

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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INTRODUCTION OF METRO RAIL SERVICES
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce Metro Rail Services in certain big cities including Faridabad in line with Delhi;
- (b) if so, the details of neighbouring towns of Delhi to which facility of metro train is likely to be extended upto 2006;
- (c) the schedule prescribed for implementation of this Scheme;
- (d) whether certain States have expressed their inability in implementing this scheme;
- (e) if so, the details thereof;
- (f) whether the Government has withdrawn its proposal to connect Noida and Gurgaon by metro; and
- (g) if so, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

- (a): A proposal has been received from the Government of Karnataka for introduction of Metro Rail Services in Bangalore. Government of Maharashtra also proposes to introduce Metro Rail Services in Mumbai. There is at present no proposal for introduction of Metro Rail Services in Faridabad.
- (b): No proposal is presently under consideration to extend Metro Rail Services to the neighbouring towns around Delhi.
- (c)to(g): Do not arise.