

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1912  
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UPLINKING FACILITIES TO COMPANIES  
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**Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of television channels who have applied for uplinking facility from Indian satellites;
- (b) the number of applications which had been cleared so far; and
- (c) the time by which the remaining applications are likely to be cleared?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SMT. SUSHMA SWARAJ)

- (a) No application of private companies for uplinking facility for their TV channel (s) from Indian satellites has been received by this Ministry.
- (b) & (c) Do not arise.