

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1214

(TO BE ANSWERED ON 28.06.2019)

OPENING OF NEW FM RADIO STATIONS

1214. SHRI B. B. PATIL:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal pending before the Government for setting up of new FM Radio Stations in various parts of the country including Telangana; and**
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons for delay in approval of such proposals?**

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE; AND MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

(SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a) & (b): Prasar Bharati has informed that there is an approved scheme of setting up of FM Radio Stations of All India Radio (AIR)

at 55 locations including 10 kW FM Station at Mehboobnagar and Suryapet in Telangana. In addition, conversion of Low Power MW Transmitters to FM Transmitters at 6 AIR Stations has also been approved.
