

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

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NEW TELECOM LICENSES

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

- (a) whether the allocation of telecom licenses to new telecom operators are being delayed;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) the name of new companies which had applied for telecom licenses during the last three years and the current year;
- (d) the number of applications out of those approved and those rejected along with the reasons for rejection of applications of such companies; and
- (e) the time by which the licenses to new entrants are likely to be allotted?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI MILIND DEORA)

- (a) to (e) Madam, the information is being collected & will be laid on the Table of the House.