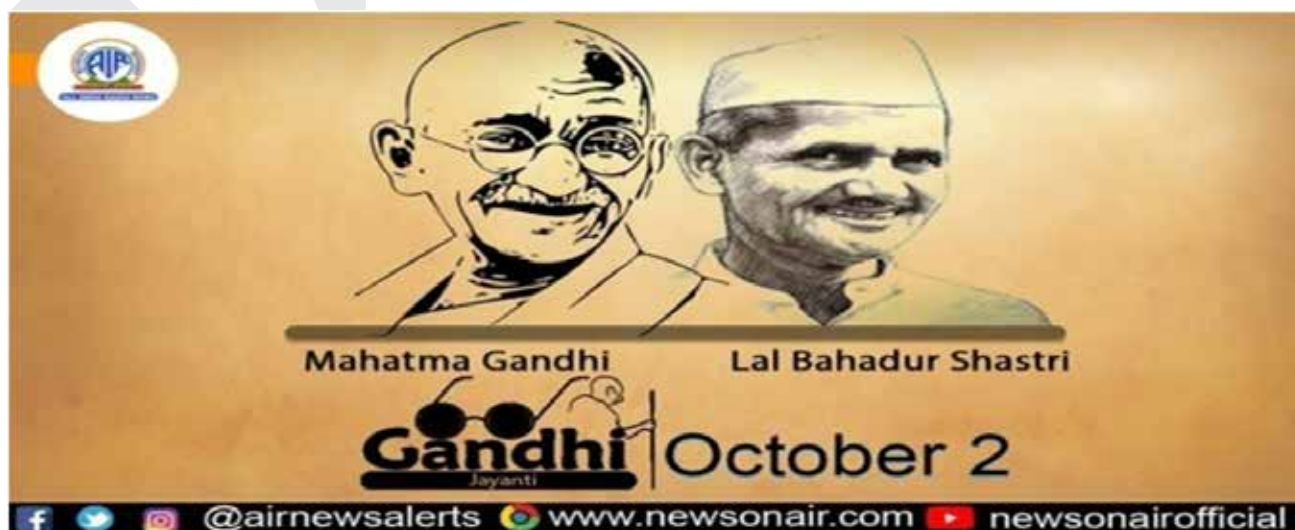
Ground-level positive and inspiring stories were collected from RNUs for use in forthcoming episodes of *Mann Ki Baat*.

With an aim to get feedback from listeners, NSD: Akashvani conducted surveys on Mann ki Baat episodes. It conducted the surveys with the help of RNUs, Reference & PP&D Unit and Reporting Unit at the Headquarters. Data analysis was done by Reference and PP&D Unit.

xii. Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi & Swachh Bharat Diwas

Wide coverage was given to the 153rd Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi and Swachh Bharat Diwas in bulletins at NSD Headquarters and RNUs.

Prasar Bharati, CEO Mayank Kumar Agrawal, Akashvani, Director General News Dr. Vasudha Gupta, ADG (News) Dr. Atul Kumar Tiwary and other officials participating in the cleanliness drive as part of Swachh Bharat Diwas on 2nd October, 2022.





xiii. Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat

NSD: Akashvani, its RNUs and social media platforms gave coverage to activities and events related to Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (EBSB). Stories pertaining to culture, tradition, art, cuisine, heritage and tourism were carried in bulletins and news-magazine programmes both at the NSD Headquarters and RNUs.

xiv. KASHI TAMIL SANGAMAM

The Government of India held a month-long KASHI TAMIL SANGAMAM in Varanasi, with an objective to rediscover and strengthen the centuries-old connect between the two ancient knowledge centres of the country and strengthen the Prime Minister's vision of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat. NSD: Akashvani and its RNUs covered the event extensively, with ground reports from Lucknow and Chennai carried in bulletins and news-based programmes.



xv. IFFI 2022

Akashvani NEWS accorded wide coverage to IFFI, 2022 held from November 20 to November 28, 2022 in Panaji, Goa. Ground reports from Akashvanicorrespondent deputed for coverage of the cinematic extravaganza were broadcast in bulletins and news magazine programmes as well as amplified through social media platforms. Special talk shows were also organised on the event.



xvi. Important Visits and Meetings

Extensive coverage was given to the live events of the Hon'ble President, the Vice President and the Prime Minister.

President Shri Ram Nath Kovind visited Turkmenistan, the Netherlands, Jamaica, St. Vincent and Grenadines. President Droupadi Murmu visited London to attend the State Funeral of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. Vice President Jagdeep Dhankhar visited Cambodia to participate in the ASEAN-India Commemorative Summit and the 17th East Asia Summit. He also visited Qatar to attend the Opening Ceremony of FIFA World Cup 2022.

Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi participated in several high profile meetings crucial for India's foreign relations, including G7 Summit in Germany and G20 Summit in Bali, Indonesia. The Prime Minister also paid official visits to France, Denmark, Japan, Nepal and the U.A.E. These visits were covered by Akashvani News.

xvii. G20, COP27 and International Year of Millets

NSD: Akashvani accorded a special coverage to the Prime Minister's address at the G20 Summit in Bali, and the COP27 Summit in Sharm-el-Sheikh. India assuming Presidency of the G20 and various G20 meetings in different parts of the country were covered in news bulletins, news based programmes and in social media. Coverage was also given as part of International Year of millets.



xviii. SAMVIDHAN DIVAS

NSD: Akashvani and its RNUs covered events and activities related to the Constitution Day/Samvidhan Diwas in all their bulletins and news-based programmes. Special discussions on constitutional values and fundamental principles were also organized. Besides, the staff both at the Headquarters and RNUs read the preamble to the Constitution, and were also administered the Swachhta Pledge.



xix. Republic Day

NSD: Akashvani and its RNUs gave wide coverage to the 74th Republic Day celebration in its news bulletins, news-based programmes and social media.

xx. Special Activities

• Welfare Activities

ICC to redress grievances of women employees exists in NSD, and there are no cases pending. A separate rest room for women employees has been earmarked. Guidelines issued by the government for welfare of SCs, STs, OBCs and minorities are being followed strictly.

• WORKSHOPS/ Training

- PTC workshops were conducted by dg (news) at RNU Shimla and RNU Ahmedabad in wake of Assembly Elections in the first Week of October 2022.
- A workshop on gender sensitization and awareness on the provisions of “The Sexual Harassment of women at workplace (prevention, prohibition and redressal) Act 2013” was organised on 7th December, 2022.
- A two-day training programme for NF editors and production assistants was held on January 27-28, 2023.
- Training on the Audio Production was given to the Editors and Production Assistants by PBSC-Dubai, D.V.Vinod Kumar on 27th Jan 2023



PBSC-Dubai, D.V.Vinod Kumar giving training to Editors and Production Assistants

- An interactive open session was organised on 09.03.2023 on the occasion of International Women's Day to find problems being faced by women staff of NSD AIR and invite suggestions.
- A workshop was organised to provide training on how to use e-office with screen readers for visually impaired officers on 15.03.2023. Officers with visual impairment working at NSD AIR, DD News and PIB attended the workshop.

• AWARD

- News Services Division, Akashvani was conferred with National Media Award for its outstanding campaign for voters' awareness and education by Election Commission of India.

G. SALES INFRASTRUCTURE OF AKASHVANI:

The Sales infrastructure of the AIR comprises of the sales Division (erstwhile CRDs), Sales Centres (erstwhile CBS Centres) and the CBU (erstwhile CSU). The Four Sales Division are situated at Delhi, Mumbai, Bengaluru and Kolkata. The Sales Center, Delhi is part of the Sales Division, Delhi. The Central Billing Unit (erstwhile CSU) is situated at Mumbai. CBU/CSU is primarily responsible for the execution and billing of the pan India campaigns of the AIR. In addition to the above it also maintains all the records pertaining to the Registered and Accredited Agencies. The Pan India Sales Center Network of AIR is as follows:

S.No.	Headed by SC Under zone	SC Under Zone
1	ADG (Content Ops) North zone	1. SC Jaipur 2. SC Chandigarh 3. SC Srinagar 4. SC Kanpur
2	ADG(Content Ops)West zone	1. SC Mumbai 2. SC Bhopal 3. SC Ahmedabad
3	ADG (Content Ops) South zone	1. Chennai 2. Trivandrum 3. Bengaluru 4. Hyderabad
4	ADG(Content Ops) East zone	1. Kolkata 2. Patna 3. Cuttack

Government Departments, Corporate Firms and the PSUs are the client of AIR. They utilize the AIR platform the Promotion of their Product, Services and in case of Government Departments for creating public awareness on the social issues and for information about the various schemes.

“Kisan Vani” and “Kisan Ki Baat” are the two major programmes funded by the Ministry of Agriculture and family Welfare, Which are produced by the AIR and broadcast over its pan India Network. Numerous other sponsored programmes are also carried over the AIR Network which contributes significantly to the Revenue.

Overall revenue targets and the revenue generated by the network of AIR in past four years are summarized in table below:-

AIR NET REVENUE FROM LAST THREE FINANCIAL YEARS						
S.No	F.Y.	Target	Revenue		Total Revenue	
			Government	Non Government	Amount ₹	Achievement in %
1	2019-20	6000000000	2039902286	1012390604	3052292890	50%
2	2020-21	3320200000	1463216307	595508097	2058724404	61%
3	2021-22	3210000000	1610096982	707931712	2318028694	71%
4	2022-23	2650000000	1302829445	773016016	2075845461	78%

H. AUDIENCE RESEARCH WING:

With the changing mass communication scenario, Audience Research has occupied the Centre stage. World over, almost all the big media organizations have been doing in-house audience research in one form or the other or ‘Market Research’ in marketing parlance as no media organization can afford to put their scarce resource at stake without knowing the potential audience (consumers) and market for their media content. Besides, they are also subscribing to syndicated research done by the various media and market research organizations. The secret behind the success of private TV and Radio channels lies in their capability to feel the pulse of audience through continuous audience research and to design and modify the programme content including presentation accordingly.

Akashvani has been the pioneer in this field. It has a wide network of Audience Research Units across the country operational since 1946. It provides programme feedback to programme producers to plan, design, and modify the programmes according to the need, tastes, and aspiration of the target audience. Apart from this, programme ratings/ listenership data are provided to sponsors, advertisers, and marketers to fulfill their commercial objectives. Audience Research Unit also functions as data bank and reference section for the organization. Akashvani has been the pioneer in this field. It has a wide network of Audience Research Units across the country operational since 1946. It provides programme feedback to programme producers to plan, design, and modify the programmes according to the needs, tastes, and aspiration of the target audience. Apart from this, programme ratings/ listenership data are provided to sponsors, advertisers, and marketers to fulfill their commercial objectives. Audience Research Unit also functions as data bank and reference section for the organization.

During the year 2022-23 from 1st April, 2022 to 31st March, 2023 the following audience research activities/studies were carried out:

- Compilation of material related to Akashvani (AIR) for the Annual Report of Prasar Bharati-2021-22.



- b) Compilation of material related to AIR for India Year Book-2023 to be published by Ministry of Information and Broadcasting.
- c) Compilation of material related to AIR for the Annual Report of Ministry of Information and Broadcasting-2022-23.
- d) Telephonic Feedback Survey on Jagannath Puri rath Yatra, Akashvani, Cuttack-2022.
- e) Radio Audience Survey on FM Channels & Vividh Bharati channel of AIR Delhi.
- f) Radio Audience Survey on FM Channels & Vividh Bharati channel of AIR Imphal.
- g) Telephonic general listening survey of AIR Panaji, Oct-2022.
- h) Telephonic Feedback Survey on Matdata Junction presently carried out at various places.

I. WELFARE SECTION:

Welfare section of DG: Akashvani deals with activities and administrative responsibilities ensuring the overall well-being of the department's employees so that they remain motivated and productive.

The notable and remarkable activities taken up by this section from the past year are as follows:

- 1). **Implementation of Prasar Bharati Health Scheme (PBHS) :** In order to ensure proper health facilities for PB employees in accordance to PBHS, efforts were made to empanel more and more Hospitals and Diagnostic centers in New Delhi under the Scheme. Accordingly, Hospitals were approached and MoUs were signed. Till now, 23 Hospitals/diagnostic centers have been empaneled.
- 2). **Printing and issuing of PBHS plastic cards:** This section designs and prints plastic cards for PBHS beneficiaries ensuring that the beneficiaries experience a hassle free treatment in the Hospitals.
- 3). **Organizing Free Health Checkup Camps:** Free health checkup camps from various hospitals are initiated and organized periodically in Akashvani Bhawan by this section. They are as under:

S.No	F.Y.	Target
1	20.07.2022	Free Eye Checkup Camp and Educational Talk- Sharp Sight Centre (Eye Hospital)
2	02.09.2022	Free Health Checkup Camp- Venkateshwar Hospital.
3	29.09.2022	Free Dental and Eye Checkup Camp- The Caring Touch.
4	22.11.2022	Ayurveda Health Camp- Peoples Foundation
5	01.03.2023	Free Cancer Check-up

- 4). **Opening up of Gymnasium:** A gymnasium has been opened for the employees of DG: Akashvani New Delhi to maintain a healthy lifestyle by providing them with easy access to physical activity during the workday improving employee morale and productivity by reducing stress and increasing energy levels.
- 5). **Sexual Harassment Cases:** This section also deals with Sexual Harassment matters from all Akashvani stations and are disposed off in accordance with the Sexual Harassment Act, 2013.
- 6). **Organizing farewell ceremony for the superannuating employees of DG: AIR:** We organize a farewell ceremony to honor and celebrate the employee's contributions and service to the Organization every month.

7). Miscellaneous Events:

S.No	Date	Events/Activities
1.	01.03.2023 to 06.03.2023	International Womens Day/Week
2.	22.06.2022	Retail Loan Campaign.

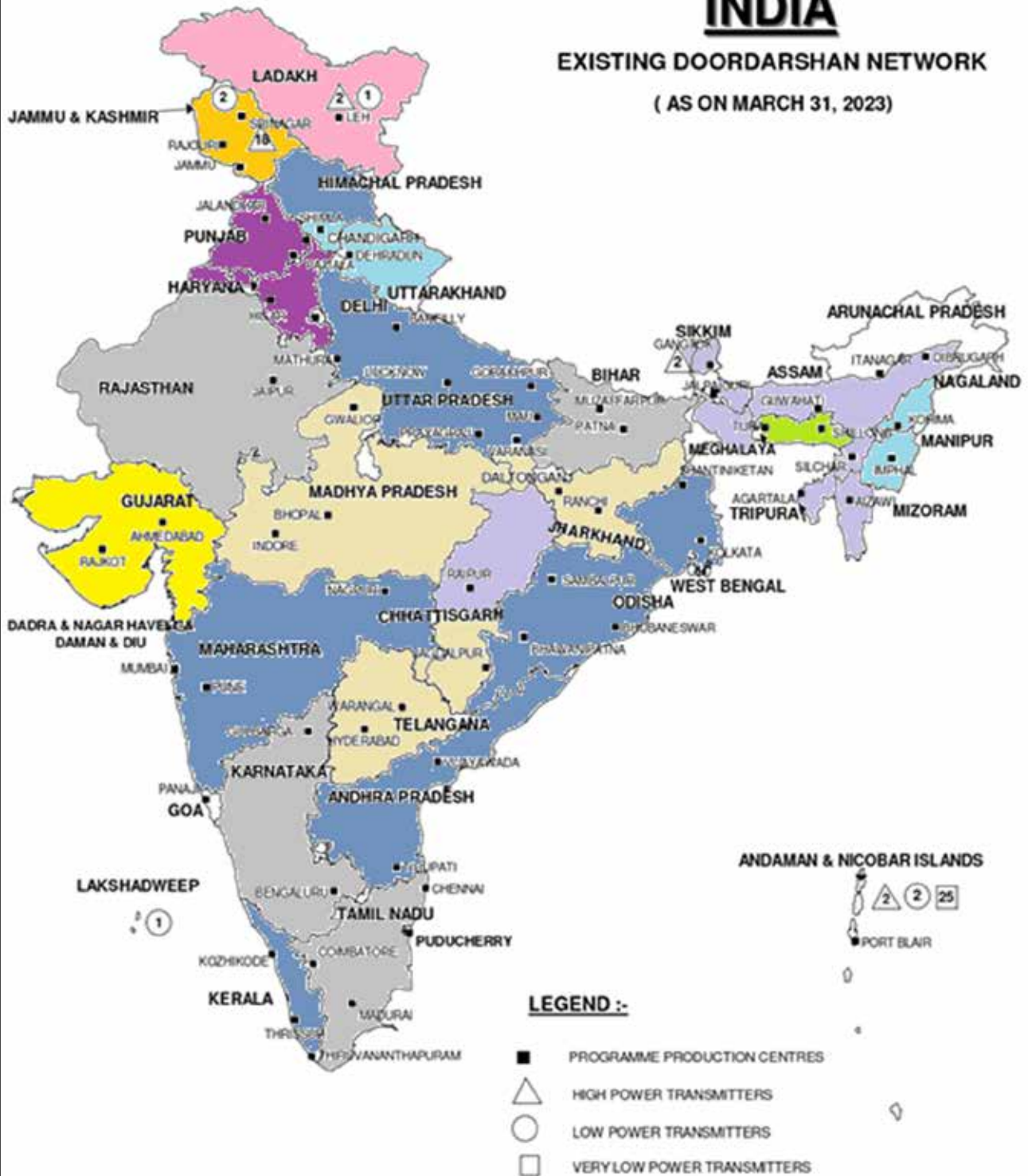




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DOORDARSHAN

EXISTING DOORDARSHAN NETWORK
(AS ON MARCH 31, 2023)



DOORDARSHAN - FACTS AT A GLANCE

Existing Doordarshan Network: Doordarshan: Facts at a Glance (as on 31.03.2022)

Item	Nos.
Satellite Channels	
National/International	08
Regional Language Satellite Services Channels (RLSSs) and State Network Channels	28
Total	36
Studio Centres	
Major Studio Centres	23
Other Studio Centres	43
Total	66

No. of Transmitters (as on 31.03.2023)

	Primary Channel	News Channel (DD News)	DD 1 Regional Transmitters	DTT
HPTs	04	10	10	00
LPTs	03	01	02	00
VLPTs	19	06	00	00
TRP	00	00	00	00
Total(55)	26	17	12	00



DOORDARSHAN

A. Introduction

From an experimental service at Delhi in September 1959, Doordarshan over the years has grown to become one of the leading TV organizations of the world. Doordarshan has a vast network of 66 Studio centres and 55 terrestrial transmitters of varying power spread across the length & breadth of the country. In addition, Doordarshan is providing free-to-air DTH service. For catering to the need of in-house Programme production, there are 66 Studio centres in the country. These include 23 major Studio centres at state capitals, and 43 other Studio centres located at various places in the country. State-wise list of Studio centres is given at **Annexure-I**.

As part of 11th & 12th Plan projects, 23 DTT Transmitters were set up at 19 locations in different parts of the country. In view of very low viewership of DTTs and availability of “DD FreeDish”, all the 23 DTTs have been switched off w.e.f. 31.10.2022. An Inter Disciplinary Committee (IDC) was set up in 2017 to review the continuation of Analog Terrestrial Transmitters. As per recommendation of IDC and approval of Prasar Bharati Board, the obsolete ATTs have been phased out except 55 transmitters located at strategic locations. State-wise no. of transmitters is given at **Annexure II**.

For satellite communication, Doordarshan has adopted DVB-S and DVB-S2 standards with MPEG-2 and MPEG-4 compression technologies. Doordarshan is presently operating 36 Satellite channels. Details are given at **Annexure III**. Similarly details of Doordarshan (Creation of Capital Assets) Annual Plan 2022-23 is given at **Annexure VI**.

B. Organizational Structure

Doordarshan is headed by a Director General who is assisted by Additional Director Generals in Programme, Administration and Finance Wings; and an Engineer-in-Chief in the Engineering Wing. News Wing is headed by a Director General (News).

Director General, Doordarshan, is responsible for policy formulation, planning and development, infrastructure and technology up gradation, budgetary planning and control, human resource management; overseeing operations and maintenance activities, etc.

C. Present Technical Infrastructure:

Major Technological Upgradations

Presently Doordarshan Network comprises of 66 Studio Centres, 55 terrestrial Transmitters spread across length and breadth of the country and 2 DTH Uplink Earth Stations (Ku Band DTH Earth Station at Todapur, Delhi & C Band DTH Earth Station at Pitampura, Delhi).

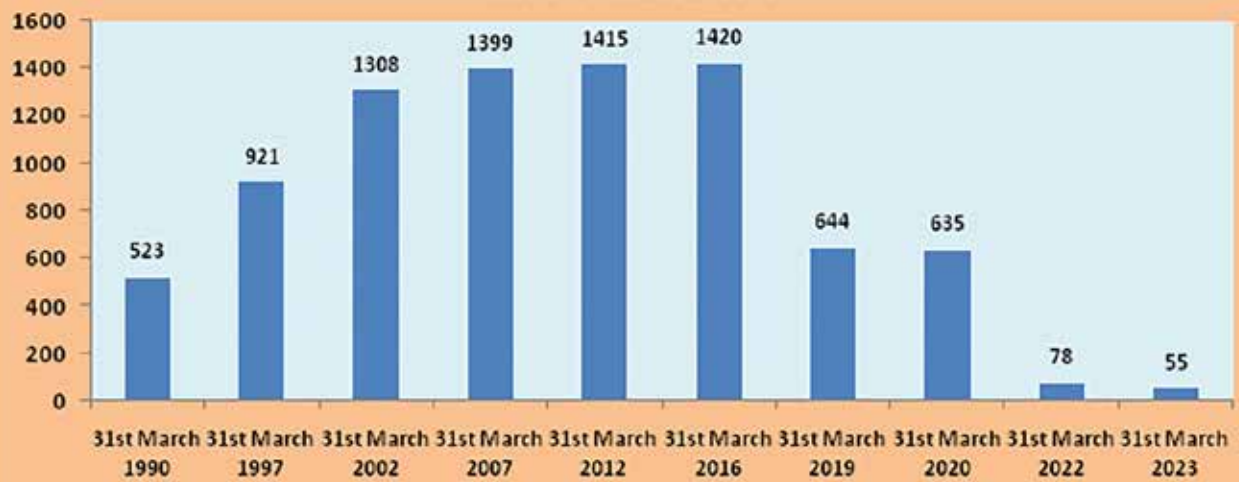


Growth of Doordarshan Kendra



Growth of Doordarshan Transmitters

No. of Transmitters



D. Significant developmental activities during this year are:

- a) Modernization of Earth stations at Bhubaneswar, Jammu & Jalandhar to make them HD compliant & Spectrum efficient and migration of all the services of existing Earth station to upgraded Earth station with old PDA.
- b) SITC of Multi Camera Mobile Production facility (EFP Van) at DDK Dehradun completed. The High definition Multi-camera Mobile Production Facility (EFP Van) facilitates enhancement in Production quality of OB Programmes including VIP coverages / live telecast / recordings.
- c) 2 M/E (Mix Effects) High Definition Digital production switchers provided to 4 locations (Mumbai, Kolkatta, Raipur and Lucknow) for production of programs in HD quality.
- d) Mojo Kits (20 Nos.), NLEs & Desktops have been provided to RNUs/ DDKs.
- e) Under “Broadcasting on Alternate Platform” Content Delivery Network has been provided.
- f) Integrated News production facility including Script News automation system & Infrastructure for 24 X 7 operation i/c installation of NRCS and Misc Equipments for DDK Shimla. This has augmented technical facilities at DDK Shimla.
- g) Provision of Automated News Production System at News HQ, Delhi for efficient & seamless news production.
- h) End-to End File based Workflow facility at Hyderabad. It facilitates seamless transmission/ recording without need of physical media.

Following Projects are under various stages of implementation:

- a) Modernization of Earth stations at Kolkata & Lucknow to make them HD compliant & Spectrum efficient.
- b) Setting up of 5 KW Digital Ready UHF Analog TV Transmitters (2 Nos.) at Rajouri (J&K) for better terrestrial coverage in border areas. Transmitters have been installed.
- c) Digital Ready Analog HPTs (10 KW), one each at Patnitop & Green Ridge (J&K), have been installed for better terrestrial coverage in border areas.
- d) SITC of Uplink Antenna System at 7 locations (Kolkata, Lucknow, Ahmedabad, Chennai, Thiruvananthapuram and Chandigarh) for better efficiency & reliability. Out of 7 locations, SITC completed at Lucknow, Bhubaneswar & Ahmedabad and existing Earth Station services migrated to new Uplink Antenna System.
- e) Distribution of DTH receive sets (8,70,000 nos.) in Remote, Tribal, LWE & Border areas, to bring people residing in these areas within the reach of digital age which predominantly remain cut off from quality information.
- f) LED Video wall for DDKs/RNUs. The video wall provides vast improvement in look and feel of the set and overall production quality.
- g) Upgradation of Earth Station Pitampura (C-Band) from 10 channels to 14 channels for better efficiency and reliability.

E. Free-to-air DTH “DD Free Dish”

Presently free-to-air DTH Service of Prasar Bharati “DD FreeDish” is carrying more than 160 TV channels including 51 educational channels being run by BISAG Gandhinagar, free of cost without any monthly subscription. Details of DD Free Dish is given at **Annexure-IV**



DD Free Dish DTH Platform has been using MPEG-2 DVB-S & MPEG-4 DVB-S2 Technology. Approval has been given to procure 1.2 Lakh FTA DTH, non-CAS, non-RPD Receive sets (with STBs) with the provision of app based/ call based/ SMS based authorization and activation facility. According to market estimates there are more than 40 million households with set top boxes capable of receiving DD Free Dish DTH channels. Details are available on the website www.doordarshan.gov.in and www.prasarbharati.gov.in.

F. Digitalization of Terrestrial Transmission

Prasar Bharati is currently exploring options based on Next Gen broadcasting techniques for seamless mobile reception. NGB will support both mobile as well as fixed TV reception. NGB can be viewed as a new Content Delivery Network (CDN) which aims at the convergence of broadcast and broadband networks. In view of the position as detailed above, Next Generation Broadcast Technology is to be finalized for DTM before expansion of the DTT service of Doordarshan. Accordingly, Prasar Bharati has entered into an Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with IIT Kanpur to develop Next Generation Broadcast solution/roadmap for Digital Terrestrial Broadcasting consistent with emerging standards such as 5G Broadcast.

