

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

**RAJYA SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 196
ANSWERED ON 7TH AUGUST, 2025**

PROGRESS OF PLI SCHEME IN TELECOM MANUFACTURING

196 SMT. REKHA SHARMA:

Will the Minister of Communications be pleased to state:

- (a) the key objectives of the Production Linked Incentive (PLI) scheme for telecom and networking products;
- (b) the number of companies benefitted under the scheme as of 2025 and major outcomes achieved; and
- (c) the extent to which the scheme has contributed to employment creation and export growth in the sector?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS AND DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN
REGION
(SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)**

- (a) to (c) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT TO BE LAID ON THE TABLE OF RAJYA SABHA IN RESPECT OF PARTS (a) TO (c) OF THE RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.196 FOR 7TH AUGUST, 2025 REGARDING “PROGRESS OF PLI SCHEME IN TELECOM MANUFACTURING.”

(a) The Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme for Telecom and Networking Products aims to promote the domestic manufacturing of telecom and networking equipment in India. It offers financial incentives to enhance local production and attract investments in telecom sector. Additionally, the scheme is intended to increase the export of telecom products from the country.

(b) & (c) Under the PLI Scheme for Telecom and Networking Products, a total of 42 companies were approved, out of which 23 companies have received incentives so far. As of 31.05.2025, the scheme has led to an investment of ₹4,305 crore, net sales of ₹85,391 crore including export sales amounting to ₹16,414 crore and creation of 28,067 jobs.
