

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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FUNDS FOR STRENGTHENING INFRASTRUCTURAL FACILITIES IN NCR

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

- (a) whether the Government has sanctioned funds to strengthen the infrastructural facilities in the National Capital Region (NCR);
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the various programmes prepared to develop the infrastructure in the NCR during the Tenth Five Year Plan?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ( SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD )

(a)&(b): With a view to strengthen the infrastructural facilities in the National Capital Region, the Government of India provided funds to the tune of 410.92 crores upto the end of 9th Plan period. The 10th Plan has a provision of Rs.350 crores against which Rs.125 crores have already been provided.

(c): The National Capital Region Planning Board (NCRPB) has informed that during the first two years of the 10th Plan period, it had sanctioned 19 projects pertaining to infrastructure development like water supply, sewerage, roads, street lights, bridges etc. in the National Capital Region as per the Regional Plan 2001.

During the 10th Plan, the emphasis of NCRPB would be on improvement/augmentation of civic-infrastructure facilities within the municipal limits of various towns in National Capital Region, development/improvement of industrial Infrastructure to make NCR a success for industrial activity as well as improvement of connectivity in the National Capital Region Area through Integrated Rail-cum-Bus Transit System, construction of expressways etc.