Sanction for the Proof of Concept (PoC) of Next Gen Broadcasting has also been conveyed to IIT Kanpur. The PoC of Next Generation Broadcasting model is under process. Evaluation of this PoC will pave the way for selection of appropriate Next Generation Broadcast Technology and roadmap for digital broadcasting.

G. High Definition TV (HDTV)

As part of 12th Plan schemes, Multi Camera Studio Production facilities in HDTV format has been setup at CPC, Delhi. Multi Camera Mobile Production facility in HDTV format has been provided at Delhi. HDTV Uplinking facility is available at DDK, Delhi.

Three HD Channels i.e. DD National HD, DD News HD & DD India HD are available in satellite mode, while DD National HD & DD News HD are available on DD DTH Platform.

As part of 3 Year (2017-20) Extension Scheme of Doordarshan, upgradation of Studio centre from SD to HD has been completed at DDK Delhi, DD News & CPC Delhi for migration of all 7 Channels originating from Delhi.

Broadcast Infrastructure and Network Development Scheme 2021-26:

MIB has approved the continuation of the Central Sector Scheme “Broadcast Infrastructure and Network Development” for the period 2021-2026 at a total cost of Rs. 2539.61 crore.

H. Coverage of Important Events

Around 187 important events have been covered Live by Doordarshan during April, 2022 to March, 2023 by using OB/ EFP Vans. Major events covered live by Doordarshan are given at **Annexure-V**.

I. National/ International Channels



DD National

DD National, the prime and flagship channel of the Nation's Public Service Broadcaster, provides a healthy mix of entertainment, information and education.

DD National Channel in its major share get telecast programmes on different categories and subjects like programmes for children, youth, women, current affairs, sports, comedies, science, science fiction, family dramas, suspense serials, mythological serials, film based programmes including countdown shows, chat shows, game shows, quiz programmes, musical programmes, live events of National importance, reality shows and other entertainment/ Infotainment programmes.

DD National has covered various events from different parts of the country, especially those highlighting the government's flagship programmes with live broadcasts. Besides these, DD National also telecast events of national importance such as the programme and events marking Republic Day and Independence Day, programmes on anniversaries of important personalities like - Swami Vivekananda, Baba Saheb Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, Sardar Patel, Pt. Deendayal Upadhyay, Nanaji Deshmukh, vigilance awareness Rashtriya Ekta Diwas etc; during the period. DD across its network has mounted special campaigns on Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav to commemorate 75 years of India's independence.

DD National has not only revamped its look and feel but has changed its logo along with infusing very interesting new programming. 10 new programmes have been introduced with a total of 6 and 1/2 hours of new programming.

Content Sourcing

Significant activities taken by Content Sourcing Division which during 2022-23 till date are as under:

Commissioning of programme Swaraj: A special project of 75 episodes entitled "Swaraj" on Unsung Heroes of India's freedom struggle to commemorate 75 years of India's Independence has been commissioned on the eve of Independence Day i.e. 14.08.2022.

Commissioning of other Programmes: Prasar Bharati Board has approved the commissioning of following four programmes: Jai Bharti, Avantika, Jahan Chand Rehta hain & Tu Hi Laxmi Tu Hi Shakti.

Programmes acquired under Revenue Share Model: Porus, Shri Krishana & Ye Dil Mange More. To commemorate Birth anniversary of Mohan Das Karam Chand Gandhi (Father of the Nation) patriotic film titled "Gandhi to Hitler" was telecast on DD National Network on 2nd October, 2022.

Agreement signed with the production houses for production (commissioning) of following serials

- i. Avantika
- ii. Jahan Chand Rehta Hai
- iii. Janaki



A comprehensive 'Content Procurement Policy -2023' formulated and notified on 06.02.2023. This content procurement policy defines guidelines, processes and framework to be followed for procurement of content including films under various procurement models for all the Prasar Bharati Platforms.



DD News

Doordarshan News was launched as a separate channel on 3rd November, 2003. Its satellite footprint is available across the country. DD News set-up, from its headquarters at Delhi is currently producing news content primarily in Hindi and English. Bulletins in Sanskrit language and for Hearing Impaired are also telecast on this channel.

DD News also makes bulletins for DD Urdu, DD Kisan and the regional GEC channels of DD Network in the States. Besides this, DD News has 31 Regional News Units, which produce bulletins in regional languages which are telecast from the respective Regional Kendras.

Technical Infrastructure (DD News & DD India)

The 24 x7 DD News & DD India channels have their national newsroom and four studios in Delhi. The newsroom works round the clock. Newsroom operations have been upgraded with the state of the art ENPS Automation System and Quantel Servers & Gross Valley Servers having non-linear video edit features at the Editors' Desks.

Regional News Units (RNUs):

DD News has a set up of 31 Regional News Units (RNU) across the country. The RNUs now telecast 147 News Bulletins, besides Graphic Headlines and Current Affairs programmes in 22 languages/dialects with a combined telecast time (News and current affairs) of more than 54 hours per day.

Achievements of DD News

The noteworthy achievements of DD News in FY 2022-2023 are summarised below:

DD News Conclaves, DD Conclaves on Assembly Elections, Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' and Iconic Week celebrations-

- i) Azadi Ka Safar and Saga of Freedom
- ii) Jan Ki Baat, Jan Pratinidhi Ke Saath
- iii) Har Ghar Tiranga

Special series, 'DD Dastavez', which showcases the rich archival material available with Doordarshan, International Day of Yoga, Sewa Samarpan Ke 21 years, International Women's Day, Operation Ganga and Ukraine-Russia crisis, Shri Amarnathji Yatra, Agnipath Scheme, Rashtriya Poshan Maah, Cheetah Projects in India with special live coverages and special programmes, Kashi Tamil Sangamam, G-20 Summit, Startup Champions 2.0, Cabinet Ke Bade Faisle, and IFFI Ke Rang Cinema Ke Sang ,Mann ki Baat:

Budget 2023-24

Post budget-DD Dialogue: #Amritkal Budget- DD news organized three conclaves on Union Budget 2023 in New Delhi, Hyderabad and Mumbai to highlight the announcement and vision of Budget 2023.

Election coverage-

DD News covered all the activities related to election bound States Himachal Pradesh, Gujarat, Tripura, Meghalaya and Nagaland. Special live Programme 'Janadesh' was telecast on polling and Counting day with live ground reports

DD Dialogue - DD News organised 03 DD dialogues in February 2023 on Assembly elections in Agartala, Shillong and Kohima.

Kashi Tamil Sangamam-

Doordarshan News Network extensively covered the month long event "Kashi Tamil Sangamam2022".

G-20 Summit

Doordarshan News Network has been telecasting all the major events related to G20 Presidency of India, following events covered so far

Year Enders- DD News mounted series of Year Ender programmes under the title 'Yaden 22' on various subjects.

Special programmes:

Good Governance Day, Golden Globe Awards, Digital Currency, Monetary Policy of RBI, Crypto Currencies, India-Russia Relations, FIFA World Cup 2022, Documentary on Ram Mandir Ayodhya and Special Conversation With Justice Arun Mishra, Chairperson of NHRC were telecast. A special programme on Jawans at the LoC- A Day with the Jawans at the "Line of Control", Voice of Global South Summit, Inauguration of Siyom Bridge in Arunachal Pradesh, Supreme Court's decision on demonetization, Crisis in Pakistan, Rescue in Joshimath area, Pravasi Bharatiya Divas sammelan, Khelo India Youth Games 2023, Armed Forces Veterans' Day, Election Reforms, Pradhan Mantri Rashtriya Bal Puraskar 2023 and National Girl Child Day. Special interview of Arvind Panagariya, Former Vice-Chairman of the NITI Ayog and Dilip Sanghani, President National Cooperative Union of India and IFFCO were telecast.

Karnataka Election, YogMahotsav 2023, Oscar Awards, Double Standard of BBC, Pakistan Economic Crisis, Integrated Ombudsman Scheme 2021, Precautions for Heat wave, Rising power of Rupees, India-Bangladesh Friendship Pipeline, India – Australia Relations, Special documentary on Construction of Ram Mandir in Ayodhya, International Book Fair, New Trade Policy, Budget of Jammu and Kashmir, Jan Aushadhi Diwas and Special Interview of Hon'ble LG of Jammu and Kashmir Manoj Sinha.

News lens- Kartavya Path, Pravasi Bharatiya Divas Sammelan, Khelo India Youth Games2023, Armed Forces Veterans' Day, Election Reforms, Pradhan Mantri Rashtriya Bal Puraskar 2023 and National Girl Child Day. Special interview of Arvind Panagariya, former vice-chairman of the NITI Ayog and Dilip Sanghani, President National Cooperative Union of India and IFFCO were telecast.



Operation Dost- The assistance provided by India to Turkiye and Syria was covered exhaustively through news reports and programmes.

Korean Buddhist Monks Visit -

Tracing the Lord Buddha's footsteps and life journey in India, a group of 108 Buddhist monks from South Korea have been walking over 1,100 kilometers from February 9 to March 23.

DD news network extensively covered all the updates of the journey with Pilgrim's Interviews, Ground reports, Special voice over packages.



DD India channel carries English content with a special focus on international coverage. Special programmes on the channel include those on health, youth, cinema, art & culture, flagship schemes of the Government, policy initiatives, International Events, market developments and programmes on social issues.

Achievements of DD India

- DD India is covering diverse spectrum of news & current affairs, foreign affairs, entertainment and sports based programs.
- Major Programmes of DD India are as follows:
- World Today, News Connect, Global Scan, In Conversation, Sports Buzz, Sports 360, The Amazing North East Dairies,

Sports Events

DD India covered all major sports activities with special programmes on Tokyo Olympic, Euro Cup- T20 World Cup Cricket, 36st National Games CWG 2022, FIFA 2022.

Special Coverages- DD India also extensively covered:

- Constitution day, National Unity Day, Agnipath scheme, Shri Amarnathji Yatra,
- Cannes Film Festival, Dubai Expo@2020, International Women's Day,
- Global initiative 'Lifestyle for the Environment- LiFE Movement,
- Ukraine – Russia War, Operation Ganga, Eight Years of Modi Government,
- India's Participation In 48th G7 Summit, India @ Dubai Expo 2020,
- 14th India -Japan Annual Summit, Hon'ble Prime Minister's 'Mann ki Baat,
- Special Programme on Oscars 2022, Khelo India Youth Games, International Film Festival of India-2022

MODI@20 Dreams Meet Delivery - Special Series of Programmes focussing on 20 years of Governance of Prime Minister Modi.

Minister for External Affairs Dr. S Jaishankar at University Connect Programme, G20 India interacts with students of 75 universities from all across the country, Cultural Programme on Day 3 of 1st Sherpa Meeting of India's G20 Presidency in Udaipur, India's G20 Sherpa address at G20 India's Development Working Group Meet, Press Briefing by Ministry of Finance, Secretary, Ajay Seth on G20 presidency in Bengaluru, EAM's Statement at UNSC Briefing: Global Counter-Terrorism Approach: Challenges and Way Forward, MEA Weekly Media Briefing.

YEAR ENDER PROGRAMMES

"Looking back at the economy in 2022", "First Time in India | The Year in review", "Rewind 2022 Express", "Images 2022|India's Global Outreach", "Global Scan Rewind 2022: Stories & Developments that Transformed the World in 2022", "Sports@2022 | National Games, Khelo India Youth Games, Commonwealth Games", "Images 2022 | 22 Feats of 2022", Images 2022| The year that was", "2023 A year of New Hopes, Energy and Aspirations".

A special Documentary "Saga of the indomitable Lion the greatest General of Assam" was made on great Ahom commander, Lachit Barphukan. Another special documentary "A Day in the Life of a Soldier on LoC" was made on the life of soldiers.

DD News and DD India are available on various platforms:-

- Satellite
- DTH
- Mobile app
- Social Media platform-You tube, facebook, twitter
- DD News website-<http://ddnews.gov.in>

The English Twitter handle of DD News @DDNewsLive was launched in January, 2013 and is being followed by more than 3 Million(3,677,674) people. Another Twitter handle in Hindi language @DDNewsHindi was started in January, 2014 and the number of followers are over 1 Million (1,164,218).

Similarly, Facebook Page of DD News is being liked by almost 20 lakh people while almost 2,342,699 people are following the FB page.

The DD News's Instagram account can be accessed through - https://www.instagram.com/ddnews_official/. The handle has over 97,500 followers with over 3075 posts. The Newly launched Public app has around 1000 followers. The handle can be accessed through @ddnewsdigital.

A dedicated YouTube Channel <http://www.youtube.com/ddnews> was launched in February, 2013. Presently the YouTube channel of DD News has over 4,704,164 subscribers.

Besides TV, DD News can be accessed through the following means:

- Website
- Mobileapp
- YouTube channel
- NIC's live cast channel: <http://webcast.gov.in>

DD India Facebook page has 18062 followers. The English Twitter handle of DD India @DD



IndiaLive was launched in January, 2016, which became fully functional in 2019, is being followed by more than 88,969 people. A dedicated YouTube Channel <http://www.youtube.com/ddindia> was launched recently. Presently the YouTube channel of DD India has over 3,10,650 subscribers. DD India's Instagram account- <https://www.instagram.com/ddindialive/> was launched in September 2019 and has over 47,800 followers with over 2258 posts.

DD India, besides as a television channel, can be accessed through the following means:

- a. Twitter (periscope)
- b. YouTube Channel



Prime Minister flagged-off Chennai-Mysuru Vande Bharat Express.



DD Bharati

DD Bharati channel is dedicated to the art and culture of India. Since its launch in January 2002, the channel has become an on-air repository of India's cultural heritage. The channel is promoting and preserving the history, heritage and the modern culture from its rich collections of Indian classical and folk music and dance forms, arts-crafts, theatre, Indian architecture, biographies of eminent personalities from various fields along with different aspects of science & technology.

DD Bharati telecasts more than 70 live coverage of cultural events of national & international repute every year and 19 in-house special programmes on known artists and festivals.

Recently DD Bharati has created an innovative content on classical music through shows like "My Favourite Raga" and "Maestros Melodies" involving the maestros of classical music.

DD Bharati has started learning series on Indian Classical Dances and Musical Instruments which has a good response.

DD Bharati had telecast some important live coverage under Cash out Flow Programme of national importance besides sponsored programmes.

DD Bharati also is focusing more on the cultural happenings around the country and in this series has aired Luv-Kush Ramleela with very encouraging response where the viewership of the channel jumped 278% in the week 39 in 2022.



Cultural programme on the eve of New year,2023



DD Urdu

DD Urdu was launched on August 15, 2006 as Doordarshan's Urdu Channel with eight hours daily transmission. Later on, the channel became 24x7 with effect from 14th November 2007. Conceived as a heritage channel to catalyse the preservation and promotion of the great cultural heritage and literary aspect of this rich language, DD Urdu Channel is one of the most viewed Urdu Channel in the country. The channel broadcasts multiple News Bulletins in Urdu through the day.

DD Urdu started 7 new programmes on subjects like Urdu Poetry and Poets, health, entertainment, women, employment and information. These are Kavi Hazir Hai, Hello Doctor, Sitaron Ke Jahan Se, Kuch Lamhe Fursat Ke, Rozgaar Se Kamyabi Tak, Sher-O-Sukhan and Jankari Se Kamyabi Tak, Sitaron Ke Jahan Se, Guftagoo- Apna Mulk Apna Aaen, Khawab Hamare Tabeer Bhi Hamari, Yeh hai India,, Duniya Mere Aage, Paisa Bolta Hai, Kavi Hazir Hai (KH2)-, Aao Kariem Filmon Ki Baat- Bollywood etc;



DD Sports

The channel in addition to telecasting Live Sports events shared with Doordarshan under the Sports Broadcasting Signals (Mandatory Sharing with Prasar Bharati) Act, 2007, DD Sports also focused on programmes on sports development by engaging with coaches, academies, SAI and sportspersons.

Some of the recent initiatives taken are as under:

- Sports shows like Cricket Live, giving in-depth analysis of the games, were live streamed on digital platforms.
- Special Studio based Sports shows of Akashvani have been live streamed providing enriching experience to the viewers.
- Updates on all international and domestic events have been provided to the masses through twitter handle of DD Sports.
- Archival material has been repackaged for digital platforms and uploaded.
- Recently DD Sports has done many special programmes on Olympics like, Grand Standing “Olympic Aala Re”, India @ Tokyo, Olympics Highlights 2020, Olympics Stat Zone.
- Live streaming of audio and video content from AIR and DD Sports for sports lovers on the digital platforms of YouTube and NewsOnAir app.
- For the first time in India, DD Sports has made accessible digitally live sporting events such as ICC World Cup 2019 and Tokyo Olympics 2020 with Indian Sign Language Interpretation and Audio Commentary through Internet Streaming.
- DD Sports aired some major events and programmes around the events like : a) Winter Olympics b) CWG Games c) T-20 World Cup in Dubai d) U-17 FiFa (Women) e) T-20 World Cup (Women) f) Paralympics g) T-20 World Cup- 2022,

DD Sports did two very major productions in 2022

- 1) Khelo India University Games
- 2) National Games



DD Kisan

Launched on May 26, 2015, DD Kisan is a 24-hour channel exclusively dedicated to the farmers and the agriculture sector. The objective of this channel is to serve the farming and rural community in India and its reach to the remotest parts of the country, to inform and educate the rural populace and work towards creating a holistic environment for sustainable and inclusive growth. It disseminates real-time information on various farming and agriculture issues to farmers on new farming techniques, crop protection, fertilizers, seeds, irrigation and water conservation crop selection, farm mechanization,

agri-business food processing industry, fisheries, Bee farming, poultry, dairying and animal husbandry, horticulture and organic farming among other information. It has been designed to feature everything important to farming -- from water conservation and organic farming to how to get credit through government agriculture programmes. DD Kisan team successfully managed to spread its reach to enhance its viewership by adopting different Social Media Platforms like YouTube, Twitter etc. A majority of the programmes are produced in-house and some are outsourced. An average seven hours of fresh content is produced by Kisan Channel on a daily basis.

The channel has a tie up with IMD, the Indian Agricultural Research Institute, agricultural universities and Krish Vigyan Kendras.

Recently new programmes have been introduced to focus on farmers and rural population. The details are as under: -Naye Bharat Ka Naya Kisan, Sarkar Aapke Saath, Apna Pashucikitsak, Krishi Visesh and Shrestha Sansthan.

Some important Programmes telecast on DD Kisan:

- Budget Gaon Aur Kisan 2023: In the programme the experts explained the nuances of the budget and their impact of the same for farmers.
- Budget Conclave 2023: A special two hours was produced to interpret the budget and its impact on the farmers in a simplified form.
- Special Programmes on International Year of Millets: Multiple programmes and events on millets have been produced highlighting its importance.
- Special Programmes on G 20 Summit: Extensive coverage and special programmes of events across the country on G 20 Summit



DD Retro

Prasar Bharati has started “DD Retro” a GEC channel to showcase iconic and archival content in April, 2020 during the current COVID-19 pandemic. Various iconic content are being aired on this channel to attract the viewers to this channel. The channel is free to air and available on DD Free Dish. It is being run from Central Production centre of Doordarshan at Khelgaon, New Delhi. The channel has been added to Doordarshan DTT Service which is available in 19 cities of India. A majority of the programmes are produced in-house and some are outsourced also.

Old Programmes for DD Kisan, DD Arun Prabha and DD National are being used in this channel. Programmes like Retro Chitrahaar on old songs are being produced for the channel.

Recently Ayodhya Ki Raamleela was aired on the channel and it was widely watched. The channel gained 47% in week 39 and week 40 and its viewership crossed DD National.



J. Regional Language Satellite Channels (24x7)



DD Sahyadri

DD Sahyadri is a 24x7 regional Marathi Channel with terrestrial support from 6 am to 9 am (except Sunday) and 3 pm to 7 pm (All Days). From 1st November, 2022 DTT services (HD & SD) of Doordarshan located in Mumbai has been Switched-off.

DD Sahyadri is a major contributor to Delhi as compared to other RNUs. It extensively provides inputs for national events like Budget, Central Schemes etc. Besides News, it also contribute to DD National programmes like Rangoli, Tarane Purane, Retro Songs, National Programme of Music & Dance etc. Events of L/T of 17th Mumbai International Film Festival 2022 has been covered by the kendra in November, 2022.

This channel is major contributor to DD National programmes like Rangoli, Tarane Purane, Retro Songs, National Programme of Music & Dance etc. and its RNU extensively provides input for national events like Budget, Central Schemes.

Language By Programme Telecast During 1st April'22 To 31st Mar'23 By Dd Sahyadri Is As Follows: Marathi 86.54%, Hindi 11.83% ,Sanskrit 1.12% ,Hindi+English 0.26%, English 0.24% And Urdu 0.01%

New inhouse programmes introduced during 2022-2023:

Maayvatecha Magova, Aksharanchya Vatevar, Banda Rupaiya, Pahili Majhi Ovi Ga, Chimanrao Gundiabhau, Aapla Pune, Global Marathi, And Chala Paryatanala



DD Girnar

DD Girnar started on 01.10.1993 by up linking it from Delhi. However, it was made 24x7 channel from 01.05.2000 and became a Brand Identity from 02.10.2007.

Some important programmes telecast during the period are:

Light and Sound Show in Ambaji by CM, Live Telecast of inauguration of All India Judicial Conference of High Courts at Kevadia Colony by Hon'ble President, Live Telecast of inauguration of Madhavpur Ghed Fair- 2022 by Hon'ble President, Live From Dahod Hon'ble PM visit to Adivasi

Maha Sammelan in Dahod, Vadnagar (Historic Place Of Gujarat), Sarkhej Roza (Heritage place of Ahmedabad), Patang Mahotsav (International Kite festival), Live Telecast Of 145th Rath Yatra Of Lord Jagannath from Ahmedabad, live telecast of Janmashtami Mahotsav from Devbhumi Dwarka, Special Programmes on Navratri Festival 2021-Maa Taro Garbo Zakamzol”, and Live telecast from Somnath during Mahashivratri.



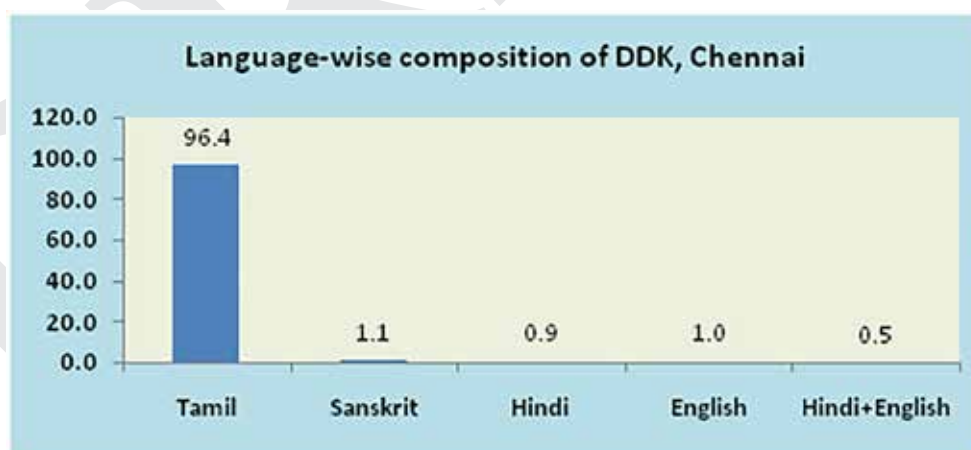
DD Podhigai

DD Podhigai started functioning from 15.1.2001 with round the clock transmission. At present six News bulletins in Regional Language (Tamil) are telecast by the channel. There are 2 PGF centres in Tamil Nadu Viz; Madurai and Coimbatore and one in Puducherry which is also contributing to DD Podhigai. Important programmes contributed by these PGF are:

- Pudhuvai Kalanjiyam (city round up) produced by PGF, Puducherry.
- Hello Coimbatore produced by PGF, Coimbatore
- Mannin Permai produced by PGF Madurai

Some important programmes telecast during the period :

Gita Jayanthi Celebrations, Karthigai Maha Deepam Festival At Thiruvannamalai, Mahashivarathiri Celebrations At Isha Yoga Foundation, Velliyangiri, Coimbatore, Launch Of Pm Mithra Scheme, Short Films – Shakthi And Velicham, Olirum Punnagai, Documentary On Manufacture Of Thanjavur Dancing Dolls By Women Self Help Groups In A Village In Tamil Nadu, Special Programme Pudhiyadhori Ulagam Seivom And Programmes On Yuva Utsav & Yuvasamvaad – India @ 2047 Etc;





DD Yadagiri

A full-fledged transmission facility and with make shift studios was created in the year 1977 and a fully equipped studios was set up in the year 1988. Eventually, the channel became 24X7 from 1st January, 2000. It continued as DD Saptagiri in the undivided state of Andhra Pradesh and up on the creation of Telangana state, the channel was renamed as DD Yadagiri in 2014 to cater to the needs of the newly created state.

This channel is available throughout the country on Doordarshan's free dish. DD Yadagiri, has its own YouTube Channel and Twitter account wherein the content produced are uploaded and publicized. The programmes produced by DD Hyderabad for "DD Yadagiri" are regional in nature.



DD Saptagiri

DD Saptagiri Channel was dedicated to Andhra Pradesh people on 27-09- 2014 and started functioning from Vijayawada. The Channel has its own facebook-www.facebook.com/ddseptagiri.

Some important programmes telecast during the period are:- Ugadi Special Programmes – Aaruruchula Aarogya Pradayani, 125th Birth Anniversary of Sri Alluri Sita Rama Raju, Live telecast of Mahakumabi Kshema from Kanipakam, Live telecast of Dasara Saranavaratri Utsavalu – 2022, Live telecast of Sri Vari Brahmotsavalu – 2022.



DD Bangla

Launched on 20th August, 1992, DD Bangla became 24 hours channel from 01st January, 2000. DD Bangla has been playing an important role in preserving and furthering the cultural heritage of Bengal. During the period, DD Bangla has carried out several live coverage of various events taking place in different parts of the State and programmes of social relevance for creating awareness on a host of issues and to mark important milestones, anniversaries etc;

Some important programmes telecast during the period are:-

Chandannagarer Jagaddhatri Puja Parikrama", A TV report on Shantipur Rasa Utsav 2022, Live telecast of Vivekananda Music Festival at Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture, Golpark, Kolkata. 'Punnotirtho Gangasagar' -a TV report on Gangasagar Mela. TV report on the inaugural ceremony of Kolkata International Book fair 2023, Live prog. "Basanta Utsav 2023", "Basanta Jagrata Dware" – a special dance show on Spring Festival.



