

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5595
(TO BE ANSWERED ON 26.07.2019)

NATIONAL BROADCASTING POLICY

5595. SHRI SRINIVAS KESINENI:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to bring forward a National Broadcasting Policy;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which the policy would be finalised?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE
AND MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
(SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a) to (c): In order to create an enabling environment for broadcasting and ensuring transparency, non-discrimination, consumer protection and orderly growth of the sector, the deliberations / consultations on a National Broadcasting Policy are being held with various stakeholders. The formulation of such a policy has multi-dimensional implications and it needs to be firmed up after due process. Therefore, no time frame can be indicated for the finalization of the policy.
