

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2763  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 16<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER, 2015  
3G SERVICES**

**2763. SHRI KODIKUNNIL SURESH:**

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

- (a) whether 3G services has been launched across the country including in rural and backward areas;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not the districts and villages connected so far; State-wise;
- (c) the details of launching of 3G and 4G services by BSNL and MTNL, State-wise;
- (d) whether Government has contemplated action plans to provide 3G internet connectivity in all the villages over a period of time; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the timeframe fixed for the same?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
(SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)**

- (a) to (e) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

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