# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

## LOK SABHA

### **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 386**

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#### SOFTWARE TECHNOLOGY PARK IN BIHAR

#### †386. SHRI AJAY KUMAR MANDAL:

Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any Software Technology Park (STP) has been set up at Bhagalpur in Bihar;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the target fixed for STP Bhagalpur; and
- (d) the current status regarding percentage of the target completed?

#### **ANSWER**

# MINISTER OF STATE FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI JITIN PRASADA)

(a) to (d): The Government of India is supporting IT industry in Tier-2 and Tier-3 cities across the country. As a part of this initiative Software Technology Park has been set up in Bhagalpur, Bihar in Government Industrial Training Institute. This is state-of-the-art facility. It has incubator with 110 incubation seats so that entrepreneur with innovative ideas can establish their startups with the help of Software Technology Parks of India (STPI). It has other facilities for meeting investors, mentors and IT professionals so that young students of Bhagalpur and nearby areas get good opportunity for developing their ideas into startups.

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