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Now it is possible to monitor your network using SMS alerts, while you are on move, you can have a close watch on your network via SMS on your mobile.

To enable this facility, we need to attach GSM Modem with MikroTik.

Configuration is as follows.

**STEP-1** Connect GSM Modem on serial or USB port of MikroTik Router

**STEP-2** Configure Netwatch.

```
/tool netwatch add
host=192.168.1.1
interval=10s
timeout=150
up-script="/tool sms send serial0 "9909890908" message="Message"
down-script="/tool sms send serial0 "9909890908" message="Message"
```

Repeating the above steps you can configure your whole network, you need to change host, Interval, timeout & message value according to your requirements

edit: for USB Modem use

```
up-script="/tool sms send usb3 "9909890908" message="Message"
down-script="/tool sms send usb3 "9909890908" message="Message"
```