

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

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 330  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2024**

**INSTALLATION OF MOBILE TOWERS**

**330 DR. DHARMASTHALA VEERENDRA HEGGADE:**

Will the Minister of *Communications* be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the total number of villages in rural areas of Dakshina Kannada and Udupi districts where telecom towers have been installed during the last three years and the current year; and
- (b) the details of the number of such towers targeted for installation in rural areas of the said districts in the year 2024-25?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
(DR. PEMMASANI CHANDRA SEKHAR)**

- (a) & (b) The details are attached at **Annexure-I**.

Annexure referred to in reply of part (a) & (b) of Rajya Sabha unstarred Question No. 330 to be answered on 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 raised by Hon'ble Member of Parliament regarding "Installation of Mobile Towers"

Name of District	The number of villages where mobile Base Transceiver Stations (BTSS) have been installed in the last 3 years and the current year				The number of new sites planned for installation in rural areas in 2024-25
	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	Current Year (2024-25)	
Dakshina Kannada	73	50	57	8	57
Udupi	44	24	18	6	41

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