GOVERNMENT OF INDIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that there should be at least 20,000 more hotel rooms available in and around Delhi before 2009 as India is hosting 2010 Commonwealth Games; and

(b) if so, the details of the arrangements made by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): Various Central agencies viz. Delhi Development Authority, Ministry of Railways, Ministry of Civil Aviation, Delhi Metro Rail Corporation and State Government agencies like Haryana Urban Development Authority, NOIDA, Greater NOIDA are taking steps to augment the availability of Hotel accommodation in and around Delhi. At some sites work is in progress, some sites have been disposed of by auction/tender and in some other site action to dispose the plots is under progress.