

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:287
ANSWERED ON:10.03.2006
COMMONWEALTH GAMES, 2010
Singh Shri Prabhunath

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the new infrastructure projects launched/likely to be launched by the Government for the forthcoming Commonwealth Games, 2010; and

(b) the present status of the projects?

Answer

MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY)

(a)&(b): A Statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 287 FOR 10.3.2006 REGARDING COMMONWEALTH GAMES, 2010.

(a)&(b): The Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports has reported that 18 venues have been identified for 15 approved and 3 proposed disciplines, for the Commonwealth Games, 2010. Upgradation/construction work in connection with the Games is to be undertaken by the Sports Authority of India, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, New Delhi Municipal Council (NDMC), Delhi Development Authority (DDA), Delhi University and All India Tennis Association, for the venues under their respective control.

The Govt. of NCT of Delhi has also prepared an Action Plan for improvement and beautification of roads, construction of flyovers, improvement of transport system, setting up of hospital and health posts etc. with a total estimated cost of Rs.1314.40 crore.

In addition to the above, DDA has been entrusted with the responsibility for construction of a Games Village for the Commonwealth Games, 2010 at a site near the National Highway 24, off the New Nizamuddin Bridge.

The above projects proposed for the Commonwealth Games, 2010 are at various stages of preparation and planning.