Prog. on Agomoni song (song invoking Goddess Durga) “Aay Maa Uma”



DD Punjabi

DD Punjabi is a 24 hours Punjabi channel which is viewed widely in India and other countries through satellite GSAT-17. Social media support like website, you tube, twitter and face book is also used as tools for publicity. DTT services (HD & SD) of Doordarshan located for DD Punjabi has been Switched off on 31-10-2022. Kendra is using Social media:- support like Website, You Tube, Twitter and Face Book is also used as tools for publicity. Cross Channel Publicity:- Highlights of Akashvani Jalandhar (DD Kissan, DD National, DD Bharati and DD Sports).

On the occasion of New Year 2023, DD Punjabi telecast Prog; Raunakan 2023 which has viewership of 8,17,000. Other important programme telecast during the period are;Hulle Hullare,Jashna 23, Getanjali,Roop Dhara.Long Lachiaa,Rooh Punjab Di,Surtaal,DD Punjabi Rocks etc.



DD Kashir

DD-Kashir as a separate Regional Language satellite channel was inaugurated on 06-06-2000. It has terrestrial support through high power transmitter (HPTs) located in the UT and is also on DTH platform of Doordarshan.The transmission of DD- Kashir for 5 Hours between 1500 hrs to 2000 hrs daily is also simulcast through additional Terrestrial Service after de-linking from DD-National.



Channel has the distinction of producing programme in 12 different languages/dialects being spoken by people of different regions of the state. These include “Kashmiri(48%), Urdu(31%), Hindi(11%), Dogri(2%), Ladakhi, (2%)Punjabi(1%), Gojri (1%) Pahari(1%), Balti, Sheena and Pashtoo each 0.5%,others(1.5%).

DD-Kashir is using different Social Media Platforms i.e. Facebook, Twitter, Instagram & YouTube for promoting its Programme activities.

In terms of content focus of the channel remains on information, education and entertainment. Programmes on traditional values, Customs, Cultural aspect ethos, development in different spheres and CPG Programmes on the themes identified by Ministry of Home Affairs also form part of DD-Kashir bouquet.



DD Odia

DD-Odia started functioning from 2nd, October, 1993 as DD-5. It was made a 24-hour channel on 01st, April, 2001. The Channel has a programme-mix of News, Agriculture, health, literary works of eminent writers of the State, folk music and dance, art and craft, tourism and festivals. DD-Odia provides Satellite support to DDK, Sambalpur and DDK, Bhawanipatna six days a week with three hours of programmes to each Kendra.

Some important programmes telecast during the period are:-

DD-Odia telecasts LIVE the Car Festival of Lord Jagannath from Puri, Sital Sasthi (Sacred Marriage Ceremony of Lord Shiva & Devi Parvati) from Sambalpur, Parvana Bela (Celebration of Dussehra in Twin City of Cuttack & Bhubaneswar along with different parts of Odisha) every year. The Kendra also makes arrangement for LIVE telecast of different Dance & Music Festivals organised annually in Odisha like Konark Festival, Mukteswar Dance Festival, Raja Rani Music Festival, Dhauli-Kalinga Mahotsava, Mahodadhi Alati, 2023 from Puri, Hirakud Mahotsav, 2023.

DD-Odia is also on different social-media platform, i.e; https://www.facebook.com/DD_odiachannel with 10,162 Followers, on https://twitter.com/dd_odia with 3015 followers, https://instagram.com/dd_odia with 1134 followers and on youtube- <https://youtube.com/c/doordarshanodia> with 365K Subscribers.



Rath Yatra-2022



DD Malayalam

DD Malayalam from its inception in 1985 has made its presence felt across the length and breadth of the country. The Kendra has programme production facilities at Thiruvananthapuram, Thrissur and Calicut.

Like every year Programmes like Thrissur pooram, Onam Special Programme, IFFK- Opening & Closing Ceremony, telecast of Makaravilakku from Sabarimala, Attukal Pongala Mahotsav besides regular telecast such as Travelouge-‘The Journey of India’, Nehru Trophy Boat Race 2022 , Chembai – PanchaRatnaKeerthanalapam etc; telecast by the Kendra .

Besides above programmes ,some programmes are telecast on regular basis:

- Amrithabharatham’- Docu- Feature telecast on all Saturdays
- Special News based programme ‘Varanthyam’ telecast on all Saturdays .
- Serial –‘Swaraj’-Stories about Freedom Fighters telecast on all Saturdays.
- LIVE Programme –Samakalikam telecast on all Mondays & Thursdays .
- Travelouge-‘The Journey of India’ telecast on all Fridays.



Inauguration ceremony of Nehru Trophy Boat Race 2022



DD Chandana

The Regional Language Satellite channel of Karnataka was launched on 15th August, 1991 and it became a 24 hrs Channel from 1st January, 2000. Later on it was renamed as Chandana. A New digital Earth Station was installed and commissioned on 28.12.2018. Kendra telecast programmes in Urdu, Tulu, Konkani, Kodava, English and Hindi.

Most of the programmes telecast during 2022-23 are in the form of talk show, phone in live, documentaries and relayed live important programmes of national importance besides telecast of some important programmes by the channel. Road map for DDK, Bengaluru has been prepared in form of newly proposed FPC incorporating some new programmes.

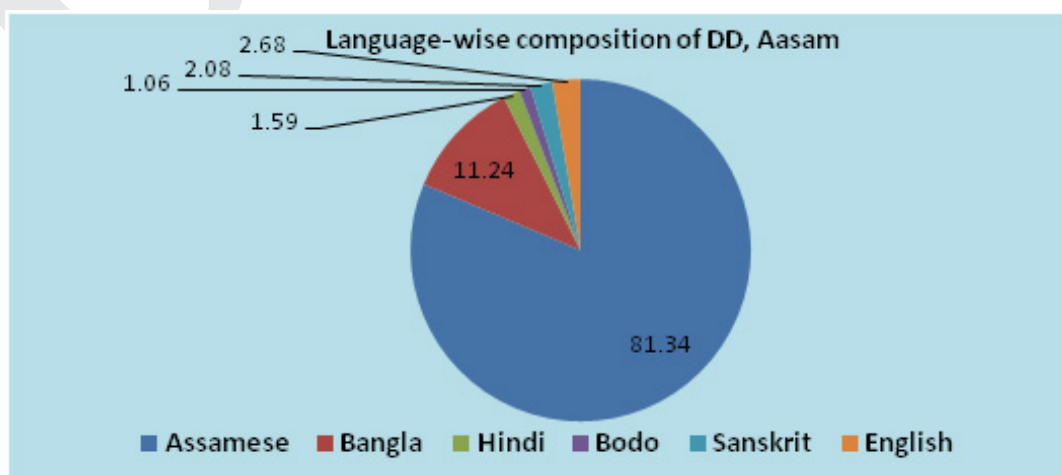
Some important programmes telecast during the period are:-

- Kannada Rajyotsava Celebrations at Kanteerava Stadium, Bangalore
- Inauguration of Invest Karnataka 2022-Global Investors Meet at Palace Grounds, Bangalore.
- 86th Kannada Sahithya Sammelana, Haveri 06.01.2023 to 08.01.2023



DD Assam

DD North-East was commissioned on 01-11-1990 and finally launched on 15th August, 1994. It became 24 hours channel from 27th December, 2000. DD North East was renamed as DD Assam and formally launched by Hon'ble I&B Minister on 04th August, 2020. Language wise telecast from DD Aasam for 2022-23 is as follows.



During the period, DD Assam has mounted some special programmes like: Jatio Veer Lachit Barphukan, Inauguration of Janajatiya Gaurav Diwas, and Inauguration of Millets Mission by Hon'ble Chief Minister Of Assam At Veterinary Ground, Khanapara, Guwahati, LIVE telecast of Mukali Bihu celebration and Tiwa Chagra Kham- a documentary on Sogra utsav of Tiwa Community.



Celebration of MOHORE MOHO-HO



DD Arun Prabha

DD Arun Prabha originating from Doordarshan Kendra Itanagar was dedicated to the nation on 9th February 2019. The channel is equipped with state of the art facilities including a Digital Satellite News Gathering unit to provide live converges from remote areas for 24X7 telecast. The play out facility and the earth station established at DDK Itanagar ensure seamless transmission of DD Arunprabha. Apart from Doordarshan's Freedish and cable networks, programmes are also carried by the private DTH services like TATA Sky, Airtel, and Dish TV. The content of DD Arunprabha has also been shared on all digital platforms.

DD Arunprabha is showcasing the diverse culture, song, dance, festival of many tribes inhabited in the mountainous State of Arunachal Pradesh which comprise of 26 major tribes above 100 sub-tribes.

The programmes related to different genres have been telecast by the channel such as Travelogue, Magazine, Thriller, Mythology, Documentary, Tele films, Daily Soap and reality shows ,Re-discovering Meyon Tribal Treasure, Virus-Dost (Serial), Model (serial) ,Musical Programme like Rhythm of North East and local dances and songs,Also carried some quality daily soap programme provided by DD National.

Local Festivals telecast during the period:

- Si - Doyni Festival of Tagins
- Reh Festival of Edu Mishmis
- Parsuram Kund Mela (Religious place travelogue)
- Arunachal Festival/Statehood Day

- e) Nyokum Festival of Nyishis
- f) Chalo Loku Festival
- g) Si - Doyni Festival of Tagins
- h) Reh Festival of Edu Mishmis
- i) Arunachal Festival/Statehood Day
- j) Nyokum Festival of Nyishis



DD Rajasthan

DD: Rajasthan, a 24 X 7 Hindi Regional language Channel came into existence on 1st August, 2013 and started telecasting programmes from 15th August, 2013. It is available on DD Free dish of Doordarshan. Language wise break up of the programmes telecast during 2022-23 are as follows: Hindi(94.63%) Urdu(2.03%), Sindhi(1.91%) , Sanskrit(1.24%) and Punjabi(0.18%)

During the period 2022-23, maximum programme share telecast from the Kendra are as follows:

Music & Dance (28.85%) followed by Interview/ Talk/ Discussion (19.67%), News (10.40%), Agriculture & Rural Development (9.61%) and Magazine programme (5.92%). Programmes telecast in other genres are negligible.

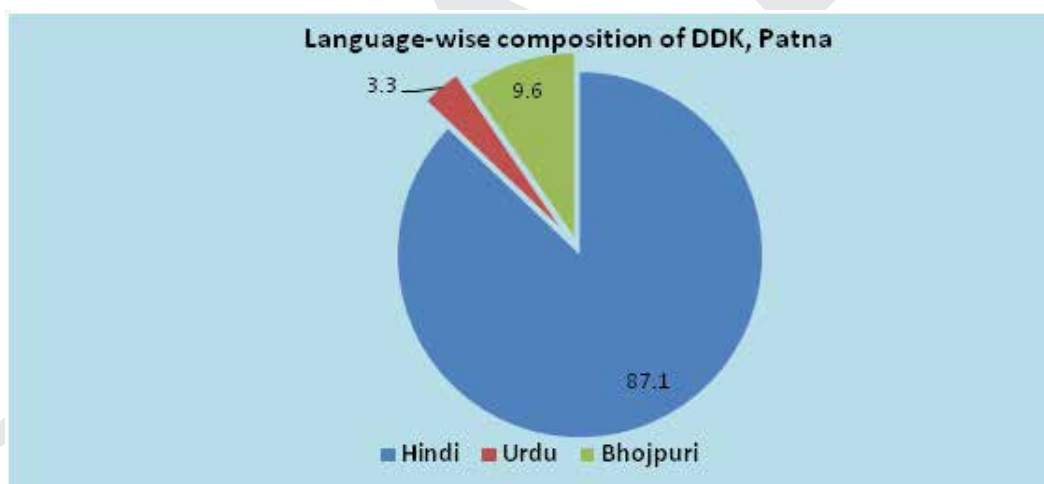


DD Bihar

DD-Bihar, the 24×7 Regional language Satellite Channel was launched on 01.05.2013. It continued expanding its horizon, across the country since its launch as a satellite channel.

At present there are 4 nos. of Hindi News bulletin at 7:30hrs to 7:45hrs, 13:00hrs to 13:15hrs, 17:00hrs to 17:15 hrs, 19:00 hrs to 19:15 hrs respectively and short Hindi news bulletin at 10:00 hrs to 10:05 hrs, 11:00 hrs to 11:05 hrs and 15:00 hrs to 15:05 hrs. and 2 minutes of Graphics headlines are being telecast at 9:00 hrs to 9:02 hrs, 12:00 hrs to 12:02 hrs and 20:00 hrs to 20:02 hrs. 2 nos. of Urdu News bulletin at 13:15 hrs to 13:30 hours and 19:15 hrs to 19:30 hrs respectively and one short Urdu News bulletin at 16:00 hrs to 16:05 hrs. Sanskrit News Bulletin at 7:15 hrs to 7:30 hrs is being telecast from DD Bihar (Relay from DD News).

Maximum number of programmes telecast from the Kendra during 2022-23 are in the form of talk Show, and Discussion, besides few programmes in the form of TV Report and live telecast.



DD Uttar Pradesh

DD Uttar Pradesh, a 24X7 Regional language Channel came into existence on 16th August, 2013. This 24 hour channel covers genres like folk music, light music, play, talk show, quiz and other programmes. Some Live telecast on national importance has also been done by the Kendra during 2022-23.

Some important programmes telecast from DD UP:

World Dairy Summit in Greater Noida, “Khichadi Mela from Gorakhnath Temple Gorakhpur, Live inauguration of “Saansad Maha Kumbh” Sports, Opening of UP Global Investor Summit, Special Programme on Ram Nawami “Bhaye Pragat Kripala etc;



PM Narendra Modi inaugurates World Dairy Summit in Greater Noida



DD Madhya Pradesh

DD MP Channel was launched on 20th October, 1992 as one hour regional Channel to promote the diverse and rich culture of Madhya Pradesh. Subsequently it was made 04 hour regional channel and on 25.06.2013 it was converted into a 24 hour regional language channel.

Main language of transmission is Hindi besides this programme are telecast in other dialects like Malwi, Bundeli, Bagheli and Nimari. Most of the programmes telecast from the kendra is in form of talk show, discussion, interview, documentary, music besides some entertainment programmes, to name few telecast during the period:

Garba Nritya: special programme telecast on Navratri festival during Durga Puja.

Panchmari: A special documentary was produced on Panchmari, famous as Kashmir of Madhya Pradesh.

Documentaries on Buddha Caves and Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana.

‘GULDASTO’: programme in Sindhi highlights and disseminates information on Sindhi mode of living, culture, traditions, literature, art and legacy.



Mahadev temple, Panchmari



DD Chhattisgarh

DDK Raipur was commissioned in the year 1977. 24×7 transmission started with regional transmission of 3.00 pm to 7.00 pm and rest clean feed relay of DD News from 01st April, 2020. Later on this 24×7 transmission started with a loop play of 04 hours regional transmission for five times from 07th September, 2020.

Bastar Anchal Se is a prominent Programme in which different topics are dealt with besides Hamar Chhatisgarh, Hello Doctor, Hamar Pahuna, Mahila Jagat, and Munch Natak.

Some special programme such as Khairagarh Mahotasava, Adivasi Divas, Chhatisgarh mein prayatan ki Jivant Yatra etc; were also telecast during the period.



DD Uttarakhand

From 1st April, 2020 DD Uttarakhand started its 24x7 services. Most of the programmes telecast from this Kendra are in regional/local languages i.e. Garhwali, Kumauni, Jaunsari and Rang.

Mostly programmes telecast from the kendra are in the form of TV Reports, folk & cultural songs as well as dance, literary programme, Programme on current issues, travelogue, poetry based programme on Garhwali, Kumauni and Jaunsari.



DD Jharkhand

Doordarshan Kendra, Ranchi was commissioned on 25th September'1984. On 2nd April'2002, the Kendra started telecasting Regional News as well as it became a regional unit with its coverage area extending to entire Jharkhand. From 1st April, 2020 DD Jharkhand started 24x7 transmissions. PCR 1 Studio has been brought fully into existence from 01st August 2022.

At present weekly telecast of Santhali news under regional news has been started from 15 August, 2021. Most of the programmes telecast from the kendra are for tribals and informative (as Santhal Diary, Dhol Mandar etc.) in nature, besides some specific programmes related to Jharkhand, such as Well done India-Tirandaj Me Desh Ka Nam Roshan Karti Jharkhand Ki Beti, Jharkhand Vikas Ki Ore-Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana Jamshespur Purvi Singhbhum, Abuwa Jharkhand-Jan-Jatiya Gourav Divas, Vritachitra-The Land of Birsa And Beauty, Shiv Ratri par vishesh karyakram etc.

K. State Network channels (24x7)

During COVID-19 pandemic, 8 Regional Channels (Non 24X7) i.e. DD Himachal Pradesh, DD Haryana, DD Goa, DD Mizoram, DD Tripura, DD Meghalaya, DD Manipur & DD Nagaland started 24X7 satellite service from DDKs - Shimla, Hisar, Panaji, Aizawl, Agartala, Shillong, Imphal & Kohima started functioning from the respective places.



DD Himachal

Doordarshan Kendra Shimla was commissioned on 7th June, 1995, The Kendra from the year 2014-15 is carrying regional programme every Monday to Saturday from 3:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. and on Sunday from 6:30 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. Transmission of DD-Shimla is now on Home Channel Stream available on DD Free Dish 24x7 and is known as DD Himachal.



International Kullu Dussehra – 2022



International Lavi Fair – 2022

- Special programme “Janadesh – 2022” was telecast Live in December, 2022.
- A series of programme titled “Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav” programme on Freedom Fighters is being telecast.
- Telecast of Message of Hon’ble Chief Minister on the eve of Statehood Day of Himachal Pradesh



DD Meghalaya

Doordarshan Kendra, Shillong was commissioned in the year 1993. The 1KW transmitter was then upgraded to 10KW transmitter for DD (National) which was commissioned into service on 09.02.2004. During the Covid-19 pandemic in 2020 it was made 24x7 channel. Programmes are telecast in Khasi, Garo, English & Hindi.

Some important programmes telecast during the period:

- Prime Minister’s visit to Shillong to attend the NEC conference,
- Reopening of the Indo Bangla Border Haat at Kalaichar in West Garo Hills,
- 58th Raising Day of Border Security Force of Meghalaya,
- Relay of the FIFA World Cup 2022.
- special screening of the 100th Episode of Maan Ki Baat at the Shillong Raj Bhavan on the 30th April, 2023.



DD Goa

Doordarshan Panaji started its full time transmission on Free Dish platform from 9th March 2019. It was also rechristened from DD Panaji to DD Goa. Most of the programmes are telecast in Konkani and Marathi. The channel is also on Social media platform like Instagram and Facebook, These platforms are used widely to popularize in-house programmes. Youtube is also used as an alternative platform for live streaming of local content. DSNG facilities are available with DD Goa for quick news service.

During the year programmes in different format have been produced and telecast from DD Goa, whose composition is as follows: Music-12.41%, Spoken Words-27.96%, Live-Phone-in Programme-5.56%, Drama-11.11%, News and news related Programme - 27.78%, Sport programme-2.22% and Miscellaneous, Spots, Special T'casts-12.96%.

Some important programmes telecast during the period:

- Annual feast of St. Francis Xavier , Goa. Lakhs of pilgrims from all over India and abroad attend



this festival.

- State Table Tennis Championship was covered live using DD Goa MCU set up.
- 53rd International Film Festival of India was covered live in association of DD Delhi and Mumbai.



Opening ceremony of 53rd International Film Festival of India (IFFI), at Goa on November 20, 2022



DD Haryana

DDK: Hissar came into existence on 01.11.2002. Initially 1.15 hours transmission was started from this Kendra which was gradually increased in phased manner. With effect from 02.04.2020, 24x7 hours transmission has been started from DD-Hisar, out of which 3 hours i.e. from 1500 hrs to 1800 hrs is in regional transmission and for the rest of time PBNS is linked. Channel name was changed from DD-Hisar to DD-Haryana w.e.f. 26.01.2021. Presently DD Haryana is working with a single studio set up and a uplinking earth station catering to all 22 districts of the Haryana.

In addition to routine programming DD Haryana is involving Government Departments and SPSUs including Samwad, Hafed, Haryana Seed Corporation etc. for highlighting importance of Haryana and contribution of Art and Culture, Handicrafts, History and Rich Cultural Heritage and Architecture.

DD Nagaland

A regional language satellite channel launched on 15 August 1992, which became 24 hrs channel from the month of April, 2020 by utilizing the DD News/DD India streams(07:00 to 03:00 p.m), along with Local Transmission of 03:00 to 07:00 p.m. It is supported by Doordarshan studios in Kohima and Dimapur.

Most of the programmes telecast from DD Nagaland during the period is on various social issues, Health, Development etc. besides songs & music.

Some important programmes telecast during the period:

- Nagaland CSR & Investment conclave.

- Hornbill Festival, 2022.
- Polling coverages of NLA Election.
- 14th Nagaland State Assembly Declaration of Result.
- Neihunuo Sorhie – Padma Shree Awardee.



Inauguration of Nagaland Hornbill Festival 2022 & Opening Ceremony



DD Tripura

Inaugurated on 20th November 1992 with half an hour transmission. The channel started its 24 hrs. transmission from 21st January, 2021 and the nomenclature was changed to DD Tripura. The channel telecast its transmission in two languages namely Bengali and Kokborok in 60:40 ratio. Kendra telecast local news bulletin both in Bengali and Kokborok besides telecast of programmes on Health, festivals and anniversaries, Awareness programmes, skill development, Govt. Policy, sports, entertainment, agriculture etc;.



Inauguration of extension of Guwahati -Kolkata Express train by Hon'ble President.



DD Mizoram

DD Mizoram is 24x7 since 2/4/2020 with local content programme telecasting of 9 hrs duration between 12:00 noon to 9:00PM the rest of hours are fill up with programme patching to DD India/ Home Channel.

It is producing different variety of Programmes for all sections of society. DD Mizoram has introduced new Channel driver programme called “Zo Awi Zun Zam” a musical based Programme of one hour duration telecast once in a month. Live Programmes of 30 minutes Health Issues “ Hriselna Huang” on every Monday, 1 hr Current affairs Live programme “Zoram Thlirna ” on every Wednesdays, 1 hr Live Programme “ Friday Live” on every Fridays.

Some important programmes telecast during the period:

- Live telecast of the inaugural function of the 9th International Tourism Mart 2022 Aizawl.
- Live telecast of “Coffee Night” on 24/12/2022 a Charity Musical concert organised by Eastern Territory of the Salvation Army, Mizoram.
- Live telecast of Chapchar Kut Festival 2023 (Cultural Festival of the Mizo) .



DD Manipur

From April 2020, DD Manipur has been converted provisionally into 24×7 channels by utilizing the DD News/DD India streams .The channel has also strong presence on the social media platform with around 2.68 lakh subscribers on Youtube as on December, 2022, which is the highest among AIR & DD Kendras in the northeastern region. Programmes of different genres are telecast from the kendra. DD Manipur has also telecast Live Manipur Polo International 2022 and deferred Live Coverage of 1st Fight Night (Boxing Tournament) orgd. By Indian Navy Sports Control Board and Manipur Amateur Boxing Association on 25th March, 2023.



Spring Cultural Evening by DD Manipur telecast on 20th March, 2023



(Boxing Tournament) orgd. By Indian Navy Sports Control Board and Manipur Amateur Boxing Association on 25th March, 2023

L. Other Sections of Doordarshan

i. Doordarshan Commercial Service

Doordarshan Commercial Service (DCS) is an independent office stationed at DG: DD Headquarters to co-ordinate all the commercial activities of Doordarshan towards collection of revenue from agencies/Clients/ Producers as well as revenue sharing in case of sports events. This office also allows registration and accreditation status to various advertising agencies. DCS handles court cases and arbitration matters pertaining to DCS. For online billing Broadcast Airtime Scheduler (BATS) was introduced in place of manual billing for clients. The sales wing interacts with various advertising agencies for selling of air time. Rules and policies in this regard are framed and reviewed from time to time in the changing market scenario. Timely submission of GST and its associated data on the revenue collected is being handled by GST wing of DCS.

Main functions of DCS

- Centralized collection of revenue from Government/ Corporate Clients.
- Accreditation and Registration of Advertising Agencies.
- Scheduling of Programmes.
- Billing and Reconciliation.
- Managing and monitoring traffic, scheduling, billing and payment.
- Arbitration matters & Court cases pertain to DCS
- GST Calculation and timely submission of tax, reports etc.

Year	Net Amount (Revenue Excluding GST)(Cr.)
2022-23	1045.96

New initiatives:

- Time line shared by PrasarBharati and a follow-up review of the actionable points pertaining to long-pending legal Court Cases and Arbitration Matters having liabilities more than 10 Cr. in DCS.
- A follow up mechanism has been developed by DCS with Agency/Client and regional marketing division for timely payment of bills/invoices.
- Digitization of Documents, records and Files related to Arbitration matters have been started
- Implementation and awareness to Kendras about provisions of Doordarshan rate card (new) have been initiated and also started counter check of billing by DCS to avoid error.
- For online billing Broadcast Airtime Scheduler (BATS) was introduced in place of manual billing for clients.
- A new Registration and Accreditation Policy has been implemented.

ii. Public Outreach Service (POS) erstwhile Development Communication Division (DCD):

Keeping in view, the communication needs of govt. depts./ministries/PSUs, Development Communication Division (DCD), rechristened as Public Outreach Service (POS), was established in March, 2001 to function as a single window marketing division and a production house with innovative development communication model. It offers turn-key solutions covering all aspects of media planning, programme production, scheduling and impact evaluation. Development Communication Division provides a single window facility for:

- Marketing of Doordarshan airtime and production capability



- Consultancy and customized media planning
- Production of programmes in countrywide station in regional languages; and
- Feedback and research surveys to the clients

Within a short span of its inception, POS has succeeded in generating huge revenue and revitalizing in-house production activities within Doordarshan. In the current year 2022-23, POS with proactive approach, has recorded net revenue of Rs.74.0 Crore from April, 2022 to 30th November, 2022 and generated business worth of Rs. 108.0 Crores.

