

**Sixteenth Loksabha**

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Title: Need to improve BSNL/MTNL mobile/internet services in Nabarangpur Parliamentary Constituency in Odisha and Delhi- laid.

SHRI BALBHADRA MAJHI (NABARANGPUR): For the last 7-8 months, especially after the Jio phone made inroads into Odisha, the SIM of BSNL/MTNL is hardly working. Most of the time it is not reachable. Whenever it gets connected, the conversation is one way. Whenever, it is both ways, it gets disconnected within seconds. The mobile phone has become a serious source of tension, irritation, time wasting equipment and so on. It is apprehended that the present deficiency in services by the Government company is a pre-act for its disinvestment. I urge the Government to take corrective action in this regard.