

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2787
ANSWERED ON 5TH AUGUST, 2026**

MOBILE TOWERS INSTALLED IN ROBERTSGANJ

†2787. **SHRI CHHOTELAL:**

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether mobile towers have not been installed in several rural areas of Robertsganj Lok Sabha Constituency in Sonbhadra district, causing significant difficulties to the local population in the modern era; and
- (b) the timeline by which mobile towers are likely to be fully installed across all rural areas in the said Lok Sabha Constituency?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (b) Sir, Government through Digital Bharat Nidhi (DBN) has undertaken several Projects for provision of 4G mobile services in identified uncovered villages/locations across the country including **Sonbhadra district, Uttar Pradesh**.

Under DBN funded Mobile projects, 147 villages/locations have been covered with 4G mobile services through installation of 113 mobile towers in Sonbhadra district, Uttar Pradesh as on 30.06.2026.

Further, as on **30.06.2026**, the mobile coverage status of villages in Robertsganj Lok Sabha Constituency in Uttar Pradesh state, based on the **Registrar General of India (RGI)** village list, is given below.

State / UT	Name of Constituency	Name of Districts	Total No. of villages	No. of villages Covered with mobile network	No. of villages having no mobile network (Uncovered)	No. of villages having 2G coverage	No. of villages having 3G coverage	No. of villages having 4G coverage	No. of villages brought under 5G services
Uttar Pradesh	Robertsganj Lok Sabha Constituency	CHANDAULI	1635	1634	1	1624	583	1621	1158
		SONBHADRA	1429	1420	9	1396	101	1390	836
