

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No.607

(TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.02.2024)

BIND SCHEME

607. DR. (PROF.) KIRIT PREMJI BHAI SOLANKI:

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

- (a) the details of the initiatives of Prasar Bharati's Broadcasting Infrastructure Network Development (BIND) scheme aimed at enhancing the physical infrastructure of Doordarshan and All India Radio;**
- (b) whether there has been any change in the budget allocation for the BIND; and**
- (c) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING; AND

MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

(SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR)

(a) to (c): The Government has approved continuation of the Central Sector Scheme “Broadcasting Infrastructure and Network Development (BIND)” with an outlay of Rs. 2539.61 crore for the period 2021-26 with various components for modernization and upgradation of Broadcasting Infrastructure and Network Development aimed at enhancing the physical infrastructure of Doordarshan and All India Radio. There is no change in total approved outlay under BIND Scheme.
