

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2812
ANSWERED ON 17TH DECEMBER, 2025**

PRODUCTION LINKED INCENTIVE (PLI) SCHEME

**†2812. SHRI OMPRAKASH BHUPALSINH ALIAS PAVAN RAJENIMBALKAR:
SHRI SANJAY HARIBHAU JADHAV:**

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme for telecom and networking products in the country;
- (b) whether the PLI Scheme for telecom and networking products has generated employment opportunities in the State of Maharashtra and if so, the details of direct and indirect employment generated in the State;
- (c) the details of employment generated particularly in the rural areas under the said Scheme; and
- (d) whether the Government proposes to extend PLI support for fibre optic cable and 5G component manufacturing in the State of Maharashtra and if so, the role of the State Government in providing industrial land and infrastructure for these projects?

ANSWER

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

- (a) The Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme for Telecom and Networking Products was launched in April 2021 to strengthen domestic manufacturing of telecom equipments with a total outlay of Rs. 12,195 Cr. Under the scheme, 42 companies have been approved as beneficiaries. As on 31.10.2025, PLI beneficiary companies have collectively invested Rs 4,667 crores, generating sales worth Rs 98,596 crores including exports of Rs 20,069 Cr.
- (b) & (c) The scheme has generated a total of 28,946 employments including 2,514 in Maharashtra. The employments are created in 4 units across Maharashtra.
- (d) No such proposal is under consideration.
