GOVERNMENT OF INDIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1127 ANSWERED ON:30.07.2010 METRO RAIL PROJECTS Semmalai Shri S.

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Metro rail projects proposed to be constructed/undertaken in the country with details of the project cost and funding pattern, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has taken any initiative to draw comprehensive plan to introduce Metro rail in Tier II & III cities in a phased manner; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SAUGATA ROY)

- (a): The Metro Rail projects proposed to this Ministry by the State Governments and Delhi Metro Rail Corporation in the country are given at Annexure-I.
- (b): No, Madam. Urban Transport is intertwined with urban development which is a State subject and hence it is for the States to come up with proposals for appropriate public transport systems, with detailed justification based on Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP), alternatives analysis, etc.
- (c): Does not arise.