GOVERNMENT OF INDIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6611 ANSWERED ON:09.05.2000 MEGA CITY SCHEME KAILASHO DEVI

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to further include some more cities under the Mega City Scheme;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)

(a): No, Sir.

(b): In view of above, question does not arise.

(c): The criteria for inclusion of cities under the Mega City Scheme is 4 million or more population as per 1991 census. As no city with 4 million or more population, as per 1991 census, is available other than Delhi, there is no proposal to include more cities under the Scheme.