

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5431
TO BE ANSWERED ON 5TH APRIL, 2023**

STATUS OF PROGRESS OF 5G SERVICES

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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the outcomes of 5G Services with a particular focus on identified districts in Andhra Pradesh along with the status of their progress; and
- (b) the details of the additional steps being taken to improve digital connectivity in Andhra Pradesh?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS
(SHRI DEVUSINH CHAUHAN)**

- (a) 5G networks have been rolled out in 529 districts all over the country including in 14 districts of Andhra Pradesh. In Andhra Pradesh, 3510 Base Stations have been installed for providing 5G services.
- (b) In order to improve digital connectivity in the country, the government has approved two projects for 4G saturation and upgradation of existing 2G/ 3G sites to 4G sites. These projects include 3302 villages of Andhra Pradesh also.
