

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**

**MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING**

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1967**

**(TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.02.2021)**

**TV TRANSMITTERS**

**1967. SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV:**

**Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:**

**(a) the number of TV transmitters set up and operational in the country particularly in backward and rural areas as on date;**

**(b) whether several projects are lying pending in the absence of financial and technical clearance;**

**(c) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise particularly in backward and rural areas;**

**(d) the time by which the said pending projects are likely to be sanctioned; and**

**(e) the time by which construction work is likely to be started therein, State/UT-wise and location-wise**

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE;  
MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING; AND MINISTER  
OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES  
(SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)**

**(a) Presently, 589 TV transmitters of varying capacities (High power and low power transmitters) are functioning in various parts of country, including backward & rural areas of the country.**

**(b) to (e) No project is pending currently for want of financial and technical sanction.**

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