

(b) Sir, M/s Hutch (now Vodafone) vide its letter dated 2nd November, 2004 had informed BSNL Gujarat Circle that some ILD calls have been terminated in their network having CLI of six mobile numbers of BSNL.

On investigation it was found that four of these numbers were already disconnected by BSNL in September, 2004 itself and remaining two numbers were disconnected in November, 2004, as per prevailing guidelines of Department of Telecom.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise in view of (c) above.

(e) No operator is entitled to clandestinely terminate the international calls with domestic CLI as per present regulatory and licensing regime.

(f) Does not arise, in view of above.

#### **3G in whole country**

†1960. SHRI VEER PAL SINGH YADAV: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the time Government would take to introduce 3G mobile service in whole country; and

(b) the number of cities in the country where 3G mobile service has begun along with the details thereof, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI SACHIN PILOT): (a) 3G services have been started by Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) in few selected cities in February 2009. BSNL would be providing 3G services in total 760 cities in first phase covering all the district headquarters, commercially important towns and tourist places in the year 2010-11.

(b) As on 08.07.2010, BSNL has launched 3G services in 463 cities of the country Telecom circle-wise details are given in the Statement (See below). In addition, Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited (MTNL) has already launched 3G services in Delhi and Mumbai.

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

**Statement**

*Telecom Circle-wise details of Cities where 3G services have been  
launched by Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL)*

Sl. No.	Name of Circle	No. of 3G cities
1	2	3
1.	Uttaranchal	19
2.	Punjab	23
3.	Jammu and Kashmir	1 (Soft launch)
4.	Himachal Pradesh	15
5.	Haryana	23
6.	Assam	1
7.	Kolkata Telephone District	1
8.	Orissa	44
9.	Rajasthan	38
10.	Bihar	49
11.	Jharkhand	15
12.	Uttar Pradesh (East)	20
13.	Uttar Pradesh (West)	57
14.	West Bengal	43
15.	North East-I	6
16.	North East-II	6
17.	Andman and Nicobar	1
18.	Chennai Telephone District	1
19.	Kerala	21
20.	Tamil Nadu	30
21.	Karnataka	10
22.	Andhra Pradesh	28

1	2	3
23.	Chhattisgarh	1
24.	Maharashtra	8
25.	Gujarat	2
	Total	463

#### Auction of 3G Spectrum

†1961. SHRI Y.P. TRIVEDI: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the auction of 3G spectrum has completed;
- (b) if so, when and the amount collected by Government from it and excess amount Government received from it in comparison to 2G spectrum auction held in 2008; and
- (c) the details thereof; State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI SACHIN PILOT): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The Government has collected an amount of Rs.67718.95 crore through 3G spectrum auction during May/June 2010. 2G spectrum has not been auctioned so far in the country. Details of amount collected from 3G spectrum auction, State wise, is given in the Statement.

#### Statement

*State-wise details of amount collected from 3G spectrum auction*

#### *3G Auction-Final Results*

Service Area	Winning Price (Rs. Crore)	Successful Bidder
1	2	3
Delhi	3,316.93	Vodafone Essar Limited
	3,316.93	Bharti Airtel Limited
	3,316.93	Reliance Telecom Limited
Mumbai	3,247.07	Reliance Telecom Limited