GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2867 TO BE ANSWERED ON 3RD AUGUST, 2022

ROAMING FACILITY IN JAMMU & KASHMIR

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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to facilitiate the roaming facility in the State of Jammu and Kashmir to prepaid mobiles post KYC with Aadhaar, or after verification of permanent address:
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) whether the Government is contemplating to formulate any policy for prepaid mobile subscribers and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI DEVUSINH CHAUHAN)

(a) to (c) There is no proposal at present to facilitate the roaming facility in the Union Territories (UTs) of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh to prepaid mobile subscribers. The Government has decided that the restrictions on prepaid roaming between UTs of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh and the rest of the country shall continue for the time being.
