

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.665
TO BE ANSWERED ON 8TH FEBRUARY, 2019**

MERGER OF BSNL AND MTNL

665. DR. SANJAY SINH:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any proposal regarding merger of BSNL and MTNL is pending with Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time-frame and detailed roadmap for merger of BSNL and MTNL?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS &
MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)**

(a) to (c) No proposal of merger of Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) and Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited (MTNL) is presently under consideration of Department of Telecommunications (DoT).
