

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3864
TO BE ANSWERED ON 18TH DECEMBER, 2024**

PATHETIC CONDITION OF BSNL'S MOBILE NETWORK

†3864. Shri Rambhual Nishad:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is also aware that the BSNL network (mobile) in Sultanpur, Uttar Pradesh is in a very pathetic condition, if so, the details thereof including the number of BSNL towers set up in Sultanpur till date; and
- (b) the measures being taken to increase the number of towers and to improve the network condition?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(DR. PEMMASANI CHANDRA SEKHAR)**

(a) & (b) Cellular services provided by BSNL in UP-East LSA (Licensed Service Area) are meeting the benchmark of all the network related Quality of Service (QoS) parameters, as per Performance Monitoring Report (PMR) of Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI). As on 31.10.2024, 142 numbers of 2G/3G BTSs (Base Transceiver Station) are working in Sultanpur.

To further improve the network condition in Sultanpur, BSNL has planned to upgrade its mobile network with 99 new indigenous 4G BTSs, out of which 44 number of 4G BTSs are already ON-Air.
