

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1854

(TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.11.2019)

DOORDARSHAN KENDRA OF BANKA

1854. SHRI GIRIDHARI YADAV:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to shut down the Doordarshan Kendra of Banka;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether the broadcast of various educational, entertainment and knowledge based programmes are likely to be adversely impacted in the said areas after closure of the Doordarshan Kendra; and**
- (d) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto?**

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE
CHANGE; MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING;
AND MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC
ENTERPRISES**

(SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a) to (d): Prasar Bharati has informed that one analog Low Power Transmitter (LPT) is functioning at Banka, as Doordarshan Relay Centre. At present, there is no proposal to shut down LPT of Banka.
