

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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DEVELOPMENT IN MEGA CITIES
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to bring the centrally sponsored schemes of infrastructure development in mega cities and the Integral Development of small and medium towns scheme under one umbrella; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a)&(b): The existing schemes of `Infrastructure Development in Mega Cities` and `Integrated Development of Small and Medium Towns` are being reviewed and re-appraised, particularly with reference to the exclusion of some cities on the basis of population criteria.