

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2043
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the total financial liability of the Government on account of the payment of salaries and other benefits to the officers and employees working under Delhi Metro Rail Corporation per year;
- (b) whether the officers and the staff in DMRC enjoy the same salary and other benefits as are admissible to the Railway and Central Government employees; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT & POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI PON RADHAKR)

(a): Rs.6.97 crores for the year 2001-2002.

(b): No, Sir.

(c): There are two categories of officers/staff in DMRC

(i) officers and staff on deputation from Railways/Central Government, and

(ii) Officers and staff directly recruited by DMRC. While the officers/staff on deputation from Railways/Central Government draw pay scales as are admissible to equivalent officers/staff in Railways/Central Government, the directly recruited officers/staff draw pay scales as are admissible to equivalent officers/staff in Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs). With regard to other benefit drawn by officers/staff of DMRC, these are the same as admissible to officers/staff of PSUs.