Some major activities from April 2022:

- Six episode series on Mustard and Rapeseed Farming sponsored by ICAR-DRMR Saver and produced by DDK Mathura.
- Medaram Jatara Tribal Festival (in Hindi and English) through DD National and Regional Channels, funded ministry i.e., Ministry of Tourism.
- 19 episodes on Cleaner India (Swacchmeva Jayete), funded by ministry of Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region.
- Animation film on Samadhan Portal-Umang App sponsored by Ministry of Labour and Employment.
- 10 Films on water conservation, entitled Jai Hai To Jeevan Hai, funded by Ministry of Jal Shakti.
- 18 episodes on Start-up Campaigns 2.0 funded by Department of Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry.
- Short films on counter terrorism and counter radicalization funded by Ministry of Home Affairs.
- Production is going on regarding The Earth Matters 2.0 Project by Sh. Mike Pandey and funded by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.

iii. Global Outreach

Global Outreach Wing of Prasar Bharati deals with international relations activities such as signing of Agreements and Memorandum of Understandings (MoUs) with foreign country's Public Service Broadcasters/Organisations, implementation of the articles pertaining to Broadcasting of the content exchange, capacity building training and technical support etc. It facilitates the official visit of foreign broadcasters to all the verticals of Prasar Bharati, organizing in-country/Sub-Regional workshops/conferences/ events for the foreign MoU Partners as well as the International Broadcasting Unions such as ABU, AIBD etc; organizing participation of its officials in international competitions /events/ conferences.

In pursuance of Government of India's policy to expand the viewership of DD India Channel in order to show case country's vivid and colourful heritage world across, Global Outreach division of Prasar Bharati is continuously pursuing with several foreign broadcasters to mutually exchange contents of various genre and telecast DD India Channel on various available and popular platforms such as DTH, OTT, cable, IPTV etc.

As India will celebrate its 75th Independence Day in year 2022 (theme: Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav) with the usual pride to mark its freedom from British rule, Prasar Bharati, being the largest public broadcaster of India also decided to host the ABU's most dominant events in New Delhi in year 2022 i.e. ABU Robocon 2022, ABU Global News Forum 2022, 59th ABU General Assembly & Associated Meetings 2022.



59th ABU GA conference

iv. Corporate Marketing Division

Corporate Marketing Division of Prasar Bharati undertakes Media, Advertising, PR & Publicity activities for the organization. All form of communications, advertising, outdoor publicity, Press Release, Booklets, Press Conferences etc. are undertaken for publicizing the activities and programmes of Prasar Bharati.



Launch of Swaraj promo by I&B minister Shri Anurag Thakur at Rang Bhawan, AIR



- Prasar Bharati logo was launched on 11th July, 2022 by Secretary, Ministry of I&B.
- Media Partnership contracts executed for “Smart India Hackathon” in month of June, 2022 CII-Big Picture Summit on 16-17 November, 2022
- Out door promotion for Swaraj, Corporate Sarpanch, Suropn Ka Eklavya, Jai Bharati, etc.was under taken for 6 months by hiring of 50 sites from BoC.
- Launch of Swaraj promo by I&B minister Shri Anurag Thakur at Rang Bhawan, Akashvani on 15th July, 2022.
- Screening of ‘Swaraj’ for Hon’able Home Minister Shri Amit Shah at Rang Bhawan, Akashvani on 5th August, 2022,, for Hon’ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi at Parliament house in esteem presence of Cabinet Ministers on 17th August, 2022 .

v. Audience Research

Audience Research Unit of Doordarshan with its 19 field units located with Doordarshan Kendras all over the country is involved in Research studies on various aspects of broadcasting since 1976. During the period, Audience Research Unit contribution is as follow:

Television Audience Survey on Digital Terrestrial Transmission, September,2022.

- Radio Audience Survey on FM Rainbow, Gold Channels and Vividh Bharati of AIR, Delhi: November-December, 2022, FM Radio Audience Survey at Bhopal,January,2023 and in Imphal,December,22.
- Radio Audience Survey on News in Border areas of UT of ammu,February-March,2023.
- Telephone Survey on ECI sponsored Radio programme “Matdata Junction”
- Analysis and reporting of BARC Television Viewership Report on weekly basis and supply of viewership data on request from DD Kendras.



PRASAR BHARATI—FINANCE & ACCOUNTS

PRASAR BHARATI BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st March 2022

Particulars	Sch	Rs As at 31-Mar-22	Rs As at 31-Mar-21
CORPUS / CAPITAL FUND AND LIABILITIES			
Corpus/Capital Fund	1	1,129,553,954	3,232,594,798
Reserves and Surplus	2	-	-
Earmarked/Endowment Funds	3	169,984,709	230,422,455
Secured Loan	4	-	-
Unsecured Loan	5	9,333,900,000	9,333,900,000
Deferred Credit Liabilities	6	-	-
Current Liabilities and Provisions	7	43,726,060,030	40,077,312,771
TOTAL		54,359,498,693	52,874,230,024
ASSETS			
Fixed Assets	8	11,674,421,022	12,989,806,221
Capital Work-in progress	8	4,859,929,635	4,912,263,716
Investments (i) Earmarked/Endowment Funds	9	-	-
(ii) Others	10	-	-
Current Assets, Loans and Advances	11	37,825,148,036	34,972,160,087
Deficit as per Income & Expenditure Account		-	-
TOTAL		54,359,498,693	52,874,230,024
SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES	26		
CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND NOTES			
ON ACCOUNTS	27		
Mayank Kumar Agrawal Chief Executive Officer	D P S Negi Member(F)	Anil Srivastava ADG (B&A)	C K Jain DDG (B&A)
Place: New Delhi			
Date :			

PRASAR BHARATI

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2022

Particulars	Sch	Rs For the year ending 31 March, 22	Rs For the year ending 31 March, 21
INCOME			
Income from Sales/ Services	12	5,443,940,609	6,01,60,30,820
Grants /subsidies	13	28,629,900,000	28,56,38,59,940
Funds received for specific purpose	13A	-	-
Fees/subscriptions	14	3,171,403	18,40,246
Income from Investments (income on investments from earmarked/endow. Funds transferred to Funds)	15	-	-
Income from Royalty, Publications etc	16	-	-
Interest Earned	17	861,842,918	1,05,31,39,232
Other Income	18	9,510,584,900	8,82,39,17,226
TOTAL(A)		44,449,439,830	44,45,87,87,464
EXPENDITURE			
Establishment Expenses	19	29,230,700,889	28,29,47,29,798
Other Administrative Expenses	20	7,797,724,966	8,55,56,71,311
Programme related Expenses	21	3,790,525,300	3,57,02,53,211
Satellite & Spectrum Charges	22	2,012,012,081	1,71,63,48,625
Expenditure on Grants & subsidy	23	-	-
Interest	24	1,464,376,413	1,41,37,86,526
Depreciation	8	2,285,045,374	2,28,89,36,142
TOTAL (B)		46,580,385,023	45,83,97,25,614
Balance being excess of Income over Expenditure (A-B)		(2,130,945,193)	(1,38,09,38,149)
Add: Prior period Adjustments & Exceptional items	25	27,904,349	15,55,52,920
Add: Balance brought forward from previous year		3,232,594,798	4,45,79,80,027
BALANCE BEING SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) CARRIED OVER TO BALANCE SHEET		1,129,553,954	3,23,25,94,798
SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES	26		
CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND NOTES			
ON ACCOUNTS	27		
Mayank Kumar Agrawal Chief Executive Officer	D P S Negi Member(F)	Anil Srivastava ADG (B&A)	C K Jain DDG (B&A)
Place: New Delhi			
Date :			



PRASAR BHARATI
SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31.03.2022

Particulars	Sch	Rs For the year ending 31 March, 22	Rs For the year ending 31 March, 21
SCHEDULE 1- CORPUS/CAPITAL FUND:		-	-
Balance as at the beginning of the year		-	-
Add: Grants-in-Aid received during the year		-	-
Balance Corpus/Capital Fund		-	-
Income and Expenditure Account		1,129,553,954	3,232,594,798
BALANCE AS AT THE YEAR END	TOTAL	1,129,553,954	3,23,25,94,798
SCHEDULE 2- RESERVES AND SURPLUS			
1. Capital Reserve:		-	-
As per last account		-	-
Additions during the year	TOTAL	-	-
		-	-
2. General Reserve		-	-
As per last account		-	-
Addition during the year		-	-
Less: Deductions during the year	TOTAL	-	-
SCHEDULE 3- EARMARKED/ENDOWMENT FUNDS			
Earmarked funds from MHA for Revamping of DD Kashir			
a) Opening Balance of the funds		230,422,455	214,782,528
b) Add: funds received from MHA		112,582,030	
c) Add: Interest Earned		6,797,811	10,220,123
d) Add: Adjustments		(5,974,631)	35,375,284
e) Deduct: Expenditure incurred from fund		127,424,369	29,955,480
f) Deduct: Interest amount Paid to MHA		46,418,587	
g) Closing balance		169,984,709	230,422,455
Refer Schedule 27 para 31 of Notes to Accounts	TOTAL	169,984,709	230,422,455
SCHEDULE 4- SECURED LOANS AND BORROWINGS:			
	TOTAL	-	-
Mayank Kumar Agrawal Chief Executive Officer	D P S Negi Member(F)	Anil Srivastava ADG (B&A)	C K Jain DDG (B&A)
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PRASAR BHARATI
SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31.03.2022

Particulars	Sch	Rs For the year ending 31 March, 22	Rs For the year ending 31 March, 21
SCHEDULE 5- UNSECURED LOANS			
1. Loan in perpetuity		-	-
2. Central Government - Loans to be converted into Grants		-	-
Capital Loan from Ministry of I&B		1,836,900,000	2,82,83,80,000
Repayment of Loans due but not paid		5,867,800,000	4,87,63,20,000
Interest free Loan for CWG 2010		1,629,200,000	1,62,92,00,000
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 8 to 11 of Notes to Accounts)	TOTAL	9,333,900,000	9,33,39,00,000
SCHEDULE 6- DEFERRED CREDIT LIABILITIES:			-
SCHEDULE 7- CURRENT LIABILITIES AND PROVISIONS			
A. Current Liabilities			
Advances received- against deposit work		931,729,670	960,641,593
Deposits, earnest money, caution money/security deposits		1,019,735,744	1,030,716,929
Interest on Capital Loan		10,699,691,574	9,659,557,074
Penal Interest On Interest/principal due		2,128,155,356	1,703,913,443
Other current liabilities -recoveries from salary and wages and others etc.		7,019,287	-
Salary accrued for the Month of March		2,209,583,953	2,063,228,802
Unspent amount of Grant-in-aid & interest thereon (MIB)		48,753,118	33,622,814
For other expenses (including CAG Audit Fee etc.)		3,398,150,562	3,201,871,386
Remittances to/from HQ/DDOs in transit/reconciliation's		4,401,718,581	4,086,697,935
For Statutory liabilities (GST)		623,254,270	703,086,457
For Statutory liabilities (TDS /Others)		153,477	
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 8, 9, 10, 18 & 30 of Notes to Accounts)	TOTAL (A)	25,467,945,592	23,443,336,433
B Provisions			
For Spectrum/Space Segment expense		17,142,117,000	15,762,487,000
For Leave encashment and Gratuity		1,115,921,803	845,635,303
NPS provisions		75,635	25,854,035
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 17, 19, 27 & 28 of Notes to Accounts)			
	TOTAL (B)	18,258,114,438	16,633,976,338
	TOTAL (A+B)	43,726,060,030	40,077,312,771
Mayank Kumar Agrawal Chief Executive Officer Place: New Delhi Date :	D P S Negi Member(F)	Anil Srivastava ADG (B&A)	C K Jain DDG (B&A)



PRASAR BHARATI
SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31.03.2022
SCHEDULE 8- FIXED ASSETS

DESCRIPTION	GROSS BLOCK				Depreciation		Net Block	
	Cost as on 1st April'21	Additions/ Transfers from civil wings during the year 21-22	Deductions/ adjustments transfers/ disposal reclassification during the year 21-22	Cost at the year end 31.03.22	For the year 21-22	Cumulative upto 31.03.2022	As at 31st Mar' 2022	As at 31st Mar' 2021
A. Fixed Assets								
1. Land	33,133,384	148,750	-	33,282,134	-	-	33,282,134	33,133,384
2. Buildings Others	5,584,663,782	47,855,073	-	5,632,518,855	107,249,777	1,539,599,359	4,092,919,496	4,152,314,201
3. Plant Machinery & Equipments								
a) Studios	26,725,125,902	47,978,162	-	26,773,104,064	256,434,599	25,737,160,616	1,035,943,447	1,244,399,884
b) Transmitters	40,365,163,657	219,601,812	-	40,584,765,469	718,545,724	38,840,383,665	1,744,381,804	2,243,325,716
c) Machinery/ Equipments	13,035,086,822	598,651,101	-	13,633,737,923	1,110,468,309	9,222,924,455	4,410,813,468	4,922,630,676
d) Electrical Installations	102,642,221	6,783,155	-	109,425,376	11,185,965	47,510,856	61,914,521	66,317,331
4. Vehicles	186,481,386	11,500	-	186,492,886	22,486,943	154,892,792	31,600,094	54,075,537
5. Furniture, Fixtures	373,641,676	20,024,089	13,869,418	379,796,347	5,110,038	195,623,903	184,172,444	183,127,811
6. Office Equipments	247,534,814	7,896,437	-	255,431,251	9,030,381	231,438,913	23,992,338	25,126,282
7. Computers	482,240,798	34,579,514	-	516,820,312	44,532,998	461,424,357	55,395,955	65,349,439
8. Other fixed assets	9,970,067,614	-	-	9,970,067,614	640	9,970,062,294	5,320	5,961
Capital Expenditure on various Schemes								
Total of Current Year (A)	97,105,782,056	983,529,593	13,869,418	98,075,442,231	2,285,045,374	86,401,021,209	11,674,421,022	12,989,806,221
B CAPITAL WORK-IN-PROGRESS	4,912,263,716	114,944,919	167,279,000	4,859,929,635	-	-	4,859,929,635	4,912,263,716
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 23 of Notes to Accounts)								
Total(B)	4,912,263,716	114,944,919	167,279,000	4,859,929,635	-	-	4,859,929,635	4,912,263,716
TOTAL	102,018,045,772	1,098,474,512	181,148,418	102,935,371,866	2,285,045,374	86,401,021,209	16,534,350,657	17,902,069,937
Previous Year	100,875,215,259	1,142,830,513	543,445,254	102,018,045,772	2,509,081,139	81,827,039,694	17,902,069,937	19,048,175,565
Mayank Kumar Agrawal Chief Executive Officer Place: New Delhi Date :	D P S Negi Member(F)			Anil Srivastava ADG (B&A)		C K Jain DDG (B&A)		

PRASAR BHARATI

SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31.03.2022

			For the year ending 31 March, 22	For the year ending 31 March, 21
SCHEDULE 9- INVESTMENTS FROM EARMARKED/ENDOWMENT FUNDS				
1. In Government Securities			-	-
2. Other approved securities			-	-
3. Other			-	-
	TOTAL		-	-
SCHEDULE 10- INVESTMENTS-OTHER				
1. In government Securities			-	-
2. Other approved securities			-	-
3. Others			-	-
	TOTAL		-	-
SCHEDULE 11- CURRENT ASSETS, LOANS AND ADVANCES ETC				
A. CURRENT ASSETS:	2021-22	2020-21		
Inventories	12,49,37,564	12,49,37,564		
Deduct: Provision thereof	12,49,37,564	12,49,37,564		
Sundry Debtors- Good	2,694,370,659	3,84,34,95,345		
Sundry Debtors- Doubtful	1,107,915,358	1,12,90,36,349		
	3,802,286,017	4,97,25,31,694		
Deduct: Provision thereof	1,107,915,358	1,12,90,36,349	2,694,370,659	3,84,34,95,345
Cash Balance in hand/Imprest			7,635,367	95,36,851
Bank Balance With Scheduled Banks				
on current accounts (including CLTD Balances)			10,991,795,559	4,62,91,16,130
on Collection accounts			333,504,002	49,25,89,921
on Deposit account and other FDRs			19,476,502,314	23,66,26,31,358
with CP Fund A/c			2,162,095	36,765
		TOTAL (A)	33,505,969,996	32,63,74,06,370
B. Loans/advances				
1. Loans/advances				
Staff	2021-22	2020-21	90,183,827	97,824,498
Others-departmental	160,254,598	160,254,598		
Deduct: Provision	16,02,54,598	16,02,54,598	-	-



			For the year ending 31 March, 22	For the year ending 31 March, 21
2. Advances and other amounts recoverable in cash or in kind or for value to be received			-	-
On capital account			-	-
Prepayment			3,358,129	-
Others			-	-
3. Grants-In-Aid receivable from Ministry of I&B, GOI-Salary			1,816,500,000	1,07,64,00,000
4. Interest Accrued:			-	-
On investments from Earmarked/endowment funds			-	-
On Term Deposits with Scheduled Banks			279,151,525	223,293,287
Others			-	-
5. Prepaid Interest on Endowment Fund			1,260,703	
6. TDS & Income Tax			46,794,430	46,900,914
7. GST (Input Tax Credit)			591,633,959	659,477,492
8. Deposits with Other Departments			1,490,295,467	230,857,526
		Total (B)	4,319,178,040	2,334,753,717
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 11, 12, 13, 26, 29 & 33 of Notes to Accounts)		Total (A+B)	7,669,775,036	34,972,160,087
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PRASAR BHARATI
SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE A/C FOR THE
YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

		2021-22 (Rs.)	2020-21 (Rs.)
SCHEDULE 12- INCOME FROM SALES SERVICES			
Income from sales/services (Including taxes)			
AIR and DD (Commercial revenue)		5,458,940,670	6,011,984,058
Deduct: Share of other agencies		20,167,380	245,057
Add: Sales of Archival Content		5,167,319	4,291,819
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 20 of Notes to Accounts)	TOTAL	5,443,940,609	6,016,030,820
SCHEDULE 13- GRANTS /SUBSIDIES			
Add: Grants-In-Aid received during the year from Ministry of I&B, GOI-Other than Salary		1,668,400,000	2,047,959,940
Add: Grants-In-Aid received during the year from Ministry of I&B, GOI-Salary		26,290,300,000	26,266,600,000
Add: Grants-In-Aid receivable from Ministry of I&B, GOI-Salary		740,100,000	280,800,000
Deduct: Unspent balance of Grants-in-aid received from Ministry of I&B,GOI-Other than Salary		48,753,118	31,500,000
Deduct: Unspent balance transfer to MIB		20,146,882	
Deduct: Unspent balance of Grants-in-aid received from Ministry of I&B, GOI-Salary (SAP)			
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 5 & 30 of Notes to Accounts)	TOTAL	28,629,900,000	28,563,859,940
SCHEDULE 13 A- FUNDS RECEIVED FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSE			
Grants-In-Aid received during the year from Ministry of Home Affairs			
SCHEDULE 14-FEES/SUBSCRIPTIONS			
Professional/Consultanc/other services fee		3,171,403	1,840,246
	TOTAL	3,171,403	18,40,246



		2021-22 (Rs.)	2020-21 (Rs.)
SCHEDULE 15-INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS			
Interest on Fixed Deposits From Earmarked Funds		6,797,811	-
	TOTAL	-	-
SCHEDULE 16-INCOME FROM ROYALTY, PUBLICATIONS ETC		-	-
	TOTAL	-	-
SCHEDULE 17 INTEREST EARNED			
On Term Deposits with Scheduled Banks		851,319,742	1,045,939,485
On others like employees advances etc.		7,929,690	71,99,747
Interest on debtors and other receivables		2,593,486	-
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 21 of Notes to Accounts)	TOTAL	861,842,918	1,05,31,39,232
<div> <div>Mayank Kumar Agrawal Chief Executive Officer</div> <div>D P S Negi Member(F)</div> <div>Anil Srivastava ADG (B&A)</div> <div>C K Jain DDG (B&A)</div> </div> <div>Place: New Delhi</div> <div>Date :</div>			

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31.03.2022

		2021-22 (Rs.)	2020-21 (Rs.)
SCHEDULE 18- OTHER INCOME			
A. Other Receipts including Fees from Towers/staff quarters			
a) Income from Towers		1,023,994,878	946,010,768
b) License Fees/Electricity/Water Charges from Staff Quarters		52,463,558	39,543,002
c) DTH Income		8,103,670,822	7,636,188,487
d) Others		67,638,137	161,763,151
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 20 of Notes to Accounts)	TOTAL (A)	9,247,767,395	8,783,505,408
B. Profit on Sales/disposal of assets			
a) Owned Assets		66,582,981	26,464,142
b) Assets acquired out of grants, or received free of cost		116,742,465	1,296,557
	TOTAL (B)	262,817,505	40,411,818
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 4 of Notes to Accounts)	Total (A+B)	9,510,584,900	8,823,917,226
SCHEDULE 19- ESTABLISHMENT EXPENSES			
a) Salaries & Wages		26,778,731,100	25,945,748,481
b) Allowances and Bonus		107,147,151	286,500,473
c) Contribution to CPF, NPS		175,533,065	188,625,082
d) Expenses on Employee's retirement/ Terminal Exp/ Pension etc. (LS & PC)		1,630,310,639	1,521,736,868
e) Staff Welfare Expenses/Others		52,052,826	362,842
f) Reimbursement of Medical Expenses		284,601,285	250,889,148
g) Provision for Leave encashment and Gratuity		270,286,500	100,866,924
h) Deduct Recoveries of previous years		(67,961,677)	
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 18, 22 & 26 of Notes to Accounts)	TOTAL	29,230,700,889	28,294,729,798
<div> <div> Mayank Kumar Agrawal Chief Executive Officer </div> <div> D P S Negi Member(F) </div> <div> Anil Srivastava ADG (B&A) </div> <div> C K Jain DDG (B&A) </div> </div> <div> Place: New Delhi Date : </div>			



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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE A/C for the year ended 31 March 2022

	2021-22 (Rs.)	2020-21 (Rs.)
SCHEDULE 20- OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES		
Electricity and Power	1,950,814,205	2,161,161,456
Water Charges	48,394,333	48,208,250
Rent, Rates and Taxes	247,809,789	283,358,628
Hiring, Running and Maintenance of Vehicles	356,819,227	453,051,316
Postage & Telephone expenses	84,792,826	89,693,796
Printing and Stationery	85,236,653	98,378,909
Traveling & Conveyance Expenses- Local	201,295,934	186,386,476
Traveling -Foreign	7,076,886	3,954,920
Scholarship Stipends	12,668,891	16,097,240
Auditors Remunerations	640,821	5,275,706
Hospitality Expenses	692,633	9,063,644
Professional & Security Charges (Armed Guards etc.)	436,324,696	387,550,386
Provision for Doubtful Debts/ Advances Provisions	(21,120,991)	203,026,234
Advertisement and Publicity	20,399,242	13,855,308
Bank Charges	886,781	1,132,873
Supplies & Material Consumables	141,960,387	214,027,328
Other Administrative Expenses	892,313,397	1,462,688,127
Minor Works and Machinery Equipments, Tools & Plants	1,308,888,939	1,169,560,100
Goods and ServicesTax (GST)	2,024,862,767	1,749,200,614
Deduct Recoveries of previous years	(3,032,450)	
TOTAL	7,797,724,966	8,555,671,311

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PRASAR BHARATI
SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF INCOME & EXPENDITURE A/C
for the year ended 31 March 2022

		2021-22 (Rs.)	2020-21 (Rs.)
SCHEDULE 21-PROGRAMME RELATED EXPENSES			
Royalty		147,088,062	206,251,935
Payment to UTI/PTI/Other news agencies		129,927,580	
Commissioning of Programme Softwares exp.		337,092,772	29,161,190
Sport Events Expenses		50,064	435,000
Payment to Artists/Professionals(PP & SS etc.)		2,498,672,799	1,927,587,197
Other Programme Expenses/Other Ministries		677,944,191	759,363,394
J&K Package			-
N.E. Package			-
Kisan and Arunprabha channel			528172434
Spectrum & Space Segment Charges			-
SAP		-	
Deduct Recoveries of previous years		(250,168)	
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 32 of Notes to Accounts)	Total	3,790,525,300	3,570,253,211
SCHEDULE 22- SATELLITE & SPECTRUM CHARGES			
Satellite & Spectrum Charges		2,012,012,081	1,716,348,625
	Total	2,012,012,081	1,716,348,625
SCHEDULE 23- EXPENDITURE ON GRANTS, SUBSIDIES ETC			
Expenditure on grants		-	-
	Total	-	-
SCHEDULE 24- INTEREST EXPENSES			
Interest on Loan- Central Government		1,040,134,500	1,039,431,649
Interest on Loan in Perpetuity			
Other Penal Interest etc		424,241,913	374,354,877
Interest on Loans (other than MIB)			
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 8 to 10 of Notes to Accounts)	Total	1,464,376,413	1,413,786,526
SCHEDULE 25- PRIOR PERIOD ADJUSTMENTS & EXCEPTIONAL ITEMS			
Other Income		(102,353)	(30,000)
Interest on Term deposits		31,169,551	
Sale of Assets			11,493
GST		3,902,200	
Other Expenses		54,860	(11,493)
Other Receipts			3,937,860
Interest on Earmarked Fund		5,974,631	



		2021-22 (Rs.)	2020-21 (Rs.)
Interest on Security Deposits		4,940	(25,742,797)
RRT Expenses			12,148,435
Power Expenses		769,938	162,545,925
Telecom Expenses			1,968,731
Depreciation		(13,869,418)	
Water			724,766
(Refer Schedule 27, Note 24 of Notes to Accounts)	Total	27,904,349	155,552,920

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PRASAR BHARATI
SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31.03.2022

SCHEDULE 26- SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**1. Method of accounting**

The accounts of the Corporation are prepared under the historical cost convention using the accrual method of accounting. On this basis revenue and related assets are recognised when earned and expenses are recognised when the obligation is incurred.

2. Inventory Valuation

Stores and Spares (including machinery spares) are valued at cost.

3. Fixed Assets

Fixed Assets are valued at cost less accumulated depreciation.

Fixed assets are stated at transfer amount in respect of assets transferred to Prasar Bharati and the corresponding credit is to "Loan In Perpetuity".

Transfer of Assets by the Central Government are subject to actual valuation and verifications.

In respect of capital expenditure incurred on different Plan schemes undertaken by AIR and DD all related & associated expenses are capitalized.

