

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1424
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19th DECEMBER, 2018**

BHARAT NET IN MP

†1424. PROF. CHINTAMANI MALVIYA:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Madhya Pradesh State Electronics Development Corporation has the internal capacity of implementing Bharat Net project in Madhya Pradesh but the final shape has not been given to the project by the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) the time by which the project report is likely to be approved along with the details thereof; and
- (d) the time by which the funds are likely to be made available for this work?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d) Phase-I of the BharatNet project, covering 12, 655 Gram Panchayats in Madhya Pradesh has been implemented through BSNL. 10,854 GPs have been taken up in Phase-II of the project, as approved by the Telecom Commission. Phase-II is also being implemented through BSNL in Madhya Pradesh.
