

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3466
ANSWERED ON:16.08.2010
SCHEMES IN IT SECTOR
Sinh Dr. Sanjay

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

(a) whether the some schemes have been launched in the field of information Technology (IT) in various states of the country including Sultanpur in Uttar Pradesh; and

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the areas which have been selected in this regard, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI SACHIN PILOT)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): Under the National e-Governance Plan, the Schemes of State Wide Area Network (SWAN), State Data Centre (SDC) and Common Services Centers (CSCs) are being implemented across the country. Under CSC Scheme, around 83,000 CSCs have been set up in the rural areas of the country.

The SWAN Scheme for establishing State level wide area networks (SWAN) across the country including UP was launched in March 2005. Under this scheme, broadband connectivity of at least 2 MBPS is provided at the block/District/State Level.

The State Data Centre (SDC) Scheme for establishing Data Centres across 35 States/ UTs across the country was approved by the Government in January 2008.

Pilot scheme of e-District Mission Mode Project is being implemented across 40 districts in 15 States which also includes Sultanpur in Uttar Pradesh.

The status of implementation of Schemes under NeGP, State-wise are enclosed at Annexure.