4. Method of depreciation

Depreciation is charged on straight line method at rates computed on useful life of the assets prescribed based on the IMG recommendations. Accordingly, the rates adopted are:

Building	2.00%
Studio, Transmitter, Machinery & Equipments and Other Fixed assets	10.00%
Electrical installation	4.00%
Vehicles	20.00%
Furniture & Fixtures	6.25%
Office Equipments	16.67%
Computers	33.33%

5. Foreign Currency Transactions

Transaction in foreign currencies are accounted for at the prevailing exchange rates at the date of transactions.

6. License Fee and Consultancy fee

License fee and consultancy fee is recognized when receivable.

7. Debtors

Keeping in view of uncertainty of collection, Interest on delayed payment is recognised in books of accounts on receipts basis from the financial year 2018-19.

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31.03.2022

SCHEDULE 27- NOTES ON ACCOUNTS & CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

1 Prasar Bharati Broadcasting Corporation of India is established as general public utility institution and falls under the category of "Not-for-Profit" Organization. Accordingly, based on Generally Accepted Accounting Practices, and Section-145 of the Income Tax Act, it can follow either cash or mercantile system of accounting. Considering the organization structure and prevalent past practices and the simplicity aspects, cash basis of accounting was being adopted upto 31.03.2005. From 01.04.2005 the accounts are initially compiled on cash basis at field unit level and subsequently converted into accrual basis to the extent possible, based on the information collected from both the Directorates. Prasar Bharati Board, however, decided to give effect to complete switch over from cash to accrual accounting at field units also. In this direction, initially, Prasar Bharati has implemented web based application called Expenditure Monitoring System (EMS) for submitting R&P Account by all field units w.e.f. 01.04.2016. Now, Prasar Bharati has implemented Centralised Accounting Software (CAS) across its all field units alongwith Expenditure Monitoring System (EMS). The complete accounting process will shifted to CAS soon.

2 Contingent Liabilities:

2.1 Claims against the Entity not acknowledged as debts	Rs.	Nil
2.2 In respect of :		
Service Tax	Rs.	14.29 crore
Late fee and interest on Spectrum & Space Segment Charges	Rs.	2499.71 crore

Recently, the Arbitration Tribunal in a joint award dated 27.7.2020 by two of three learned Arbitrators, have given its award directing the respondent i.e. Prasar Bharati to pay an amount of ₹. 65,10,39,562.00 in three out of five different claims made by the claimant i.e. SIS Live along with a simple interest of 9% p.a. with effect from 1.1.2011 till realization of the payment to the claimant. In the meantime, SIS live filed an execution petition in the High Court, Delhi (OMP (ENF.) (COMM) 33/2021) for execution of the Majority Award dated 27-07-20 to pay the Principal amount awarded together with interest by Prasar Bharati. Hon'ble High Court passed an order dated 17-05-21 and directed respondent to deposit the entire award amount along with upto date interest with the Registrar General of the Hon'ble High Court. Prasar Bharati calculated the interest and deposited a total of ₹126,33,15,516 (₹ 65,10,39,562 towards Award and ₹ 61,22,75,954 towards simple interest calculated w.e.f. 01.01.2011 to 12.06.2021 @9% per annum) in the High Court on 9-6-21. In view of the deposit made by Prasar Bharati, the High Court directed that the execution of the Award shall remain stayed. M/s SIS Live has filed another case (OMP (COMM) No. 555/2020) in High Court, Delhi against the order. Separately, PB has also filed a petition U/s 34 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 (OMP (COMM) No. 217/2021) seeking setting aside of the award passed by the Arbitral Tribunal to the extent it passed a monetary award against PB and rejected the counter claims of PB. Part Arguments were heard by the High Court on 28.7.2022. The cases were posted to 8.9.2022 for remaining arguments. On 8.9.2022 the Judge did not hold Court and the cases were posted to 11.11.2022.

The amount deposited by Prasar Bharati was directed to be put in a fixed deposit. The High Court has fixed deposit arrangements with UCO Bank which gives interest @ 2% on such deposits. An application filed by SIS Live requesting that the High Court should open an FD in a Bank that offers higher interest is pending.

The deposit amounting to Rs. 126,33,15516 has been shown under the head "Deposit with other Departments" in Current

- 3 The amount of Fixed Assets transferred at book value to Prasar Bharati by the Central Government is based on Chief Controller of Accounts' letter No. CCA/I&B/2002 dated 3.09.02 and is also subject to physical verification and valuation. The physical verification and valuation of the fixed assets is in process.
4. As the assets are generally disposed-of after completion of its useful life, sale proceeds received from disposal of these assets is considered as profit on sale of fixed assets. The value of the assets sold/disposed of during the year has not been removed from the Gross Block of Assets as the details are not readily available at Prasar Bharati Secretariat level.
5. Grants received from Central Government are treated as Income, which together with internal revenue is utilized to meet expenses.
6. Without prejudice to rights, Prasar Bharati had paid an amount of ₹ 178,71,63,705/- to Service Tax Deptt. during the year 2011-12, in response to their demand vide order No.16/RDN/2011 dt. 05.05.2011 for the years 2003-04 to 2007-08. However, as per Management assessment, no amount was payable. In the Order dated 05.03.2018, CESTAT has completely waived off the penalty and instructed Service Tax Department to re-quantify the service tax liability for those years. The Service tax department has quantify the service tax liability and extended the Cum-Tax-Benefit vide their letter no C.No.:IV(16)Hqrs/Adj/GST-South/PB/148/2018 dated 08.01.2020. The Cum-Tax-Benefit extended by the Service Tax Department has not been accepted by Prasar Bharati. Accordingly, an Appeal had been filed before CESTAT on 23-12-2020 and the same was listed on 07-09-2021. The Tribunal vide their order dated 7.9.2021 condoned the delay in filing and directed to admit and number the appeal.

Since, the whole amount was already charged off in 2011-12, hence the same will be again reflected in the Accounts after the final outcome of the case.

An appeal before CESTAT on 09-02-2021 has also been filed for the case pertaining to the FY 2008-09. The same was listed on 14-07-2021. The Tribunal vide their order dated 9.02.2022 condoned the delay in filing and the appeal application has been allowed.

As on date, both appeal stands admitted before the CESTAT and they will be listed before it in due course.

In the matter related to refund claim filed by Prasar Bharati, consequent upon order of CESTAT in Appeal No. ST/1228- 2011/ST(DB) against O-i-O no. 16/RDN/2011 dt. 05.05.2011 of Service Tax Commissioner, the Assistant Commissioner CGST(South Delhi) Connaught Place Division, as an Adjudating Authority passed an order i.e. O-i-O no. 03-04/2020/DL/GST- South/Palam/2018-19 dt. 30.09.2020 combining the Service Tax dues for the F Y 2003-2004 to 2007-2008 and FY 2008- 2009. The copy of this order is received in this office on 12.10.2021. In this order Asstt. Commissioner sanctioned the refund of Rs. 30,65,76,396/- to Prasar Bharati and rejected the remaining claim of Rs. 1,39,61,82,258/-. Further he ordered to recovery of Rs. 30,65,76,396/- out of refund of Rs. 30,65,76,396/- on account of Service Tax dues & Interest.



However, an appeal before Commissioner (Appeal-II), Central Tax EIL, Bhikaji Cama Place has been filed on 03.01.2022, against the order of Asstt. Commissioner dt. 30.09.2020 after consultation with the Advocate on Panel (Prasar Bharati).

7. Service tax demand of ₹ 3.55 crore vide final order no.50762/2019 dated 20.05.2019 received in Prasar Bharati for the period April 2007 to September 2007. Prasar Bharati has filed the appeal in the Supreme Court i.e. CIVIL APPEAL NO. 183 of 2022 (Dairy no. 19504/2020).

The above said appeal is heard and dismissed by Hon'ble Supreme Court on 06 January 2022. Sr. Advocate defending the case has advised to file a review petition in Hon'ble Supreme Court and accordingly with the approval of Competent Authority, Advocate-on-Panel (Prasar Bharati) has been requested to prepare and file the Review Petition on behalf of Prasar Bharati.

8. Interest rate on Capital Loan received from Government during 01.04.2000 to 31.03.2006 was 14.5% p.a., during 1.4.2006 to 31.03.2011 was 11.5% p.a. and from 1.4.2011 onwards is 13.5% p.a. The rate of penal interest is 2.5% per annum.
9. Liability towards interest on Loan from MIB has been provided as per the interest rates mentioned at note -8 above.
10. Ministry of I&B vide its letter dt. 04.06.2018 had conveyed its in-principle approval, based on the decision of the cabinet, for the conversion of the outstanding loan into Grants-in-aid pertaining to the period 2010-11 to 2012-13 and complete waiver of interest and penal interest on the above outstanding loan. However, the decision of the cabinet for the period from 1.4.2010 to 31.3.2013 is yet to be implemented by the Ministry of I & B. The details of outstanding loan, interest & penal interest thereon as on 31.03.2022 are as follows:

Principal Amount	- ₹	9,33,39,00,000
Interest	- ₹	10,69,96,91,574
Penal Interest	- ₹	2,12,81,55,356
Total	- ₹	22,16,17,46,930

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SCHEDULES FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31.03.2022

SCHEDULE 27- NOTES ON ACCOUNTS & CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

11. The age-wise break-up of Sundry debtors as on 31.03.2022 is as under:

	2021-22	2020-21
Sundry Debtors-Less than 6 months	Rs. 895,466,064	Rs. 963,134,464
Sundry Debtors-More than 6 months	Rs. 2,035,217,334	Rs. 3,107,775,234
Sundry Debtors-Interest on delayed payment	Rs. 871,602,619	Rs. 1,017,369,168
Total	Rs. 3,802,286,017	Rs. 5,088,278,865

- 12 Sundry debtors are inclusive of Service Tax/GST receivable from customers.
- 13 The doubtful debts exist as on 01-04-2005 (i.e. at the time of change of method of accounting from cash basis to accrual basis) against which legal action had already been initiated for recovery were not reflected in accounts as the extent of doubtfulness is not ascertainable. These debts are accounted for when their collection become certain.
- 14 There are 61 number arbitration cases and 13 number Court cases pending as on 31-3-2022 and total amount involved is ₹ 527,89,95,034.
- 15 Keeping in view of uncertainty of collection, Interest on delayed payment is recognised in books of accounts on receipts basis from the financial year 2018-19.
- 16 Prasar Bharati is exempt from Income Tax as per Clause 23BBH under Section-10 of Income Tax Act.
- 17 Prasar Bharati's contribution towards Leave Salary and Pension in respect of employees on deemed deputation is charged as expenditure.
- 18 Audit fee payable to C&AG for auditing Prasar Bharati's Accounts for the year 2021-22 has been provided for ₹ 12,00,000.
- 19 Provision for Spectrum & Space Segment charges have been provided on estimation basis.
- 20 GST component included in Income from Services (Commercial Revenue), Licence Fee for AIR/DD Towers, DTH Income is ₹ 100.35 crore, ₹ 16.13 crore and ₹ 108.83 crore respectively.
- 21 Interest on Fixed deposit and flexi deposits of Field offices and on Advances to staff are accounted for as and when received. The quantum of accrued interest cannot be computed due to flexible tenure and interest rates on CLTD accounts and advances.
22. The payment and recovery of non-interest bearing short term advances to employees are adjusted from Establishment expenditure.
- 23 Capital Work-in-progress amounting to ₹ 9.07 crore has been capitalized during the year 2021-22. Last Year, the capitalized amount of ₹ 7.65 crore was not incorporated in fixed assets however depreciation on the same was charged in the FY 2020-21. The same has been corrected this year.



24. Details of Prior Period Adjustments done in the Schedule 25 during the FY 2021-22 are as follows:

1. Uncashed cheques amounting to ₹ 1,02,353 issued to vendor were treated as revenue during the FY 2020-21 by CCW, Civil I, Delhi instead of treating them time barred cheque. Fresh cheques have been issued against the time barred cheque during the FY 2021-22.
2. The Interest amounting to ₹ 3,11,69,551 was not credited/booked during the previous years (₹ 80,56,911 for the period from 2013-2019 of ADG (WZ), Mumbai, ₹ 2,13,02,863 of CCW, Chennai, ₹ 18,09,777 of CCW, Electrical Division II).
3. Excess GST Expenditure amounting to Rs. 39,02,200 was shown in last FY 2020-21 BY AIR, Raipur. It is adjusted with the current year expenditure in Receipt and Payment Account.
4. Fixed Assets amounting to Rs. 54,860 (Computer: ₹ 46,060, Office Equipment: ₹ 8,800) was not capitalized and shown as expenditure during the FY 2020-21 by DDK, Silchar.
5. Excess Interest on Endowment Fund amounting to Rs. 59,74,631 was charged during the FY 2020-21.
6. The power expenses was shown on net basis during the FY 2019-20 & 2020-21 of AIR (Tirunelveli) due to the fact that power expenses amounting to ₹ 44,881 was set off by Refund of Security Deposits amounting to ₹ 39,941 and interest earned on Security Deposits amounting to ₹ 4,940. Further, the Electricity Deposits was adjusted with power expenses amounting to Rs. 8,14,819 by 11 offices of AIR, Directorate.
7. There was write back of excess depreciation amounting to ₹ 1,38,69,418 on Furniture, Fixtures in the FY 2014-15 (for the FY 2013-14). Due to arithmetic error, it was added in the Gross value of fixed assets and no adjustments done in the Depreciation. The excess addition in gross value is now being corrected through Prior Period Adjustments.

25. New format of Receipt and Payment Accounts has been implemented from the FY 2021-22 for proper classification of expenses. Hence, the necessary adjustments have been made in the schedules and wherever required in accordance with New Receipt and Payment Account.

26. Provision of 16.02 crore and Rs. 12.49 crore in respect of "others departmental loan/advances" and "Inventories" respectively under current asset had been provided during the year 2014-15 as Item/party wise details of these are not available and the amount was being carried forward.

27. Provision for contribution towards NPS and interest thereon as on 31.03.2022 is ₹. 75635. This provision represents the Employee and Employer's contribution and interest thereon which has not yet been transferred to National Securities Depository Ltd. (NSDL) though the amount has been kept in separate bank Account.

28. The provision for Leave Encashment and gratuity payable to employees recruited by Prasar Bharati on or after 05.10.2007 have been provided for in the books of accounts on the basis of actuarial valuation reports. The liabilities have been calculated as per 'CCS Pension Rules 1972'. The details of provision made up to the financial year 2021-22 is as follows:

Gratuity	- Rs. 53,19,22,761
Leave Encashment	- Rs. 58,39,99,042
Total	- Rs. 111,59,21,803

29. The payment instruments amounting to ₹ 95,97,410 received for hiring of slot over DTH platform during the year 2013-14 were not actually realized due to fraudulent instruments. The matter is subjudice. The same had been accounted for as prior period income and provision equivalent to full amount was made during the year 2018-19.
30. The unspent amount of Grants-in-aid payable to the Ministry has been shown separately as current liabilities.
31. As per the advice of CAG, the amount received from MHA has been shown separately in Schedule 3 as earmarked fund. During the FY 2021-22, excess interest amounting to ₹ 12,60,703 paid to MHA.
32. In Receipts & Payments Accounts, the revenue share paid to other agencies has been shown under 'Programme Expenses'.
33. The amount receivable as Grants-in-aid salary has been shown separately as current assets.

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Receipt & Payment Account for the year 2021-22

(Figures in Rs.)

S. No.	Receipts	AIR	DD	PB	Total
I.	Opening Balances				
	Cash in Hand	621100	242911		5,39,214
	Imprest	3870181	4702659	100000	8672840
	Bank Balance				
	(i) Salary A/c including CLTD	50,597,253	166,761,457	33,988,655	251,347,365
	(ii) CFDL Account				
	(iii) Deposit works Account including CLTD/FDR				
	(iv) Fixed Deposit/CLTD A/c (to be used only by Release Section)	1,126,732,720	147,809,717	22,388,088,921	23,662,631,358
	(v) C.P.Fund/NPS A/c (including FDRs) only by NPS Section of Prasar Bharati)	0	0	36,765	36,765
	(vi) Old OAE (EMD, SD, Other Kendra/Kashir)	41,737,190			41,737,190
	(vii) GST (only for Nodel Officers)				
	(viii) TSA Account				
	(ix) Receipt A/c	373,237,925	47,374,775	71,977,221	492,589,921
	(x) Balance in all other accounts (OAE), if not closed so far	422,835,459	219,333,021	3,693,863,095	4,336,031,575
II.	Grants/Funds Received from Govt of India				
	Grants in Aid- Salary	0	0	24,852,800,000	24,852,800,000
	Salary - SAP	0	0		-
	BIND Scheme				
	(i) Grant in Aid for creation of Capital Assets	0	0	1,070,600,000	1,070,600,000
	(ii) Grant in Aid - General (Content)	0	0	566,300,000	566,300,000
	(iii) SAP	0	0	0	-
	Funds received from other Ministries/ Depts	0	0	112,582,030	112,582,030
III.	Inter Current A/c transfer by PB				
	(a) Funds received from PB				

S. No.	Receipts	AIR	DD	PB	Total
	(i) Salary A/c	12,868,160,992	12,485,406,082	5,010,000	25,358,577,074
	(ii) Salary - SAP	0	0	160,000	160,000
	(iii) CFDL	6,170,733,219	7,973,507,881	200,938,539	14,345,179,639
	(iv) Bind Scheme			0	
	(a) Creation of Capital Assets (Content)	228,011,515	220,968,141		448,979,656
	(b) General	369,059,684	807,969,921	0	1,177,029,605
	(c) SAP	500,000	0	0	500,000
	(b)CPF/NPS/HBA/Computer	36,045,487	44,718,532		80,764,019
	(c) Funds Received from other Stations / Kendras	231,663,247	168,882,401	0	400,545,648
	(d) Funds Received on behalf of other Stations / Kendras	7,344,874	93,227,311	16,806,701,168	16,907,273,353
IV.	Interest Received including TDS deducted by Third Parties				
	(a) On Bank Deposits(FDR/CLTD)	75,343,307	16,302,647	741,782,912	833,428,866
	(b) Loans & Advances (Employees)			0	
	(i) H B A	1,163,510	276,353	0	1,439,863
	(ii) Computer	5,080,081	217,797		5,297,878
	(iii) Others interest from employees	781,266	410,683	0	1,191,949
	(c) Interest Paid by third parties on Security Deposit (Electricity / Jal / Telepho	1,636,592	642,741	0	2,279,333
	(d) any other interest receipts	187,515	126,638	0	314,153
V.	Income where GST is applicable (Annexure to be filled)				
	(a)Income from Sales				
	(i) Commercial Receipts	2,518,613,518	4,110,396,312	0	6,629,009,830
	(ii) Sale of Archival Content	5,154,913	12,406		5,167,319
	(iii) Interest from Debtors	9,663	0	0	9,663
	(iv) Any other taxable (GST) Sales	86,076	80,778	0	166,854
	(b) DTH Services				
	(i) DTH income	0	8,103,670,822	0	8,103,670,822
	(ii) Interest on debtors	0	0	0	-
	(c) LF for Towers			0	



S. No.	Receipts	AIR	DD	PB	Total
	(i) Rent/L.Fee of Towers	562,937,151	461,057,727	0	1,023,994,878
	(ii) Interest from debtors	0	0	0	-
	(d) Income from Services				
	(i) Professional/ Consultancy Services	88,972	590	0	89,562
	(ii) Interest from debtors	0	0	0	-
	(iii) Others services	337,354	86,326		423,680
	(e) Sale/disposals of Assets			0	
	(i) Own Assets	11,043,069	43,153,688	0	54,196,757
	(ii) Assets acquired from Govt. Grants	93,360,939	23,381,526	0	116,742,465
	(iii) Assets acquired prior to 1.4.2000	53,872,827	25,619,232	0	79,492,059
	(iv) Others receipts including sale proceeds of items purchased from OAE	1,494,836	10,891,388	0	12,386,224
	(f) Amount received from Third Parties for works			0	
	(i) Amount received from Third Parties for work	429,801,797	50,736,916	0	480,538,713
	(g) Amount received for imparting Training				
	(i) Amount received for imparting Training	589,827	569,570	0	1,159,397
	(ii) Accomodation Charges	1,498,764	0	0	1,498,764
	(h) Other Taxable Receipts				
	(i) Addition Fees	348,820	2,000	0	350,820
	(ii) Rent of Studio/other instruments	100,350	0	0	100,350
	(iii) Rent of Rest House (if taxable)	154,456	0	0	154,456
	(iv) Liquidated damages received from suppliers/ service providers	2,408,147	149,870	0	2,558,017
	(v) Misc Receipts	5,587,095	1,666,598	0	7,253,693
VI.	Others Receipts				
	(a) Security Deposit/Earnest Money	63,528,188	14,996,101	0	78,524,289
	(b) Refund of Security Deposit to Prasar Bharati	4,615,235	1,008,438	0	5,623,673
	(c) Refund of Advances by Employees				



S. No.	Receipts	AIR	DD	PB	Total
	(i) HBA	3,810,051	2,521,152	0	6,331,203
	(ii) Computer Advances	2,433,947	84,752	0	2,518,699
	(iii) Other Advances	2,465,946	513,168	0	2,979,114
	(d) License fee/ rent Staff Quarter	31,841,204	13,722,450	0	45,563,654
	(e) Electricity/Water charges from employees	3,829,427	3,070,477	0	6,899,904
	(f) Non taxable rent Rest house/Tourist Bungalow	2,616,118	1,332,185	0	3,948,303
	(g) any other non taxable receipts	48,439,757	4,561,968	168,420	53,170,145
VII.	Receipts Adjustable by Others (Parking Heads)				
	(a) Tax Deducted/Collected at Source				
	(i) Employees	190,123,787	233,828,487	0	423,952,274
	(ii) Contractors	18,167,200	5,922,840	0	24,090,040
	(iii) GST - TDS	11,072,871	2,871,992	0	13,944,863
	(iv) TCS	2,033,400	528,036	0	2,561,436
	(v) Any other	7,831,412	3,232,425	0	11,063,837
	(b) Amount Adjustable by PAOs/ Other Offices				
	(i) HBA	194,542	8,933	0	203,475
	(ii) Computer advance	489,821	387,883	0	877,704
	(iii) License fee	1,758,473	1,797,910	0	3,556,383
	(iv) NPS	51,326,259	33,978,736	0	85,304,995
	(v) Professional tax	2,120,347	3,254,309	0	5,374,656
	(vi) CGEGIS /GIS	1,011,135	2,330,170	0	3,341,305
	(vii) GPF	375,062,511	320,310,858	0	695,373,369
	(viii) Amount received on behalf of other Kendra	0	0	0	-
	(viii) Others	32,104,537	34,431,123	0	66,535,660
	Total Receipts	26,559,707,859	35,915,051,810	70,545,097,726	133,019,857,407

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Receipt & Payment Account for the year 2021-22

(Figures in Rs.)

	Payments	AIR	DD	PB	Total
I	Establishment Expenditure				
	(i) Salary (Government Employees)	12,592,518,440	12,582,503,345	4,997,721	25,180,019,506
	(ii) Salary (Prasar Bharati Employees)	1,082,445,266	844,439,927	6,716,219	1,933,601,412
II	Administrative Expenditure				
	(i) OAE Station /Kendra	3,548,940,765	2,699,885,601	66,056,728	6,314,883,094
	(ii) OAE RNU	41,882,530	64,459,617	0	106,342,147
III	Programme Expenses				
	(i) Expenditure from IEBR	1,280,526,346	1502628856	125807852	2,908,963,054
	(ii) Expenditure from Government Grant	186,153,708	807,646,701		993,800,409
IV	Inter Current A/C transfer of Funds				
	(i) To Prasar Bharati	3,655,992,312	12,836,371,206	184,921	16,492,548,439
	(ii) To Other stations/kendras etc	176,562,869	30,161,242	27,134,414	233,858,525
	(iii) CPF/NPS HBA/Computer	3,589,839	1925796		5,515,635
	(iv) Refund of Surplus Money to PB (IBER)	26,084,221	107,560,374		133,644,595
	(v) Transfer of Fund received on behalf of other Kendras	2,798,286	77,167,571	41,458,455,297	41,538,421,154
V	Expenditure on Fixed Assets				
	Expenditure on Fixed Assets	664,205,745	262,612,106	4,322,801	931,140,652
VI	Expenditure on Endowment fund / Specific fund				
	(i) M.H.A.	0	127,424,369	0	127,424,369
	(ii) Other Ministry	0	0	0	-
	(iii) Other Department	0	0	0	-
VII	Refund of Surplus Money/ Loans and Interest thereon				
	(i) Loan repaid to MIB	0	0	0	-
	(ii) Surplus money transfer to MIB	7,483,116	12,623,600	40,166	20,146,882
	(iii) Interest on Unspent Grants	0	0	2,122,814	2,122,814
	(iv) Other Ministries	0	0	47679290	47,679,290
VIII	Finance Charges				
	(i) Interest on Loans (Other than MIB)	0	0	0	-

	Payments	AIR	DD	PB	Total
	(ii) Other Payments	96,578	21,922	0	118,500
	(iii) Bank Charges	475,286	292,995	0	768,281
IX	Advances to staff				
	(i) HBA	2,006,107	0	0	2,006,107
	(ii) Computer Advances	1,197,684	950,000	0	2,147,684
	(iii) other advances	0	25,000	9,554	34,554
X	Other Payments				
	(i) Refund of SD/EM	71,127,122	18,201,626	176,726	89,505,474
	(ii) Security Deposit made by Prasar Bharati	854,972	1,263,431,764	0	1,264,286,736
	(iii) Exp. On deposit works (Third party)	437,437,060	72,013,576	0	509,450,636
	(iv) GST (Only for SNOs)	422,991,152	1,609,958,069	0	2,032,949,221
	(v) Income Tax/TDS deducted by third parties (recoverable from Income Tax Department)	2,461,487	1,870,932	-4,438,903	-106,484
	(vi) Others	3,913,750	4,064,389	0	7,978,139
XI	Payments made to Others (Parking Heads)				
	(a) Tax Deducted/Collected at Source				
	(i) Employees	190,170,644	233,811,614	0	423,982,258
	(ii) Contractors	18,907,335	5,946,363	0	24,853,698
	(iii) GST - TDS	11,278,308	2,807,630	0	14,085,938
	(iv) TCS	2,032,028	495,300	0	2,527,328
	(v) any other	6,999,131	3,010,620	0	10,009,751
	(b) Amount Adjustable by PAOs/ Other Offices				
	(i) HBA	194,542	7,818	0	202,360
	(ii) Computer advance	490,001	387,883	0	877,884
	(iii) License fee	1,790,318	1,778,915	0	3,569,233
	(iv) NPS/CPF	47,398,261	33,540,456	0	80,938,717
	(v) Professional tax	2,114,197	3,430,541	0	5,544,738
	(vi) CGEGIS /GIS	1,007,485	2330170	0	3,337,655
	(vii) GPF	375,060,531	320,310,858	0	695,371,389
	(viii) Others	30,242,459	33,463,825	0	63,706,284
XII.	Closing Balances				
	Cash in Hand	133,281	387,689	0	520,970
	Imprest	3,758,189	3,256,208	100,000	7,114,397
	Bank Balance				-



Payments	AIR	DD	PB	Total
(i) Salary A/c including CLTD	274,120,391	115,587,118	2,374,167,845	2,763,875,354
(ii) CFDL Account	-106,585,943	-208,487,332	3,267,505,052	2,952,431,777
(iii) Deposit works Account including CLTD/FDR	558,659,565	185,907,351	99,735	744,666,651
(iv) Fixed Deposit/CLTD A/c (used only by Release section)	318,885,293	12,950,370	18400000000	18,731,835,663
(v) C.P.Fund/NPS A/c (including FDRs) Only by NPS Section of Prasar Bharati	2,086,460	0	75,635	2,162,095
(vi) Old OAE (EMD, SD, Other Kendra /Kashir)	263,980,346	50,218,781		314,199,127
(vii) GST (only for Nodal Officers)	15,506,446	1,814,407		17,320,853
(viii) TSA Account	0	0	0	-
(ix) Receipt A/c	201,172,718	63,060,174	69,271,110	333,504,002
(x) Balance in all other accounts, if, not closed so far	128,561,232	120,794,467	4,694,612,749	4,943,968,448
				-
Total Payments	26,559,707,859	35,915,051,810	70,545,097,726	133,019,857,409

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Annexure - I

Annexures for Accounts for the year 2021-22

(Figures in Rs.)

