

News Service Division and Others

Ganesh Kumar Ranjan
Faculty, MJMC,
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- ❖ Broadcast about 651 bulletins
- ❖ In 91 languages and dialects
- ❖ For home , regional, external and DTH services
- ❖ Total duration 55 hours 04 minutes
- ❖ 346 news bulletins are put per hour on FM
- ❖ 179 news bulletins broadcast from Delhi every day
- ❖ **Regional News Unit, RNU** cater to the information needs of the people.
- ❖ RNU make programmes in 76 regional languages/ dialects
- ❖ RNU provide training for rural reporting
- ❖ RNU put 472 news bulletins
- ❖ 44 RNUs across country
- ❖ NOP news on phone service available from 13 RNUs

Reporting Unit

❖ Covers diverse news events and happenings to present a comprehensive view of developments and flagship programmes.

❖ Prime Minister's foreign visits particularly his participation in UN General Assembly, ASEAN Summit, G 20 , BRICS and talks with foreign leaders are covered in exhaustive manner.

❖ Passage of important legislation like food security bill, land acquisition bill, GST bill, Essential commodities Bill are given wide coverage.

❖ News about national calamities like flash flood in Utarkhand, cyclone in Odisha are covered with sound inputs.

Talks and Current Affairs Unit

- ❖ Special programmes on all major events depending upon their news value.
- ❖ In addition President and Prime Minister's visit to several countries are also covered well.
- ❖ Special programmes on economic issues, special featurised programmes based on MGNREGA and its implementation both in English and Hindi, programmes on welfare scheme for the farmers and on rural development, flood management.

Feature unit

❖ Feature unit prepared over five hundred news features on different issues like health, education, Economic and Social Employment, Tourism and human interest.

❖ These features were broadcast in Parikarma and Aaj Saverre Programme.

Monitoring Unit

❖ The Monitoring Unit (English & Hindi) monitor major world radio/ TV stations and feed the general news room and hindi news room with the latest developments around the globe. During the year, the units field with news items ahead of agencies and other sources.

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