

MULTI PURPOSE MAPS FOR URBAN AREAS

2008. Shri Ram Prasad Singh :
Dr. P. Vallal Peruman :
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Will the Minister of Urban Affairs and Employment be pleased to state :

(a) whether her Ministry has any proposal to prepare multi-purpose maps of urban areas using the modern techniques of aerial survey and remote sensing;

(b) if so, the details thereof indicating the utility and the objectives to be achieved thereby;

(c) whether the State Governments and other agencies are proposed to be involved in the preparation and execution of such projects;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) the financial involvement in the projects in phases and whether the State Governments are proposed to be involved in cost sharing;

(f) if so, the details thereof;

(g) the nodal agency that would be responsible for preparation, execution and co-ordination of the project;

(h) the particulars of the towns that are likely to be covered in the first phase; and

(i) the time by which the multi-purpose maps of the urban area in the first phase are likely to be available?

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Urban Affairs and Employment (Shri P. K. Thungon) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) It is proposed to develop aerial photography and photo mosaics for selected priority cities on a scale of 1:2,500. These are to be multi-purpose maps and could be used by several agencies, local bodies, public works departments, Services and Utilities Agencies, Taxation Departments, Directorate of Survey and Land Records etc., for Planning, development, management and monitoring of schemes at local levels.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) The Central Town & Country Planning Organisation (TCPO), the State Town Planning Departments, the Survey of India, the National Remote Sensing Agency (NRSA), the National Informatics Centre (NIC), the Central Public Health and Environmental Engineering Organisation (CPHEEO), the Indian Institute of Remote Sensing (IIRS) — Anna University, etc., are involved.

(e) and (f) The Central Government has provided Rs. 6.08 crores for this scheme. State share is not envisaged at the moment.

(g) The TCPO in collaboration with NRSA is responsible for the project implementation.

(h) The list of towns selected for the first phase is annexed as **Statement**.

(i) These are likely to be available within three years.

Statement**Town covered Under Urban Mapping Scheme****(First Phase)**

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| Maharashtra | Tamil Nadu |
| 1. Kalyan | 7. Nagapattinam |
| 2. Ulhasnagar | 8. Tiruchendur |
| 3. Akola | 9. Karaikudi |
| 4. Nagpur | 10. Rajapalayam |
| 5. Naded | 11. Tndivanar |
| 6. Ratnagiri | |
| Andhra Pradesh | Orissa |
| 12. Khammam | 16. Bhubaneswar |
| 13. Nandyal | 17. Puri |
| 14. Gudivada | |
| 15. Bhimavaram | |
| Uttar Pradesh | Gujarat |
| 18. Agra | 21. Bharuch |
| 19. Faizabad | 22. Porbandar |
| 20. Nainital | 23. Surindernagar |
| | 24. Valsad |
| | 25. Varaval |

[Translation]

EXPORT OF IRON-ORE

2009. Dr. Satyanarayan Jatiya : Will the Minister of Steel be pleased to state :

(a) whether the contract with Japan in regard to Export of Iron-ore produced in Bailadila Iron-ore mines in Madhya Pradesh is expiring in 1996;

(b) if so, the quantum of Iron-ore exported to Japan from the said mines and the value thereof;

(c) whether any similar contract has been concluded or being concluded with any other country or foreign company;

(d) the estimated reserve of Iron-ore in the said mines and the quality thereof; and

(e) whether the Iron-ore produced from the said mines is likely to be processed through the indigenous techniques?

The Minister of State of the Ministry of Steel (Shri Sontosh Mohan Dev) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) As per MMTC, Quantum of iron ore of Bailadila origin exported to Japan during last three years is given below :