

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

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PROPOSALS FOR INTRODUCTION OF METRO RAIL SERVICE

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**Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of States from which the proposals for introduction of Metro-Rail Service have been received by the Union Government along with the action taken thereon;
- (b) whether Delhi Metro Rail Corporation propose to sign a Memorandum of Understanding with the Government of Maharashtra to conduct a study report for Mumbai Metro Project;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the time by which the study is likely to be conducted?

**Answer**

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

- (a): No, Sir. However, proposals from State Governments of Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh have been received for conducting studies to explore the possibility of introduction of metro rail project in these states.
- (b): Even though the Govt. of Maharashtra has approached Delhi Metro Rail Corporation Ltd. (DMRC) for providing consultancy service for developing a Master Plan for Mumbai Metro Rail and to prepare a Detailed Project Report for the priority corridor, the State Govt. has not yet awarded this consultancy study to DMRC.
- (c)&(d): Does not arise.