

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1416**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON: 28.07.2021

**DATA CENTRE PARKS**

**1416      SHRI A. RAJA:**

Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has formulated any policy to enable private players to set up data centre parks in the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the number of such parks set up in the country post the formulation of the said policy, State/UT-wise including Tamil Nadu;
- (c) whether the basic infrastructure has been established for setting up such parks and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the number of proposals for opening up of startups and Knowledge Process Outsourcing (KPOs) that have been received by the Government and the time by when these proposal are likely to be cleared by the Government?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
(SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

(a), (b), (c) and (d): Data Centres are an important part of the overall Digital India infrastructure. In accordance with the budget announcement 2020-2021, Government proposes to bring out a policy to build data centre parks throughout the country. The data centre policy is at formulation stage.

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