1	Establishment Expenses	AIR	DD	PB	Total
	(a) Salary				
	(i) Salary	13,273,195,372	12,998,103,776	6,114,373	26,277,413,521
	(ii) Wages	26,669,431	66,640,168	0	93,309,599
	(iii) LTC	37,129,839	31,465,038	0	68,594,877
	(iv) Leave Encashment on LTC	18,567,455	25,427,989	0	43,995,444
	(v) Honorarium	642,264	1,648,776	0	2,291,040
	(vi) Bonus	46,181,314	60,965,837	0	107,147,151
	(vii) Leave Salary Contribution	8,632,001	20,837,717	0	29,469,718
	(viii) Pension Contribution	2,697,867	10,319,160	0	13,017,027
	(b) Pensionary Charges				
	(i) Leave encashment (retirement)	1,794,434	3,935,132	0	5,729,566
	(ii) Gratuity	3,203,373	3,340,800	0	6,544,173
	(iii) Employer Contributions of CPF/ NPS	116,795,997	98,299,711	0	215,095,708
	(iv) Provisional payments	100,424	794,140	0	894,564
	(v) Other pensionary charges if any	1,400	1,346,320	0	1,347,720
	(c) Other payments				
	(i) Medical	135,524,183	127,377,294	5,459,564	268,361,041
	(ii) OTA	676,849	175,021	0	851,870
	(ii) Staff Welfare Expenses	27,335,313	20,004,546	0	47,339,859
	(d) SAP	39,714	0	140,003	179,717
	(e) Deduct Recoveries of previous years	-24,223,524	-43,738,153	0	-67,961,677
	Total	13,674,963,706	13,426,943,272	11,713,940	27,113,620,918

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Annexure - II

Annexure for Accounts for the year 2021-22

(Figures in Rs.)

S. No.	Other Administrative Expenses	AIR	DD	PB	Total
1	Domestic Travel Expenditure				
	(i) Tour	35,128,243	42,808,304	1,175,426	79,111,973
	(ii) Transfer	63,222,526	59,750,084	-	122,972,610
2	Foreign Travel Expenditure				-
	(i) Normal	969,069	5,243,845	-	6,212,914
	(ii) Permanent Correspondence	-	-	-	-
3	Rent Rates & Taxes				-
	(i) Normal	72,924,311	45,728,565	-	118,652,876
	(ii) Special, other taxes including property tax, Municipal tax etc.	41,862,867	34,120,773	-	75,983,640
4	Advertising and Publicity	276,120	20,266,007	-	20,542,127
5	Security				-
	(i) Security Management	262,483,641	172,373,425	-	434,857,066
	(ii) Advocate Fee	171,150	-	-	171,150
	(iii) Chartered Accountant	-	-	-	-
	(iv) Auditor Fees	-	-	-	-
	(v) Other Professionals	1,296,480	-	-	1,296,480
6	Office Expenses				-
	a) Water Charges	25,988,769	21,754,627	650937	48,394,333
	b) Power Supply				-
	(i) Electricity Charges	1,230,132,499	634,496,653	-	1,864,629,152
	(ii) Fuel Charges for power Supply	95,718,642	32,167,537	-	127,886,179
	c) Information Technology				-
	(i) AMC for IT related equipments	18,550,418	13,467,826	659630	32,677,874
	(ii) Other Expenses	33,196,781	28,486,431	4957865	66,641,077
	d) Postage	4,340,894	2,410,767	21630	6,773,291
	e) Telephone / Internet				-
	(i) Mobile	6,013,709	7,640,854	548228	14,202,791
	(ii) Landline	39,753,718	17,688,147	866754	58,308,619
	(iii) Internet Charges	3,783,035	1,725,090	0	5,508,125
	f) Insurance				-
	(i) Land and Buildings	441,740	1,875	0	443,615
	(ii) Plant & Machinery	48,529	28,579	0	77,108
	(iii) other items if any	51,293	77,682	4685	133,660
	g) Printing & Publicity	3,854,801	4,520,728	82000	8,457,529

S. No.	Other Administrative Expenses	AIR	DD	PB	Total
	h) Stationery items	35,958,566	21,324,410	1599706	58,882,682
	i) Consumables items	86,297,845	48,944,020	4444747	139,686,612
	j) Local Conveyance	2,356,867	634,610	52200	3,043,677
	k) News Paper, books & Magazines	11,424,293	5,496,883	975266	17,896,442
	i) AMC for office equipments	14,455,071	2,616,642	34137	17,105,850
	m) Other Misc Expenses	46,104,951	17,902,835	5303463	69,311,249
	n) Payment to Casuals	381,983,776	311,838,736	28768583	722,591,095
	o) Liveries	630,017	1,284,602	0	1,914,619
	p) Commission paid to brokers for sale of assets/scrap	294,279	835,385	0	1,129,664
7	Stipend and Scholarship	6,186,075	5,205,319	1683663	13,075,057
8	Motor Vehicle				-
	(i) Hiring Charges	164,161,493	125,436,144	10249687	299,847,324
	(ii) Fuel Charges	16,687,739	10,746,691	1655456	29,089,886
	(iii) Repairs & Maintenance	9,063,127	11,504,066	335553	20,902,746
9	Hospitality				-
	(i) Amount remitted to employees	4,736,413	2,961,787	526523	8,224,723
	(ii) By office, such as gifts and other entrainment expenses etc	2,580,201	2,068,277	1460589	6,109,067
	(iii) Seminar / Workshop / Training	922,641	138,039	0	1,060,680
10	Minor Works				-
	(i) Routine	468,031,174	150,575,509	0	618,606,683
	(ii) Special	98,807,086	10,697,968	0	109,505,054
11	METP				-
	(i) Routine	122,188,508	173,920,155	0	296,108,663
	(ii) Special	178,085,326	85,128,044	0	263,213,370
12	Satellite				-
	(i) Satellite Payment	958,738	631,423,343	0	632,382,081
	(ii) Makeup Materials	51,378	-	0	51,378
	(iii) Booking of Halls for functions	-	-	0	-
	(iv) Hiring Studios/Equipments for Studios	-	-	0	-
13	Swatch Action Plan (Bind)	584,900	-	0	584,900
14	Deduct Recoveries of previous years	(1,936,404)	(1,096,046)	0	(3,032,450)
	Total	3,590,823,295	2,764,345,218	66,056,728	6,421,225,241

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Annexure - III

Annexure for Accounts for the year 2021-22

Program Expenses (Plan and non Plan) for the Period : 4-2021 to 3-2022

(Figures in Rs.)

S.No.	Particulars	AIR	DD	PB	Total
1	Royalty	147,225,060	1,476,000	-	148,701,060
2	Payment to UNI/ PTI/Other News Agencies	27,762,449	104,114,807	-	131,877,256
3	Programme Expenses / Stringers (Commissioning/acquisitioned)	540,869	253,709,149	53,230,838	307,480,856
4	RNU Programme Expenses / Stringers (Commissioning/acquisitioned)	4,632,935	15,172,821	-	19,805,756
5	PP&SS (Payment to Artists, guests etc.)	236,394,487	641,238,735	4,886,280	882,519,502
6	Payment to Casual Assignes / Resource persons	680,593,354	184,662,575	1,773,870	867,029,799
7	RNU PP&SS (Payment to Artists, guests etc.)	30,758,107	31,654,787	-	62,412,894
8	Remuneration/Fee to Contractual	49,365,189	687,989,442	58,910,938	796,265,569
9	Share of Other Agencies in Revenue Sharing	-	273,548	-	273,548
10	Scenic material / Makeup Material	68,399,343	108,541,253	-	176,940,596
11	Vehicle Running Expenses (programme)	-	-	-	-
12	RNU Vehicle Running Expenses (programme)	-	242,654	-	242,654
13	Hiring Charges of Camera DSNG / Studio / Hall etc.	7,455,894	13,757,692	-	21,213,586
14	Other Programme Expenses	193,996,659	198,966,563	5,424,257	398,387,479
15	RNU Other Programme Expenses	9,051,782	25,514,689	-	34,566,471
16	Expenses on VIP coverage	-	23,433,710	-	23,433,710
17	Professional / Arbitration / Legal / Audit / CA Charges	10,721,686	19,559,540	1,581,669	31,862,895
18	Deduct Recoveries of previous years	-217,760	-32,408	-	-250,168
19	SAP	-	-	-	-
	Total	1,466,680,054	2,310,275,557	125,807,852	3,902,763,463

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Annexure - IV

Annexure for Accounts for the year 2021-22

Fixed Assets

(Figures in Rs.)

Sr.	Purchase of Fixed Assets	AIR	DD	PB	Total
1	Land	148,750	-	-	148,750
2	buildings				
	(i) Office	226,073	-	-	226,073
	(ii) Residential	-	-	-	-
	(iii) Studio	22,978,711	24,999,451	-	47,978,162
	(iv) Transmitter		-	-	
	(a) Normal	96,903,816	1,811,757	-	98,715,573
	(b) J & K	-	-	-	-
	(c) NE	1,236,239	-	-	1,236,239
3	Plant Machinery & equipment				
	(i) Normal	384,495,239	192,996,497	-	577,491,736
	(ii) J & K	-	-	-	-
	(iii) NE	21,159,365	-	-	21,159,365
	(iv) Tube well and Water Supply	-	-	-	-
4	Vehicles				
	(i) O.B. Van	-	-	-	-
	(ii) Trucks, Jeep and Vans	-	-	-	-
	(iii) Motor Car	-	-	-	-
	(iv) two/three wheeler	-	-	-	-
	(v) others	11,500	-	-	11,500
5	Furniture/Fixtures				
	(i) Cabinets/Almirah etc,	1,581,867	608,803	49,638	2,240,308
	(ii) Air Conditioners, AC plant/ Fridges	2,556,506	1,106,090	22,100	3,684,696
	(iii) Air Coolers	90,131	6,993	-	97,124
	(iv) Water Coolers	720,526	214,372	-	934,898
	(v) Tables/Chairs/Sofas/Carpets	4,457,675	4,513,928	19,831	8,991,434
	(vi) Wooden Partitions	90,798	-	-	90,798
	(vii) Voltage stabilisers/UPS System	706,068	37,896	-	743,964
	(viii) Others	1,898,050	1,342,817	-	3,240,867
6	Office equipments				
	(i) Typewriters	-	-	-	-
	(ii) Photocopiers/ Duplicators	1,522,669	2,127,481	1,032,704	4,682,854
	(iii) Fax machines	-	-	-	-



Sr.	Purchase of Fixed Assets	AIR	DD	PB	Total
	(iv) Others	2,058,284	1,096,501	49,998	3,204,783
7	Computers/Peripherals				
	(i) Computers	10,717,391	11,584,541	-	22,301,932
	(ii) Printers	2,334,490	1,203,830	19,588	3,557,908
	(iii) Software	378,306	385,871	-	764,177
	(iv) Others	2,330,523	2,470,472	3,108,442	7,909,437
8	Electric installations				
	(i) Electric Machinery	1,421,153	151,164	-	1,572,317
	(ii) Lights/ Fans	1,032,920	23,806	20,500	1,077,226
	(iii) Switchgear Equipment	175,112	206,652	-	381,764
	(iv) Transformers	528,583	-	-	528,583
	(v) Electric Wiring & Fitting	641,436	108,886	-	750,322
	(vi) Others	1,446,577	1,026,366	-	2,472,943
9	Capital Works in progress				
	(i) Major Works	88,366,460	10,895,999	-	99,262,459
	(ii) Misc. Works Scheme	11,990,527	3,691,933	-	15,682,460
	(iii) Special repairs	-	-	-	-
10	Arbitration Charges on Capital Works	-	-	-	-
	Total	664,205,745	262,612,106	4,322,801	931,140,652

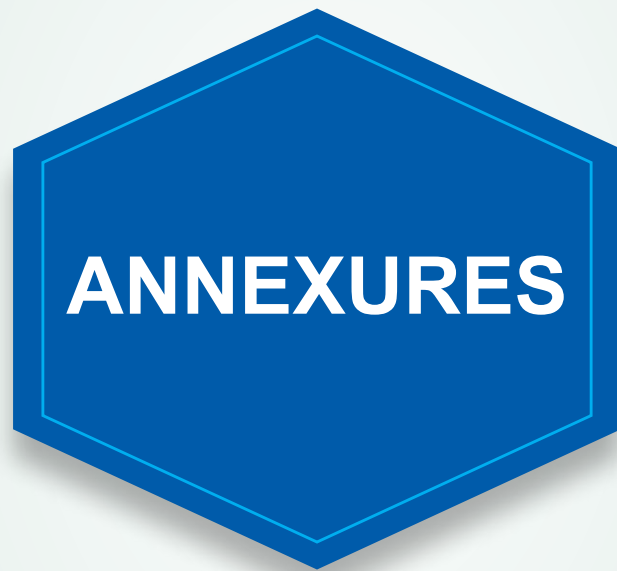
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Annexure-I

State-wise list of Doordarshan Studio centres

State/UT	Location
Andhra Pradesh	Vijayawada
	Tirupati
Arunachal Pradesh	Itanagar
Assam	Dibrugarh
	Guwahati
	Silchar
Bihar	Patna
	Muzaffarpur
Chhattisgarh	Jagdalpur
	Raipur
Goa	Panaji
Gujarat	Ahmedabad
	Rajkot
Haryana	Hissar
Himachal Pradesh	Shimla
Jharkhand	Ranchi
	Daltonganj
Karnataka	Bengaluru
	Gulbarga
Kerala	Kozhikode
	Thiruvananthapuram
	Trichur
Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal
	Indore
	Gwalior
Maharashtra	Mumbai
	Nagpur
	Pune
Manipur	Imphal
Meghalaya	Shillong
	Tura
Mizoram	Aizawl
Nagaland	Kohima

State/UT	Location
Odisha	Bhubaneswar
	Bhawanipatna
	Sambalpur
Punjab	Jalandhar
	Patiala
Rajasthan	Jaipur
Sikkim	Gangtok
Tamil Nadu	Chennai
	Coimbatore
	Madurai
Telangana	Hyderabad
	Warangal
Tripura	Agartala
Uttar Pradesh	Allahabad
	Bareilly
	Lucknow
	Gorakhpur
	Mau
	Varanasi
	Mathura
Uttarakhand	Dehradun
West Bengal	Kolkata
	Shantiniketan
	Jalpaiguri
A & N Islands	Port Blair
Chandigarh	Chandigarh
Delhi	Delhi
	Delhi (CPC)
Puducherry	Puducherry
Jammu & Kashmir	Srinagar
	Jammu
	Rajouri
Ladakh	Leh



Annexure – II

State-wise no. of Transmitters (as on 15.12.2022)

			No. of Transmitters													
Sl. No.	State /UT	No. of Studios	Primary Channel (DD 1)					News Channel (DD News)				Regional Channel				DTT
			HPTs	LPTs	VLPTs	Trp	TOTAL	HPTs	LPTs	VLPTs	TOTAL	HPTs	LPTs	VLPTs	TOTAL	HPTs
1	Andhra Pradesh	2					0				0				0	
2	Arunachal Pradesh	1					0				0				0	
3	Assam	3					0				0				0	
4	Bihar	2					0				0				0	
5	Chhattisgarh	2					0				0				0	
6	Goa	1					0				0				0	
7	Gujarat	2					0				0				0	
8	Haryana	1					0				0				0	
9	Himachal Pradesh	1					0				0				0	
10	Jharkhand	2					0				0				0	
11	Karnataka	2					0				0				0	
12	Kerala	3					0				0				0	
13	Madhya Pradesh	3					0				0				0	
14	Maharashtra	3					0				0				0	
15	Manipur	1					0				0				0	
16	Meghalaya	2					0				0				0	
17	Mizoram	1					0				0				0	
18	Nagaland	1					0				0				0	
19	Odisha	3					0				0				0	
20	Punjab	2					0				0				0	
21	Rajasthan	1					0				0				0	
22	Sikkim	1	1				1	1			1				0	
23	Tamil Nadu	3					0				0				0	
24	Telangana	2					0				0				0	
25	Tripura	1					0				0				0	
26	Uttar Pradesh	7					0				0				0	
27	Uttarakhand	1					0				0				0	
28	West Bengal	3					0				0				0	
29	A. & N. Islands	1	1	1	19		21	1	1	6	8				0	
30	Chandigarh	1					0				0				0	

			No. of Transmitters													
Sl. No.	State /UT	No. of Studios	Primary Channel (DD 1)					News Channel (DD News)				Regional Channel				DTT
			HPTs	LPTs	VLPTs	Trp	TOTAL	HPTs	LPTs	VLPTs	TOTAL	HPTs	LPTs	VLPTs	TOTAL	HPTs
31	Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	--		0			0				0				0	
32	Delhi	2					0				0				0	
33	Jammu & Kashmir	3	1				1	8			8	9	2		11	
34	Ladakh	1	1	1			2					1			1	
35	Lakshadweep	--		1			1				0				0	
36	Puducherry	1	0				0				0				0	
	Total	66	4	3	19	0	26	10	1	6	17	10	2	0	12	
	Total No. of Transmitters – 55															Total DTT – 0



Annexure – III

Details of Doordarshan Satellite Channels (36)

S.No.	All India Channels – 7	S.No.	Regional Channels (24X7) – 21
1	DD National*	1	DD Malyalam
2	DD News*	2	DD Podhigai
3	DD Sports	3	DD Oriya
4	DD Bharati	4	DD Bangla
5	DD Urdu	5	DD Arunprabha
6	DD Kisan	6	DD Saptagiri (Vijaywada)
7	DD Retro	7	DD Chandana
		8	DD Sahyadri
		9	DD Girnar
		10	DD Kashir
		11	DD North East
		12	DD Punjabi
		13	DD Rajasthan
		14	DD Madhya Pradesh
		15	DD Uttar Pradesh
		16	DD Bihar
		17	DD Yadagiri (Hyderabad)
		18	DD Uttarakhand
		19	DD Jharkhand
		20	DD Chhattisgarh
		21	DD Tripura
S.No.	Regional Channels# (Non 24X7) – 7	S.No.	International Channel -1
1	DD Himachal Pradesh	1	DD India HD
2	DD Haryana		
3	DD Mizoram		
4	DD Meghalaya		
5	DD Goa		
6	DD Manipur		
7	DD Nagaland		

Note:

* DD National, DD News & DD India Channels are also available in HD

Up-linking of these 7 Channels are being done round-the-clock (24X7).

Annexure – IV

Brief Details of DD Free Dish channels as on 31.03.2023 Satellite GSAT- 15, 93.5 °E

TS-1	TS-2	TS-3	TS-4	TS-5	TS-6	
Freq (MHz) U/L-14140 D/L - 11090, Pol.- V S.R. -29.5 MSps, FEC - 3/4	Freq (MHz) U/L-14220 D/L -11170, Pol.-V S.R. - 29.5 MSps, FEC - 3/4	Freq (MHz) U/L-14270 D/L- 11470, Pol.-V S.R.- 29.5 MSps, FEC - 3/4	Freq (MHz) U/L-14310 D/L- 11510, Pol.-V S.R.- 29.5 MSps, FEC - 3/4	Freq (MHz) U/L-14350 D/L- 11550, Pol.-V S.R.- 29.5 MSps, FEC - 3/4	Freq (MHz) U/L-14430 D/L -11630, Pol.-V S.R.- 30MSps, FEC - 3/5	
CHANNELS (As per MPEG 4 set top box decoding)						
1. DD-News	19. Manoranjan Grand	37. Dangal 2	55. Star Utsav Movies	75. DD Yadagiri	95. Aashtha Bhajan	
2. DD National	20. Shemaroo Marathibana	38. Colors Cineplex Superhits	56. News 18 India	76. DD UP	96. Chardikala Time TV	
3. DD Retro	21. DD Podhigai	39. Movie Plus	57. 9XM	77. DD Bharati	97. DD Goa	
4. DD Kisan	22. DD Punjabi	40. Manoranjan Movies	58. Sony Wah	78. DD Rajasthan	98. DD Haryana	
5. DD India	23. DD Sahyadri	41. Big Magic	59. Zee Hindustan	79. DD Sports	99. DD Himachal Pradesh	
6. Sun Marathi	24. Fakt Marathi	42. B4U Kadak	60. India News	80. DD Bihar	100. Samay	115. Swadesh News
7. Showbox	25. Sports18 Khel	43. Manoranjan TV	61. MTV Beats	81. DD Jharkhand	101. India News UP/ UK	116. Test_622
8. DD Girnar	26. Sansad TV	44. TV9 Bharatvarsh	62. Masti	82. DD MP	102. Sudarshan News	
9. IsharaTV	27. Sansad TV (Rajya Sabha)	45. Aashtha	63. B-4U Music	83. DD Tripura	103. News 18 UP/UK	
10. ABZY Movies	28. Shemaroo TV	46. Filamchi Bhojpuri	64. India TV	84. DD Chhattisgarh	104. DD Meghalaya	
11. Vedic	29. Dangal	47. ZING	65. News Nation	85. DD Kashir	105. DD Manipur	
12. B-4U Movies	30. Bhojpuri Cinema	48. Zee Anmol Cinema	66. Times Now Novbharat	86. DD Chandana	106. DD Nagaland	
13. Good News Toady	31. Zee Biskope	49. NDTV India	67. Republic Bharat	87. DD Uttarakhand	107. DD Mizoram	
14 Dhamaka Movies B4U	32. ABZY Cool	50. News 24 Think First	68. AajTak	88. DD Saptagiri	108. News State UP/UK	



TS-1	TS-2	TS-3	TS-4	TS-5	TS-6
15 Shemaroo Umang	33. Goldmines	51. Enterr10	69. ABP News	89. DD Malayalam	109. RT
16 Zee Ganga	34. The Q	52. Dhinchak 2	70. Zee News	90. DD Assam	110. Swaraj Express
17. Goldmines Bhojpuri	35. Colors Cineplex Bollywood	53. Popcorn Movies	71. Zee Chitramandir	91. DD Oriya	111. BTV World
18. Manoranjan Prime	36. Goldmines Bollywood	54. Sanskar TV	72. Zee Punjabi	92. DD Arun Prabha	112. K B S World
			73. B4U Bhojpuri	93. DD Bangla	113. DD National HD
			74. Bharat24	94. Test_520	114. DD Urdu
RADIO CHANNELS (As per MPEG 4 set top box decoding)					
1. AIR Live News	9. AIR Gujarat	17 AIR Karnataka	25. AIR Ragam	33. AIR Nagaland	41. FM Rainbow Delhi
2. AIR Telangana	10. AIR Goa	18. AIR West Bengal	26. AIR Jharkhand	34. AIR Mizoram	42. FM Gold Delhi
3. AIR Maharashtra	11. AIR Punjab	19. AIR Hindi	27. AIR Urdu	35. AIR Arunachal	43. AIR Darbhanga
4. AIR Tamil Nadu	12. AIR Puducherry	20. AIR NE Service	28. AIR Odisha	36. AIR Tripura	44. AIR Nazibabad
5. Vividh Bharati	13. AIR Srinagar	21. AIR Uttarakhand	29. AIR Kerala	37. AIR Ladakh	45. AIR World Ser 1
6. AIR Haryana	14. AIR UP	22 AIR Partblair	30. AIR Assam	38. AIR Himachal	46. AIR World Ser 2
7. AIR Andhra	15. AIR Bihar	23. AIR Rajasthan	31. AIR Chhattisgarh	39 AIR Jammu	47. AIR N'hood Ser 1
8. AIR Manipur	16. AIR MP	24. AIR Sikkim	32. AIR Meghalaya	40. Gyanwani	48. AIR N'hood Ser 2
18 TV + 8 RADIO	18 TV + 8 RADIO	18 TV + 8 RADIO	20 TV + 8 RADIO	20 TV + 8 RADIO	22 TV + 8 RADIO

Brief Details of Educational 51 Channels available on DD Free Dish STBs on Satellite GSAT-15, 93.5 E

