

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 120
TO BE ANSWERED ON 2ND FEBRUARY, 2022**

MOBILE NETWORK

† 120. SHRI DEVJI M. PATEL:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that on one side Wi-Fi and other speed networks are in operation and on the other hand mobile network is not easily available in Siyakara and Padrokhera village of Sanpur Panchayat located in Sirohi;
- (b) whether unavailability or poor connectivity of mobile network is causing many problems to villagers, forcing them to climb on trees to talk on mobile nonoperation of Point of Sale machines causing non-distribution of ration on time;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether there is any proposal to install mobile towers in Rajasthan including Jalore Sirohi to over come the connectivity problem; and
- (e) if so, the details of mobile towers established in the State, district-wise?

ANSWER

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

- (a) to (c) In Siyakara village (Sanpur Gram Panchayat in Sirohi District) the mobile networks of Bharti Hexacom Ltd (BHL) & Vodafone Idea Ltd (VIL) are available and in Padrokhera village (Sanpur Gram Panchayat in Sirohi District) the mobile network of Bharti Hexacom Ltd (BHL) is available.
- (d) Yes sir, Telecom Service Providers (TSPs) provide mobile coverage in their licensed service areas by installing Towers and Base Transceiver Station (BTS) based on techno commercial feasibility. Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) covers rest of uncovered villages in a phased manner.
- (e) The details of mobile tower established in the State, district wise is attached as **ANNEXURE.**

ANNEXURE

Annexure referred to in reply of para (e) Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 120 to be answered on 02nd January 2022 raised by Hon'ble Members of Parliament regarding "Mobile Network"

| S. No | Name of District | Number of mobile towers established in Rajasthan as on 27.01.2022 |
|--------------|------------------|--|
| 1 | Ajmer | 1599 |
| 2 | Alwar | 1668 |
| 3 | Banswara | 503 |
| 4 | Baran | 518 |
| 5 | Barmer | 1434 |
| 6 | Bharatpur | 989 |
| 7 | Bhilwara | 1257 |
| 8 | Bikaner | 1624 |
| 9 | Bundi | 530 |
| 10 | Chittorgarh | 839 |
| 11 | Churu | 1164 |
| 12 | Dausa | 515 |
| 13 | Dholpur | 401 |
| 14 | Dungarpur | 412 |
| 15 | Hanumangarh | 990 |
| 16 | Jaipur | 5390 |
| 17 | Jaisalmer | 605 |
| 18 | Jalore | 783 |
| 19 | Jhalawar | 630 |
| 20 | Jhunjhunu | 1041 |
| 21 | Jodhpur | 2686 |
| 22 | Karauli | 519 |
| 23 | Kota | 1624 |
| 24 | Nagaur | 1769 |
| 25 | Pali | 1102 |
| 26 | Pratapgarh | 224 |
| 27 | Rajsamand | 583 |
| 28 | Sawaimadhopur | 604 |
| 29 | Sikar | 1403 |
| 30 | Sirohi | 524 |
| 31 | Sriganganagar | 1060 |
| 32 | Tonk | 646 |
| 33 | Udaipur | 1875 |
| Total | | 37511 |
