

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:298
ANSWERED ON:13.08.2010
COST ESCALATION IN COMMONWEALTH PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the expenditure incurred so far and total estimated expenditure likely to be incurred on the projects relating to Commonwealth Games 2010 to be held in New Delhi including the expenditure on beautification, construction of flyovers and renovation of footpaths;
- (b) whether the expenditure on the games projects including infrastructure has escalated manifold vis-à-vis estimation of 2003;
- (c) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT(SHRI SAUGATA ROY)

(a)to (d): A statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT

STATEMENT AS REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (d) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.298 FOR 13.8.2010 REGARDING COST ESCALATION IN COMMONWEALTH PROJECTS

(a): Details of funds approved and expenditure incurred so far by various agencies responsible for implementing projects relating to Commonwealth Games 2010 are annexed.

(b): The agencies responsible for implementing projects relating to Commonwealth Games 2010 have informed that the estimate of expenditure for Commonwealth Games Projects and upgradation/augmentation of city infrastructure was not finalized in the year 2003.

(c)& (d) : Questions do not arise in view of the reply at (b) above.