TS-7	TS-8	TS-9
Freq (MHz) U/L-14390 D/L - 11590, Pol.-V S.R. - 29.5 MSps, FEC - 3/4	Freq (MHz) U/L-14470 D/L -11670, Pol.-V S.R. - 29.5 MSps, FEC - 3/4	Freq (MHz) U/L-14350 D/L -11550, Pol.-H S.R. - 29.5 MSps, FEC - 3/4
117. DD SWYAM Prabha 1	134. DD SWYAM Prabha 18	151. DD Vande Gujarat 1
118. DD SWYAM Prabha 2	135. DD SWYAM Prabha 19	152. DD Vande Gujarat 2
119. DD SWYAM Prabha 3	136. DD SWYAM Prabha 20	153. DD Vande Gujarat 3
120. DD SWYAM Prabha 4	137. DD SWYAM Prabha 21	154. DD Vande Gujarat 4
121. DD SWYAM Prabha 5	138. DD SWYAM Prabha 22	155. DD Vande Gujarat 5
122. DD SWYAM Prabha 6	139. DD eVidya 1	156. DD Vande Gujarat 6
123. DD SWYAM Prabha 7	140. DD eVidya 2	157. DD Vande Gujarat 7
124. DD SWYAM Prabha 8	141. DD eVidya 3	158. DD Vande Gujarat 8
125. DD SWYAM Prabha 9	142. DD eVidya 4	159. DD Vande Gujarat 9
126. DD SWYAM Prabha 10	143. DD eVidya 5	160. DD Vande Gujarat 10
127. DD SWYAM Prabha 11	144. DD eVidya 6	161. DD Vande Gujarat 11
128. DD SWYAM Prabha 12	145. DD eVidya 7	162. DD Vande Gujarat 12
129. DD SWYAM Prabha 13	146. DD eVidya 8	163. DD Vande Gujarat 13
130. DD SWYAM Prabha 14	147. DD eVidya 9	164. DD Vande Gujarat 14
131. DD SWYAM Prabha 15	148. DD eVidya 10	165. DD Vande Gujarat 15
132. DD SWYAM Prabha 16	149. DD eVidya 11	166. DD Vande Gujarat 16
133. DD SWYAM Prabha 17	150. DD eVidya 12	167. DD DigiShala
Total Tv Channel capacity: - 167 TV (145 Channels in MPEG-2, SD (including 51 Educational channels) + 21 channels in MPEG-4, + 1 HD channel in MPEG-4) Total RADIO Channels capacity: - 48 Total available TV channels at present:- 165 (144 channels in SD MPEG-2 (including 51 Educational channels) + 20 channels in SD MPEG 4 + 1 HD channel in HD in MPEG-4)		



Annexure - V

Major events covered live by Doordarshan

List of Annual Events (Live) in DD Channels for the Year – 2022-2023

Sl. No.	Date	Programme	Venue
1	01.04.2022	Pariksha Pe Charcha 2022, interaction of Hon'ble Prime Minister with Students	Talkatora Stadium, New Delhi
2	09.04.2022 & 10.04.2022	Opening Ceremony for the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (CPA) Executive Committee Celebration of Rama Navami	Assam Legislative Assembly, Guwahati Ayodhya, Uttar Pradesh
3	11.04.2022 & 12.04.2022	Inaugural Function of 8th Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (CPA) India Region Conference Valedictory Session	Assam Legislative Assembly, Guwahati
4	14.04.2022	Celebration of Mukoli Bihu	Judges Field, Guwahati
5	14.04.2022	Floral Tributes to Baba Saheb Dr B R Ambedkar (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Ambedkar Statue, Parliament Lawn
6		Inauguration of PMs' Museum (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Teenmurti, New Delhi
7	20.04.2022	Keertan and Address by Hon'ble Home Minister on the occasion of the 400th Parkash Gurburab of Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji	Red Fort, New Delhi
8	21.04.2022 & 20.04.2022	Keertan and Address by Hon'ble Prime Minister and Release of Commemorative Coin and Postal Stamp on the occasion of the 400th Parkash Gurburab of Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji	
		Inaugural Ceremony of Civil Services Day 2022 (CG- Hon'ble UM of State)	Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi
9	21.04.2022	Valedictory Session and Awards Event of Civil Services Day 2022 (CG- Hon'ble PM)	
10	24.04.2022	Hon'ble Prime Minister's visit to Jammu	Panchayat Palli, Jammu
11	24.04.2022	Hon'ble Prime Minister's visit to Mumbai	Sri Shanmukhananda Saraswati Auditorium, Mumbai
12	27.04.2022	Inauguration of AIR FM Station by Hon'ble Vice President	AIR FM Station, Nellore, Andhra Pradesh
13	28.04.2022	Peace and development rally by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Karbi Anglong, Assam
14	02.05.2022 06.05.2022 10.05.2022	Yoga Day Celebration (CG- Hon'ble Ayush Minister)	Shivsagar, Assam
15	10.05.2022 & 22.05.2022	Defence Investiture Ceremony – I (CG- Hon'ble President)	Rashtrapati Bhavan, New Delhi
		Presentation of President's Colours to Assam Police (CG- Hon'ble HM)	Nehru Stadium, Guwahati, Assam

Sl. No.	Date	Programme	Venue
		Inaugural ceremony of 250th Birth Anniversary of Raja Ram Mohan Roy	Raja Ram Mohan Roy Library Foundation, Salt Lake, Kolkata and at Science City Auditorium, Kolkata
16	26.05.2022	Inaugurate and commission various projects in Chennai (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Jawaharlal Nehru Indoor Stadium, Chennai
17		20th Anniversary of Indian School of Business (ISB), Hyderabad (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Indian School of Business (ISB), Hyderabad
18	27.05.2022	Inauguration of India Drone Festival (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Hall No. 5, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi
19	27.05.2022	Celebration of Yoga Mahotsav in Hyderabad	L B Stadium, Basheerbagh, Hyderabad
		Hon'ble President speech on 125th year celebration of Kai. Smt. Laxmi Bai Dagadushath Halwai Datta Mandir Trust	Pune, Maharashtra
20	27.05.2022	Investiture Ceremony of RPF (Hon'ble M/o Railways)	Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi
21	29.05.2022	Visit to Kalidas Sanskrit Academy, Ujjain	Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh
22	30.05.2022	Visit to Dhanwantari Ayurveda Medical College, Ujjain	Khetarpal Parade Ground, National Defence Academy, Khadakwasla, Pune (Mah.)
		Passing Out Parade of National Defence Academy	
23	31.05.2022	Hon'ble Prime Minister's interaction with beneficiaries at Shimla	Ridge Maidan, Shimla (H.P.)
		Defence Investiture Ceremony – II (CG- Hon'ble President)	Rashtrapati Bhavan, New Delhi
24	03.06.2022	Ground Breaking Ceremony@3.0 (CG- Hon'ble PM)	IG Pratishthan, Lucknow (UP)
		Hon'ble President's visit to Pathri Mata Mandir, Dr B R Ambedkar Statue & Milan Kendra	Pathri Mata Mandir, Dr B R Ambedkar Statue & Milan Kendra, Kanpur (UP)
25	09.06.2022 & 10.06.2022	The 5th Annual Convocation of IIM, Jammu (CG- Hon'ble President)	IIM Jammu Campus; Old University Campus, Canal Road, Jammu
		Address by Hon'ble Prime Minister in Adivasi Gourav Sammelan	Navsari, Gujarat
		Inauguration of A.M. Naik Healthcare Complex by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Navsari, Gujarat
26		Inauguration of IN-SPACE HQ by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Ahmedabad, Gujarat
27	11.06.2022, 13.06.2022, 14.06.2022	Passing Out Parade Spring Term 2022	Officers Training Academy, Gaya (Bihar)
		Khelo India Closing Ceremony	Indradhanush Auditorium, Panchkula, Haryana



Sl. No.	Date	Programme	Venue
		Annual Car Festival of Lord Jagannath 2022 – Snana Jatra	Puri
28	14.06.2022	Visit to Sant Tukaram Mandir, Pune by Hon'ble PM	Sant Tukaram Mandir, Pune
		Public Rally by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Dehu, Pune
29	18.06.2022	Inauguration of Bandra-Kurla Complex by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Bandra Kurla Complex, Mumbai
		Visit of Shree Kalika Mataji Temple by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Pavagadh, Gujarat
		Visit of Virasat Van by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Virasat Van, Pavagadh, Gujarat
		Gujarat Gaurav Abhiyaan – Vadodara (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Vadodara, Gujarat
30	20.06.2022	Inauguration of Centre for Brain Research Centre (CG- Hon'ble PM)	IISc, Bengaluru
		Dedication to the nation of the various projects (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Komaghata, Bengaluru
		Inauguration of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar University BASE (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Dr. B. R. Ambedkar University, Bengaluru
31	21.06.2022, 30.06.2022, 01.07.2022	Laying of Foundation stone(CG- Hon'ble PM)	Maharaja Collage Ground, Mysuru
		Programme at Suttur Mutt, Mysuru (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Suttur Mutt, Mysuru
		Darshan and Puja Sri Chamundeswari Temple, Mysuru (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Sri Chamundeswari Temple, Mysuru
		8th International Day of Yoga celebrations (CG-Hon'ble PM)	Mysuru Place Ground, Karnataka
		Launch of PSLV-C53/DS-EO mission	Satish Dhawan Space Centre (SHAR), Sriharikota
		Coverage of Rath Yatra Festival	Puri
32	01.07.2022	Annual Car Festival of Lord Jagannath 2022 – Car Festival	Puri
33	02.07.2022 & 03.07.2022	Annual Car Festival of Lord Jagannath 2022 – Adapa Bije	Puri
34	03.07.2022 & 04.07.2022	Address a public meeting by Hon'ble PM Unveil the statue of freedom fighter Shri Alluri Sitarama Raju to commemorate his 125th Birth Anniversary by Hon'ble PM	Parade Ground, Hyderabad Bhimavaram Town, West Godavari Dist., Andhra Pradesh
35	04.07.2022	Hon'ble PM's visit to Gandhinagar	Mahatma Mandir, Gandhinagar (Gujarat)
36	07.07.2022	Inauguration of Akshaya Patra, LT College, Varanasi (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Akshaya Patra, LT College, Varanasi

Sl. No.	Date	Programme	Venue
		Rashtriya Shiksha Sammelan – Rudraksh International Convention Centre, Varanasi (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Rudraksh International Convention Centre, Varanasi
		Public Function – Sampurnanath Sport Complex, Sigra (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Sampurnanath Sport Complex, Sigra, Varanasi
37	09.07.2022 , 10.07.2022 &11.07.2022 &12.07.2022	Annual Car Festival of Lord Jagannath 2022 –Return Car Festival	Puri
		Annual Car Festival of Lord Jagannath 2022	Puri
38	12.07.2022	Visit to Airport and inauguration by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Deoghar, Jharkhand
		Visit to Baba Baidyanath Temple by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Baba Baidyanath Temple, Dardmara, Jharkhand
39	16.07.2022, 18.07.2022 to 22.07.2022	Attend centenary of Bihar Assembly by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Vidhan Sabha Complex, Patna, Bihar
		Inauguration of Bundelkhand Expressway, Jalaun by Hon'ble PM	Bundelkhand Expressway, Jalaun (UP)
40	23.07.2022	Farewell by Members of Parliament to Hon'ble President	Central Hall, Parliament House, New Delhi
41	24.07.2022 & 25.07.2022	Farewell address to the Nation by Hon'ble outgoing President	Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi
		Swearing-in-Ceremony of Hon'ble President Elect	Central Hall, Parliament House, New Delhi
42	28.07.2022	Laying of Foundaiton Stone/ Inauguration of various projects of Sabar Dairy by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Gadhauda Chawkd, Sabarkantha, Gujarat
43	29.07.2022 42nd	Inauguration of 44th FIDE Chess Olympiad by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Chess Olympiad, Chennai
		42nd Convocation of Anna University(CG- Hon'ble PM)	Anna University, Chennai
44	30.07.2022	Programme at Gift City (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Gift City, Gandhinagar, Gujarat
		Passing Out Parade and Pipping Ceremony	Officers Training Academy, Chennai
45	30.07.2022 & 31.07.2022	Inaugural Ceremony of 1st All India District Legal Services Authorities' Meet	Plenary Hall, Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi
		Valedictory Ceremony of 1st All India District Legal Services Authorities' Meet	Gift City, Gandhinagar, Gujarat
46	07.08.2022	Launch of SSLV-D1/EOS-02 mission	



Sl. No.	Date	Programme	Venue
47	11.08.2022, & 15.08.2022	Oath Ceremony of Vice President of India (Elect) (CG- Hon'ble President)	Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi The Ramparts of Red Fort, Delhi
		76th Independence Day 2022 Celebrations (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Netaji Stadium, Port Blair
48	19.08.2022, 20.08.2022 & 24.08.2022	Independence Day Celebration(deferred live)	Mathura (UP) and Dwarka (Gujarat) Faridabad, Haryana
		The Janmashtami Celebtations 2022	
		Inauguration of Amrita Hospital by Hon'ble PM	
49	25.08.2022	Inauguration of Homi Bhabha Cancer Hospital & Research Centre by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Mullanpur, Mohali, Chandigarh Taj Hotel, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh
		Inauguration of National Labour Conference (through video conference) by Hon'ble Prime Minister	
50	25.08.2022 & 27.08.2022	Smart India Hackathon 2022 (through video conference)(CG- Hon'ble PM)	Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi
		Swearing-in Ceremony of Chief Justice of India (CG- Hon'ble President)	
51	27.08.2022 & 28.08.2022	Khadi Utsav and inauguration of several projects including footbridge on Sabarmati River front by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Sabarmati River Front, Ahmedabad, Gujarat
		Visit and inauguration of Smritivan Memorial by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Smriti Van Memorial, Bhuj, Gujarat
52	01.09.2022	Address of a Public Meeting by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Kochi, Kerala
		Visit to Shri Adi Shankara Janambhumi Kshetram by Hon'ble Prime Minister	KSKV University Ground, Bhuj, Gujarat
53	02.09.2022, & 04.09.2022	Laying of Foundation Stone/Inauguration/Dedication to the Nation of various projects of Kochi Metro and Indian Railways by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Mahatma Mandir, Gandhinagar, Gujarat
		Commissioning Ceremony of Indigenous Aircraft Carrier 'Vikrant' by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Naval Dockyard, Kochi, Kerala Mangaluru, Karnataka Punnamada Lake, Alappuzha, Kerala
54	05.09.2022,& 08.09.2022	Laying of Foundation Stone/Dedication to the Nation of various projects by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Mahatma Mandir, Gandhinagar, Gujarat
55	10.09.2022 & 12.09.2022	National Award to Teachers(CG- Hon'ble President)	Mahatma Mandir, Gandhinagar, Gujarat
		Inauguration of Central Vista Avenue and Unveiling of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose statue by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Expo Mart, Greater Noida (U.P.)

Sl. No.	Date	Programme	Venue
		The 135th Birth Anniversary of Bharat Ratna Pt. Govind Ballabh Pant	Mahatma Mandir, Gandhinagar, Gujarat
56	16.09.2022 & 17.09.2022	Inauguration of World Dairy Summit 2022 (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Pradhan Mantri Sangrahalaya, New Delhi
		Book release by Ex-President Public address by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Karhal, Sheopur, Madhya Pradesh
57	23.09.2022	Visit to Vigyan Bhawan by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi
		Inauguration of National Conference of Ministers of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Ekta Nagar, Gujarat
58	24.09.2022 & 24.09.2022	Hon'ble Prime Minister's visit to Mandi	Mandi, Himachal Pradesh
		NSS Award Ceremony (CG- Hon'ble President)	Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi
59	25.09.2022 to 05.10.2022	Ayodhya Ram Leela Celebration	Ayodhya, Uttar Pradesh
		Morning Aarti from Chhatarpur Mandir	Chhatarpur Mandir, New Delhi
60	26.09.2022 to 05.10.2022 29.09.2022	Special programme on Navratri (Garba)	GMDC Ground, Gujarat
		Laying of Foundation Stone, Inauguration and Dedication to the Nation of various projects by Hon'ble PM	Surat, Gujarat
		Laying of Foundation Stone and Inauguration of various projects by Hon'ble PM	Bhavnagar, Gujarat
		Opening Ceremony of 36th National Games (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Narendra Modi Stadium, Ahmedabad, Gujarat
61		Navratri Festival (CG- Hon'ble PM)	GMDC Ground, Ahmedabad, Gujarat
62	30.09.2022, 01.10.2022 & 02.10.2022	Hon'ble President's meeting with the Officer Trainees of Indian Foreign Service of 2021 Flagging-off Vande Bharat Express and Ride of Vande Bharat Express by Hon'ble PM	Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi Gandhinagar Railway Station, Gujarat
		Navratri Festival (CG- Hon'ble PM)	GMDC Ground, Ahmedabad, Gujarat
63	03.10.2022 & 05.10.2022	Walk through of Exhibition on Ahmedabad Metro Rail Project (CG- Hon'ble PM) Flagging-off of Metro Train and Ride of Ahmedabad Metro by Hon'ble PM	Kalupur Metro Station, Gujarat Ahmedabad, Gujarat



Sl. No.	Date	Programme	Venue
64	05.10.2022	Inauguration of Ahmedabad Metro Ph-I and Vande Bharat Express by Hon'ble PM Laying of Foundation Stone and Dedication of various projects by Hon'ble PM	Ahmedabad Education Society, Ahmedabad, Gujarat Ambaji, Gujarat
65	30.9.2022 & 1.10.2022	Navratri Festival (CG- Hon'ble PM)	GMDC Ground, Ahmedabad, Gujarat
		Presentation Ceremony of the "68th National Film Awards"(CG- Hon'ble President) Launch of 5G Services by Hon'ble PM	Vigyan Bhawan, & Pragati Maidan, New Delhi
		Presentation Ceremony of the "68th National Film Awards" (CG- Hon'ble President) Launch of 5G Services by Hon'ble PM The 153rd Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi (Gandhi Jayanti) and International Day of Non-Violence	Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi Pragati Maidan, New Delhi Gandhi Smriti, 5, Tees January Marg, New Delhi
		Induction Ceremony of Light Combat Helicopter (LCH) (CG- Hon'ble Raksha Mantri)	Air Force Station, Jodhpur (Rajasthan)
66	08.10.2022 & 09.10.2022	Dussera Procession Jumbo Sawari	Mysuru (Karnataka)
67	October, 2022	Visit & Inauguration of AIIMS Bilaspur by Hon'ble Prime Minister Laying of Foundation Stone / Inauguration of various projects by Hon'ble Prime Minister	AIIMS Bilaspur (Himachal Pradesh)
		Dussehra Rath Yatra	Rath Ground, Kullu (Himachal Pradesh)
		The 90th Anniversary of Indian Air Force Day	Air Force Station, Chandigarh Sukhna Lake, Chandigarh
68	10.10.2022	Public Function: Laying of Foundation Stone/ Dedication to the Nation of various projects by Hon'ble Prime Minister Public Function: Laying of Foundation Stone/ Dedication to the Nation of various projects by Hon'ble Prime Minister Inauguration of Modi Shaikshanik Sankul by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Modhera, Mehsana (Gujarat)
69	11.10.2022 & 12.10.2022	Public Function: Laying of Foundation Stone/ Dedication to the Nation of various projects by Hon'ble Prime Minister Public Function: Laying of Foundation Stone/ Dedication to the Nation of various projects by Hon'ble Prime Minister Public Function: Laying of Foundation Stone/ Dedication to the Nation of various projects by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Shantigram Cricket Ground, Ahmedabad (Gujarat)

Sl. No.	Date	Programme	Venue
70	12.10.2022	Public Function: Laying of Foundation Stone/ Dedication to the Nation of various projects by Hon'ble Prime Minister Inauguration to Mahakal Corridor by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Ahmedabad (Gujarat)
71	13.10.2022, 12.10.2022 & 13.10.2022	Public Function: Laying of Foundation Stone/ Dedication to the Nation of various projects by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Ujjain (Madhya Pradesh) Bhim Auditorium, Ambedkar International Centre, 15 Janpath, New Delhi
		Inauguration of Tripura State Judicial Academy and Foundation Stone Laying of Tripura National Law University by Hon'ble President Virtual Inauguration and Foundation Stone Laying various projects by Hon'ble President	Tripura State Judicial Academy, Narsinharh, Agartala (Tripura)
		Flagging off of Agartala-Jiribam-Agartala Jan Shatabdi Express upto Khongsasng (Manipur) by Hon'ble President	Rabindra Sata Barshiki Bhawan, Agartala (Tripura) Agartala Railway Station, Agartala (Tripura)
72	19.10.2022	Closing Ceremony of the National Games 2022(CG- Hon'ble VP)	Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyay Indoor Stadium, Surat (Gujarat)
73	19.10.2022	Hon'ble Prime Minister's visit to Chamba	Chamba, Himachal Pradesh
		Wreath laying by United Nations Secretary General	Taj Mahal Palace Hotel, Mumbai
		United Nations Secretary General's talk at IIT Bombay	IIT Bombay, Powai, Mumbai
		Defence Expo 2022 (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Mahatma Mandir, Gandhinagar (Gujarat)
		Launch of Mission Schools of Excellence	Trimandir, Adalaj, Gandhinagar (Gujarat)
74	20.10.2022	Laying of Foundation Stone of various projects	Junagarh (Gujarat)
		Laying of Foundation Stone, Inauguration and Dedication to the Nation of various projects	Race Course Ground, Rajkot (Gujarat)
		Inauguration of Exhibition on innovative Construction Practices	Shastri Maidan, Rajkot (Gujarat)
75	21.10.2022& 22.10.2022 to 23.10.2022 & 24.10.2022	Global launch of Mission Life	Kevadia (Gujarat)
		10th Heads of Mission Conference	Tent City II, Kevadia (Gujarat)
76	27.10.2022 & 28.10.2022	Laying of Foundation Stone of projects	Vyara (Gujarat)



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77	29.10.2022	Police Commemoration Day Parade	National Police Memorial (NPM), Chanakyapuri, New Delhi
		Launch of LVM3-M2/OnewebIndia – 1 Mission	Satish Dhawan Space Centre (SDSC-SHAR), Sriharikota
78	30.10.2022 & 31.10.2022	Celebration of Kali Puja from Dakshineswar Kali Temple	Dakshineswar Kali Temple, Kolkata
		Presentation of Silver Trumpet and Trumpet Banner to the President's Bodyguard (CG- Hon'ble President)	Forecourt of Rashtrapati Bhavan, New Delhi
		UNCTC event at Taj Mahal Palace Hotel	Taj Mahal Palace Hotel, Mumbai
		UNCTC event at Taj Palace Hotel	Taj Palace Hotel, Chanakyapuri, Delhi
		Passing Out Parade and Pipping Ceremony	Officers Training Academy, Chennai
79	31.10.2022 (Monday)	Laying of Foundation Stone of manufacturing plant of IAF Transport Aircraft (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Leprosy Ground, Vadodara (Gujarat)
		'Rashtriya Ekta Diwas' (National Unity Day) (CG- Hon'ble HM)	Sardar Patel Chowk, New Delhi
		Paying floral tributes to Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Statue of Unity, Kevadia (Gujarat)
		Rashtriya Ekta Divas Parade (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Parade Ground, Kevadia (Gujarat)
		AARAMBH – 2022 (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Statue of Unity, Kevadia (Gujarat)
80	01.11.2022 (Tuesday)	Address a large public meeting (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Maangadh Dham Mandir (Rajasthan)
		Foundation Stone/ Dedication of various projects (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Jambughoda (Gujarat)
81	03.11.2022 (Thursday)	17th Convocation Ceremony of Mizoram University (CG- Hon'ble President)	Multipurpose Hall, Mizoram University Campus, Aizawl, Mizoram
82	04.11.2022 (Friday)	Address the Special Session of eighth Mizoram State (CG- Hon'ble President)	Assembly House, Aizawl, Mizoram
83	08.11.2022 (Tuesday)	Shabad-Keertan on the occasion of Parkash Purab of Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji	Bhai Lakhi Shah Vanjara Hall, Gurdwara Rakab Ganj Sahib, New Delhi
84	08.11.2022 (Tuesday)	Shabad Keertan (Parkash Parv) on the occasion of Birth Anniversary of Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji	Golden Temple Sri Amritsar Sahib, Amritsar, Punjab

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		Gurudwara Sri Ber Sahib Sultanpur Lodhi (Kapurthala), Punjab	
85	12.11.2022 to 14.11.2022	Rajarani Music Festival 2022	Rajarani Temple Premises, Bhubaneswar
86	19.11.2022 (Saturday)	Swachh Vidyalaya Puruskar Distribution (CG- Hon'ble M/o Education)	Akashwani Rang Bhawan Auditorium, Akashwani Bhawan, New Delhi
87	19.11.2022 (Saturday)	Inauguration of Donyi Polo Airport by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Itanagar (Arunachal Pradesh)
		Inauguration of Kashi Tamil Sangamam by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Amphi Theatre Ground, BHU, Varanasi (Uttar Pradesh)
88	20.11.2022 (Sunday)	The 53rd International Film Festival of India (IFFI) 2022 – Opening Ceremony	Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukherjee Stadium, Bamboli, Panaji (Goa)
89	25.11.2022 (Friday)	400th Birth Anniversary of Lachit Barphukan (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi
90	26.11.2022 (Saturday)	Function to commemorate “Samvidhan Divas” (CG- Hon'ble President)	Central Hall, Parliament House, New Delhi
91	28.11.2022 (Monday)	The 53rd International Film Festival of India (IFFI) 2022 – Closing Ceremony	Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukherjee Stadium, Bamboli, Panaji (Goa)
92	30.11.2022 (Wednesday)	Presentation of Major Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna Award Ceremony (CG- Hon'ble President)	Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi
93	01.12.2022 to 05.12.2022	Konark Festival 2022	Open Air Auditorium, Konark, Puri (Odisha)
94	04.12.2022 (Sunday)	The 58th Raising Day of Border Security Force (BSF) (CG- Hon'ble HM)	Sector Headquarter BSF, Khasa, Amritsar (Punjab)
95	04.12.2022 (Sunday)	Hon'ble President speech- Civic Recpetion	Vijayawada (AP)
		Hon'ble President speech- Operational Demonstration by Indian Navy and virtual inauguration and foundation stone laying of projects	RK Beach, Visakhapatnam (AP)
		Navy Day Reception (CG- Hon'ble President)	Ananthagiri, Navy House Annexe (AP)
96	05.12.2022 (Monday)	Visit to Sri Vari Temple (Lord Venkateswara Temple) (CG- Hon'ble President)	Tirumala (AP)
		Visit to TTD's Gow Mandir (CG- Hon'ble President)	Near Aipiri Toll Plazza, Tirupati (AP)
		Interaction with students and faculty members Women SHGs/Women Achievers (CG- Hon'ble President)	Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalam, Tirupati (AP)
97	06.12.2022 (Tuesday)	The 66th Mahaparinirvan Divas	Chaitya Bhoomi, Dadar, Mumbai



