

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3038
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19TH MARCH, 2025**

PROGRESS OF BHARTNET SERVICES IN UTTAR PRADESH

3038. SHRI TANUJ PUNIA:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of amount of funds sanctioned, allocated and utilised in Uttar Pradesh under the BharatNet scheme during the last five years and the current year;
- (b) the details of targets set under the said scheme and the details of the achievements made under the said scheme in the Barabanki district of Uttar Pradesh so far, the outcome thereof; and
- (c) whether the Government has conducted any survey in Uttar Pradesh under the scheme to find out the number of villages not covered under the said scheme so far, especially in Barabanki district, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) In the last five years Rs. 2104 crore has been disbursed under BharatNet for Uttar Pradesh, and in the year 2024-25 Rs. 175 has been disbursed as on 31.01.2025.
- (b) & (c) Out of the 1178 GPs in Barabanki district, 1067 GPs have made service ready under Phase-I and Phase-II of BharatNet. The remaining GPs are planned to be covered under the Amended BharatNet Program (ABP), including providing connectivity to all the non-GP villages on demand basis. The project implementing agency (PIA) is to conduct survey for implementation of the ABP.
