

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 700
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22nd JULY, 2022**

**IMPLEMENTATION OF 4G
SERVICES IN PUDUCHERRY**

700. SHRI S. SELVAGANABATHY:

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether 4G services have been enabled in Union Territory of Puducherry;
- (b) if so, when was it commissioned; and
- (c) if not, the reasons for delay in implementing 4G services in Puducherry as 5G services are on the anvil?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS
(SHRI DEVUSINH CHAUHAN)**

(a) & (b) Yes Sir, 4G services have been enabled by Telecom Service Providers in Union Territory of Puducherry as per following details:

S. No.	Telecom Service Provider	Commencement of 4G Services
1.	Bharti Airtel Limited	August, 2015
2.	Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited	September, 2016
3.	Vodafone Idea Limited	January, 2017

(c) Does not arise in view of above.