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98	08.12.2022 (Thursday)	Hon'ble President's address – Civic Reception & virtual inauguration/ Foundation stone laying of the projects of the Uttarakhand Govt.	Dehradun Uttarakhand
99	09.12.2022 (Friday)	Inauguration of Polo Ground and Institution of Happy Valley Civil Service Arena Polo Cup and	Polo Ground, Mussoorie, Uttarakhand
		Valedictory Address to the 97th Common Foundation Course (CFC)	LBSNAA, Mussoorie, Uttarakhand
		Hon'ble President's address – Convocation of Doon University	Doon University, Uttarakhand
100	10.12.2022 (Saturday)	The inaugural session of the National Stakeholders Consultation on POCO	Supreme Court Auditorium, New Delhi
101	10.12.2022 (Saturday)	Passing Out Parade and Allied Activities	Officers Training Academy, Gaya (Bihar)
		Piping Ceremony	
102	10.12.2022 (Saturday)	Celebration of Human Rights Day, 2022 (CG- Hon'ble President)	Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi
103	11.12.2022 (Sunday)	Flagging of Vande Bharat Exp., Nagpur Railway Station (CG- Hon'le PM)	Nagpur Railway Station, Nagpur, Maharashtra
		Inauguration of AIIMS	Nagpur, Maharashtra
		Public Function, AIIMS	Nagpur, Maharashtra
		Exhibition on Ayurveda and Public Function on 9th World Ayurveda Conference	Goa
		Inauguration of Greenfield International Airport	Greenfield International Airport, Goa
104	12.12.2022 (Monday)	Swearing-in-Ceremony of the new Government of Gujarat (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Gandhinagar, Gujarat
105	13.12.2022 (Tuesday)	Floral Tributes to the Martyrs in Parliament House	Parliament House, New Delhi
106	14.12.2022 (Wednesday)	Energy Conservation Award Function (CG- Hon'ble President)	Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi
107	14.12.2022 (Wednesday)	Inaugural function of Pramukh Swami Maharaj Shatabdi Mahotsav (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Ahmedabad, Gujarat
108	17.12.2022 (Saturday)	The Combined Graduation Parade (CGP), Autumn Term 2022	Air Force Academy, Hyderabad
109	18.12.2022 (Sunday)	North East Council Meeting Golden Jubilee Celebration (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Shillong (Meghalaya)
		Laying of foundation stone of various projects (CG- Hon'ble PM)	

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		Laying of foundation stone of various projects (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Agartala (Tripura)
110	24.12.2022 (Saturday)	The Midnight Mass at St. Peter's Basilica	Vatican City, Rome
111	25.12.2022 (Sunday)	Floral Tributes to Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee and Sarvdharm Prarthana (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Sadaiv Atal Samadhi, New Delhi
112	26.12.2022 to 29.12.2022	(Winter Session 2022) Question Hour – Lok Sabha	Parliament House, New Delhi
		Question Hour – Rajya Sabha	
113	26.12.2022 (Monday)	Visit to Srisailem Temple and Inauguration of projects of M/o Tourism – Live (CG- Hon'ble President)	Srisailem, Andhra Pradesh
		Visit to Sri Shivaji Spoorthy Kendram	
		Floral Tributes at War Memorial	Bolarum, Secunderabad, Hyderabad
114	27.12.2022 (Tuesday)	Visit to Keshav Memorial Education Society, Inauguration of Photo Exhibition and Interaction with students and faculty members at the Society's Camps (Hon'ble President's speech – Live)	Narayanaguda, Hyderabad
		Interaction with the Officer Trainees of Indian Police Service of 74th Regular Recruit Batches and Foreign Officer from Bhutan, Nepal, Maldives and Mauritius (Hon'ble President's speech – Live)	Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel National Police Academy, Hyderabad
		Inauguration of Wide Plate Mill of Mishra Dhatu Nigam Ltd. (MIDHANI – a PSU under M/o Defence)	Mishra Dhatu Nigam Ltd., Kanchanbagh, Hyderabad
115	28.12.2022 (Wednesday)	Visit to Sri Seetharama Chandra Swamyvari Devasthanam	Bhadrachalam, Telangana
		Inauguration of Sammakka Saralamma Janjathi Pujari Sammelan and virtual inauguration of PRASHAD project of M/o Tourism and 02 EMRS of M/o Tribal Affairs (Hon'ble President's speech – Live)	Telangana
		Visit to Ramappa Temple (Rudreshwara Temple) and launch of PRASHAD project of M/o Tourism and Foundation stone laying project of M/o Culture	Mulugu Taluq, Warangal Distt., Telangana
116	29.12.2022 (Thursday)	Visit to G. Narayanamma Institute of Technology & Science (for Women) and interaction with students and faculty members (Hon'ble President's speech – Live)	Shaikpet, Hyderabad
		Visit to stute of Equality (Sri Ramanujacharya Swami)	Sriramnagaram, Shamshabad, Telangana
117	30.12.2022 (Friday)	Visit to Sri Lakshmi Narasibha Swamy Temple	Telangana



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118	29.12.2022 (Thursday)	The 356th Birth Anniversary Celebrations of Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji	Takhat Sri Harimandir Ji, Patna Saheb (Bihar)
119	29.12.2022 (Thursday)	Shabad Keertan on the occasion of Parkash Purab of Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji	Bhai Lakhi Shah Vanjara Hall, Gurdwara Rakab Ganj Sahib, New Delhi
120	30.12.2022 (Friday)	Flagging off Vande Bharat Express & inauguration of Metro by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Howrah Railway Station, West Bengal
		Floral tributes to Netaji Subhas Chand at INS Netaji Subhas Dock	INS, Netaji Subhas Dock, West Bengal
121	03.01.2023 (Tuesday)	108th Session of the Indian Science Congress (ISC) (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur (Mah.)
122	03.01.2023 (Tuesday)	Inauguration of the Sanvidhan Udyan - (Hon'ble President's speech – Live)	Raj Bhavan, Jaipur, Rajasthan
		Meeting with PVTGs delegation	
		Launch of National Campaign of RISE, Virtual inauguration of Brahma Kumaris Silence Retreat Centre, Secunderabad and Foundation Stone laying of Auditorium & Spiritual Art Gallery	Secunderabad, Abu Road, Rajasthan
123	04.01.2023 (Wednesday)	Visit to Pandav Bhavan	Pandav Bhawan, Mount Abu, Rajasthan
		Inauguration of 18th National Jamboree of the Bharat Scouts & Guides Udyan - (Hon'ble President's speech – Live)	Neembli Bramnan, Rohat-Pali, Rajasthan
124	07.01.2023 (Saturday)	Digital India Awards, 2022 (Hon'ble President)	Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi
125	09.01.2023 (Monday)	Inauguration of 17th Pravasi Bharatiya Divas Convention by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Indore, Madhya Pradesh
126	10.01.2023 (Tuesday)	Meeting with the President of the Suriname (CG- Hon'ble President)	Brilliant Convention Centre, Vijay Nagar, Indore
		Meeting with the President of the Guyana (CG- Hon'ble President)	Indore, Madhya Pradesh
		Presentation of the Pravasi Bharatiya Samman Awards at the 17th Pravasi Bharatiya Divas (CG- Hon'ble President)	
127	10.01.2023 (Tuesday)	Jai Hind Light and Sound Show (CG- Hon'ble HM)	Red Fort, New Delhi
128	11.01.2023 (Wednesday)	The 176th Annual Aradhana Festival and Pancharatna Kritis of composer Saint Thyagaraja	Tiruvaiyaru, Tamilnadu
129	11.01.2023 (Wednesday)	Inaugural Session of 83rd All India Presiding Officers' Conference by Hon'ble Vice President	Assembly Hall, Rajasthan Vidhan Sabha, Jaipur (Rajasthan)
130	12.01.2023 (Thursday)	Valedictory Session of 83rd All India Presiding Officers' Conference by Hon'ble Governor of Rajasthan	

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131	12.01.2023 (Thursday)	The National Youth Festival (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Dharwad, Karnataka
132	12.01.2023 (Thursday)	Flagging off Ceremony and cultural events in connection with Ganga Vilas Epic Cruise	Ghats of Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh
133	13.01.2023 (Friday)		
134	14.01.2023 to 16.01.2023	Mukteswar Dance Festival	Mukteswar Temple, Bhubaneswar (Odisha)
135	14.01.2023 (Saturday)	Makaravilakku Festival from the famous Sabarimala Temple	Sabrimala Temple, Kerala
136	14.01.2023, 15.01.2023 & 24.01.2023	Makar Sankranti Festival, Khichdi Mela & Budhwa Mangal	Gorakhpur Temple, Gorakhpur (UP)
137	15.01.2023 (Sunday)	Makar Sankranti Festival, Khichdi Mela and Interview of Hon'ble CM of UP	Gorakhpur Temple, Gorakhpur (Uttar Pradesh)
138	15.01.2023 (Sunday)	The Annual Army Day Parade 2023	Bengaluru, Karnataka
139	19.01.2023 (Thursday)	Laying of foundation stone/Inauguration of various projects (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Kodekal, Karnataka
		Distribution of Records of Rights and laying the foundation stone of projects (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Malkhed, Karnataka
		Laying of foundation stone/Inauguration/ Dedication to the Nation of various projects (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Mumbai, Maharashtra
		Inauguration of Mumbai Metro Rail Lines 2A & 7 (Ph. II) and Metro Ride (CG- Hon'ble PM)	
140	23.01.2023 (Monday)	Celebration of 126th Birth Anniversary of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Dr B R Ambedkar Institute of Technology, Dollygunj, Port Blair
141	23.01.2023 (Monday)	Aadi Shaurya: Parv Parakram Ka (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Jawahar Lal Nehru Stadium, New Delhi
142	24.01.2023 (Tuesday)	Aadi Shaurya: Parv Parakram Ka (CG- Hon'ble President)	
143	25.01.2023 (Wednesday)	The Republic Day eve message by Hon'ble President to the Nation	
144	26.01.2023 (Thursday)	The Republic Day Parade 2023	Kartavya Path, New Delhi
145	27.01.2023 (Friday)	Pariksha Pe Charcha 2023, interaction of Hon'ble Prime Minister with Students	Talkatora Stadium, New Delhi
146	28.01.2023 (Saturday)	The Prime Minister's Annual NCC Rally 2023 (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Cariappa Parade Ground, Delhi Cantt., New Delhi



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147	29.01.2023 (Sunday)	Beating the Retreat 2023	Vijay Chowk, New Delhi
148	30.01.2023 (Monday)	The 75th Death Anniversary of the Martyrdom Day of Mahatma Gandhi (CG- Hon'ble President)	Gandhi Smriti, 5 Tees January Marg, New Delhi
149	31.01.2023 (Tuesday)	Ceremonial Departure of the Hon'ble President for addressing the both Houses of Parliament	Forecourt of the Rashtrapati Bhawan to the Parliament and Central Hall, Parliament House, New Delhi
150	01.02.2023 (Wednesday)	Presentation of Union Budget 2023 by Hon'ble Finance Minister	Lok Sabha, Parliament House, New Delhi
151	06.02.2023 (Monday)	Inauguration of India Energy Week by Hon'ble Prime Minister	International Exhibition Center, Bengaluru (Karnataka)
		Visit to HAL, lay foundation stones for various projects and attend a rally by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Tumakuru (Karnataka)
152	10.02.2023 (Friday)	Launch of SSLV-D2 / EOS-07 mission	Satish Dhawan Space Centre (SHAR), Sriharikota
153	10.02.2023 (Friday)	Global Investors Summit-2023 (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh
154	10.02.2023 to 12.02.2023	Dhauli-Kalinga Mahotsav-2023	Foothills of Dhauli, Bhubaneswar (Odisha)
155	11.02.2023 (Saturday)	The Passing Out Parade of IPS Officers (CG- Hon'ble HM)	The Academy Parade Ground, Hyderabad
156	11.02.2023 (Saturday)	Agra Fort event in connection with G-20 Empower Inception meeting in Agra	Agra, Uttar Pradesh
157	12.02.2023 (Sunday)	Celebration of 200th Birth Anniversary of Swami Dayanand Saraswati (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Indira Gandhi Indoor Stadium, New Delhi
158	12.02.2023 (Sunday)	Inauguration of Sohna-Dausa Expressway by Hon'ble PM	Dausa, Rajasthan
159	20.02.2023 (Monday)	Uttar Pradesh Assembly 2023	Vidhan Sabha, Lucknow (UP)
160	23.02.2023 (Thursday)	The Sangeet Natak Akademi's Fellowship and Awards for the year 2019, 2020 & 2021 (CG- Hon'ble President)	Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi
161	23.02.2023 (Thursday)	The 19th Annual Zone III Conference of CPA India Region – Inaugural Function	Sikkim Legislative Assembly, Gangtok (Sikkim)
162	24.02.2023 (Friday)	The 19th Annual Zone III Conference of CPA India Region – Valedictory Function	
163	25.02.2023 (Saturday)	Amrit Mahotsav – Delhi Karnataka Sangh (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Talkatora Stadium, New Delhi

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164	27.02.2023 (Monday)	Inauguration of a new Airport at Shivamogga by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Shivamogga Airport, Karnataka
		Address a public rally by Hon'ble Prime Minister	
		Inauguration of redevelopment of the Railway Station and address a public rally by Hon'ble Prime Minister	Belagavi, Karnataka
165	02.03.2023 (Thursday)	G20 Foreign Ministers' Meeting (CG- Hon'ble President)	Rashtrapati Bhavan Cultural Centre, New Delhi
		Meeting with the Italian Prime Minister (CG- Hon'ble President)	Hyderabad House, New Delhi
		Raisina Dialogue (CG- Hon'ble President)	Taj Palace, New Delhi
166	03.03.2023 (Friday)	The 7th International Dharma Dhamma Conference (CG- Hon'ble President)	Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh
167	04.03.2023 (Saturday)	The Swachh Sujal Shakti Samman (CG- Hon'ble President)	Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi
168	06.03.2023 (Monday)	Presentation of Nari Shakti Puraskars by Hon'ble President on the eve of International Women's Day	Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi
169	07.03.2023 (Tuesday)	Attukal Temple Pongala Festival 2023	Attukal Temple Pongala, Kerala
170	07.03.2023 (Tuesday)& 08.03.2023 (Wednesday)	Swearing-in-Ceremony, Shillong (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Shillong, Meghalaya
		Swearing-in-Ceremony, Kohima, Agartala (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Kohima, Nagaland Agartala, Tripura
171	08.03.2023 (Wednesday)	Vrindaban Mahotsav-2023	Rabindra Mandap, Bhubaneswar (Odisha)
172	09.03.2023 (Thursday)	Hon'ble President's visit to Sri Harmandir Sahib (Golden Temple)	Golden Temple, Punjab
		Hon'ble President's visit to Jallianwala Bagh	Jallianwala Bagh, Punjab
		Hon'ble President's visit to Durgiana Temple	Durgiana Temple, Punjab
173	09.03.2023 (Thursday)	Summoning of the Fourth Session of the 15th Puducherry Legislative Assembly	The Assembly Hall, Puducherry
174	12.03.2023 (Sunday)	54th CISF Raising Day Parade-2023 and inauguration of Baffle Range "Arjuna" (CG- Hon'ble HM)	CISF National Industrial Security Academy (NISA), Hyderabad
175	12.03.2023 (Sunday)	Road Show and Public Function (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Mandya, Karnataka
		Inauguration of New Building at IIT Dharwad (CG- Hon'ble PM)	IIT Dharwad, Hubballi, Karnataka
176	16.03.2023 (Thursday)	President's Colour Award (CG- Hon'ble President)	INS Dronacharya, Indian Navy Parade Ground, Kochi (Kerala)



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177	17.03.2023 to 19.03.2023	Hirakud Mahotsav-2023	Hirakud, Sambalpur, Odisha
178	18.03.2023 (Saturday)	The Global Millets (Shree Anna) Conference (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Subramanian Hall, NASC Complex, IARI Pusa, New Delhi
179	20.03.2023 (Monday)	Hon'ble PM's meeting with Hon'ble PM's of Japan	Budha Jayanti Park, New Delhi
180	22.03.2023 (Wednesday)	Inauguration Ceremony of Rashtrapati Nilayam, Bolarum through Video Conference from Rashtrapati Bhawan (CG- Hon'ble President)	Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi
181	22.03.2023 (Wednesday)	Civil Investiture Ceremony – I (CG- Hon'ble President)	Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi
182	24.03.2023 (Friday)	Address in International Conference on TB Summit (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Rudraksh International Convention Centre, Varanasi (UP)
		Inauguration and lay foundation stones of various projects and schemes in a public meeting (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Sampurnanand University Ground, Varanasi (UP)
183	25.03.2023 (Saturday)	Inauguration of Sri Madhusudan Sai Institute of Medical Sciences & Research (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Chikkaballapur, Karnataka
		Inauguration of the white field Metro line and ride in the Metro (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Bengaluru, Karnataka
		Address a public meeting (CG- Hon'ble PM)	Davangere, Karnataka
184	26.03.2023 (Sunday)	Launch of LVM3-M3/Onweb India-2 Mission	Satish Dhawan Space Centre (SHAR), Sriharikota
185	27.03.2023 (Monday)	Civic Reception – Speech (CG- Hon'ble President)	Kolkata (West Bengal)
186	28.03.2023 (Tuesday)	Grace the completion of 80 years of UCO Bank – Speech (CG- Hon'ble President)	Kolkata (West Bengal)
		Grace the Annual Convocation of Visva-Bharati (Central University) – Speech (CG- Hon'ble President)	Santiniketan (West Bengal)
187	30.03.2023 (Thursday)	Celebration of Shri Ram Janmotsav	Shri Ram Janmabhoomi and Kanak Bhavan, Ayodhya, Uttar Pradesh

Annexure - VI

Doordarshan (Creation of Capital Assets) Annual Plan 2022-23

Statement of Targets & Achievements

Rs. In Crore

S. No.	Component	BE 2022-23	Modified BE 2022-23	Proposed RE 2022-23	Exp. till Mar 2023	Targets/ Physical Output	Achievements/ Remarks (Present Status As On 31.03.2023)
1.	Modernization (including Digitization), Augmentation & Replacement of Transmitters	0.39	0.39	0.00	0.00	Tower strengthening at Gangtok for DTT	<p>Work is being executed by CCW. However, vide letter dated 12.05.2022, CCW, recommends for dismantling of tower at DDK Gangtok to safeguard the life of the human.</p> <p>(ii) The tower site has been further visited by a team of officers from CCW, PBS, DG: AIR & DG: DD on 24.01.2023. During on-site visit, CCW opined that situation does not appear to be so alarming to consider dismantling of the tower immediately and recommended that GSI Kolkata and SERC Chennai may be approached for further advise.</p> <p>(iii) CCW has been coordinating with SERC Chennai and GSI Kolkata A team of scientists from SERC Chennai & GSI Shillong visited Gangtok Tower site on 14/03/23 for on site inspection. Report awaited from SERC and GSI.</p>
2.	Modernization, Augmentation & Replacement of Satellite	7.10	7.10	4.60	3.54	Modernization of Earth station at 11 locations (Kolkata, Bhubaneswar, Lucknow, Chennai, Ahmedabad, Jaipur, Thiruvananthapuram, Bhopal, Jalandhar, Jammu & Shimla)	<p>Earth station at, Chennai, , Jaipur, Bhopal, Jalandhar Shimla, Jammu Ahmedabad Lucknow, Bhubaneswar & Thiruvananthapuram upgraded and all the services of existing Earth stations migrated to upgraded Earth stations Commissioning of UPS at 11 Locations carried out.</p>



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						SITC of Uplink Antenna System at 6 locations (Chennai, Kolkata, Ahmedabad, Lucknow, Bhubaneswar & Thiruvananthapuram) & UPS System	(i) Uplink Antenna system for Bhubaneswar, Chennai, Ahmedabad, Lucknow, Thiruvananthapuram and Kolkata supplied to respective Earth Station. Site Acceptance Test (SAT) of three no's of Uplink antenna at DDK Ahmedabad, Lucknow and Bhubaneswar completed and existing earth station services migrated to new Uplink antenna. MPVT of Uplink Antenna at DDK Thiruvananthapuram has been carried out by NOCC. SAT is under progress. Foundation Work of Uplink Antenna at Chennai and Kolkata is under progress.
						Replacement of Uplink PDA at Chandigarh	MPVT of Uplink Antenna at at DDK Chandigarh has been carried out by NOCC. SAT is under progress.
						Up-gradation of DTH Earth station Pitampura (Input & Baseband System)	Approved technical evaluation report submitted to purchase wing on 11.10.2022.
3.	Modernization & Digitalization of Studios	4.45	10.37	4.50	4.44	Pilot project for SITC of File based workflow facility at DDK Hyderabad	Supply installation & Testing of equipment completed.
						Procurement of 2ME Digital production switchers (For Lucknow, Mumbai, Raipur & Kolkata)	Equipment supplied at all four locations.

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4.	Expansion of DTH	29.03	29.03	15.00	0.05	Procurement of 1, 20,000 DTH receiver sets for remote, tribal & LWE areas of the country.	<p>(i) Indent withdrawn and as per MIB instructions Technical specifications are to be reviewed on the outcome of CDOT CAA technology. Demo completed and report submitted to Prasar Bharati. Ministry of Information & Broadcasting has given approval to procure FTA DTH, non-CAS, non-RPD Receive sets (with STBs) with the provision of app based/ call based/ SMS based authorization and activation facility under the BIND Scheme. Advance action for procurement of 8.7 Lakh DTH Receive sets in SITC mode (balance 1.2 Lakh DTH receive sets sanctioned under extension of 12th plan scheme + 7.5 Lakh DTH receive sets envisaged to be procured under Project mode) is initiated under proposed BIND scheme by Doordarshan. Draft technical specification uploaded on website and industry feedback is received which is being scrutinized by Design section. Modalities to procure DTH Receive sets through GeM are also being explored. List of 70 Left Wing Extremism affected districts covered under SRE Scheme and Details of State Nodal Officers for LWE Matters has been received from Ministry of I&B/ MHA.</p> <p>In this regard , A meeting was held in PB chaired by CEO PB which was attended by JS (B-II), M/o I&B, ADG(Tech) and officers from NIC. Now as per decision, Creation of Portal is being taken up by IT Division for beneficiaries data collection and Monitoring of Installation, Activation & Commissioning DTH Receive sets. Technical specifications are being finalized.</p>



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						Up-gradation of DTH Platform at DTH Pitampura (C Band) (Compression and monitoring System)	Approved technical evaluation report submitted to purchase wing.
5.	High Definition TV (HDTV)	1.98	1.98	1.60	1.51	SITC of Automated News Production system at News HQ, Delhi for DD-India	Complete Equipment has been supplied and Installation is also completed. Operational and Maintenance Training Completed.
						Creation of Production setup for VVIP coverage's-. LED Lights procurement for VVIP coverage-	Procurement could not be materialized by Zonal office (NZ). Specifications are to be reframed for wider participation.
6.	Expansion of TV Channels –	7.39	7.39	6.50	6.30	Procurement of LTO for archiving the content at DDK Raipur, Ranchi & Dehradun.	Tender cancelled due to non acceptance of technical bids. Now project is being reviewed to be reconsidered under scheme 2021-26 as LTO is part of File based work flow system which is envisaged under the 21-26 scheme
						Procurement of Multi camera mobile production facility (EFP Van) at Dehradun	SITC including training of EFP van completed at DDK Dehradun.

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						Integrated News production facility including Script News automation system & Infrastructure for 24 X 7 operation i/c installation of NRCS and Misc Equipments for DDK Shimla	Augmentation of In house NRCS system is installed and training completed.
7.	Broadcasting on alternate platform	7.33	7.33	0.38	0.27	SITC of Data centre at NBH	A technical committee has been constituted to update the specifications of the Data Centre. Technical specifications work for Data Centre is under progress.
						Content delivery network services	CDN Completed.
						Software for Development, strengthening of IT	Procurement of some IT items for software development is in process by O/o ADG (E) NZ.
8.	Augmentation of Civil Infrastructure including Staff Quarters and other misc. works.	6.06	4.14	1.06	1.05	Balance work for completion of tower at Amritsar, shifting of Transmitters & other associated work	Work order issued by the O/o ADG (NZ) to M/s BECIL on dated 04.07.2019 with DP of 12 months. However, as informed by Zonal office, work was affected due to Covid -19 and due to some administrative issues with the firm. Prasar Bharati has given directions to Zonal Office to execute the work at the earliest. As informed, Administrative issues with M/s BECIL are being resolved by the Zonal Office and meeting has been taken by Zonal office with MS BECIL recently for completion of work in time bound manner.
9.	Strengthening of Coverage in sensitive areas	--*				Setting up of 2 nos. of 10 KW HPTs at Patni Top & Green Ridge	Installation of HPTs completed at Green Ridge & Patnitop sites Joint inspections also completed. Zonal Office has been asked to take corrective actions as per observations during Joint Inspection. Transmitters are likely to be commissioned shortly.



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						Setting up 2 nos. of 5 KW HPTs at Rajouri	Installation of HPTs completed at Rajouri. SAT also completed. Transmitters are ready for commissioning.
10	New Scheme ** i. Up-gradation of Public Service Broadcasting infrastructure including Expansion of DD Free Dish Platform, technical facilities for live coverage	18.82	14.82	12.80	10.63	Up-gradation of 4 compression chains and supply of Misc. equipment at DTH Todapur	Industry feedback and some of budgetary quote is received. Draft Technical specification is modified accordingly. Estimated cost of the project is being prepared and Indent submitted to Purchase Wing to initiate the procurement process.
	ii. Content development & content innovation including associated technology for same	5.00	5.00	7.22	0.00	Modernization & digitalization of studios	Pre-bid meeting was scheduled on 20.02.2023. However, on the request of the prospective bidders, Pre-bid meeting was held on 14.03.2023. Reply of queries will be sent to purchase section very soon.
	iii. Expansion for reach of Public Broadcaster in strategic areas of national interest(LWE, Border, aspirational districts other such areas strategic/ National interest) including growing base of DD Free Dish Settop boxes	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		Mozo kits, IP based video mixer, Analog & Digital peripherals NLE & Desktop for RNUs etc procured
	Total	87.55	87.55	53.66	27.79		

* Booking of expenditure by Akashvani.

