

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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MASS RAPID TRANSPORT SYSTEM
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government proposes to support Mass Rapid Transport Systems for various million plus cities in the country;
- (b) if so, whether the Union Government has received any proposals from various States in this regard during the last three years and till date;
- (c) if so, the details in this regard, State-wise; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Union Government on such proposals along with the assistance provided thereunder, State-wise and proposal-wise?

Answer

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

- (a): Yes, Madam. The Union Government proposes to support Mass Rapid Transport (MRTS), whether bus based or rail based in all million plus cities in the country as per 2001 census. However the proposals must be supported through Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP) and if required, through Alternatives analysis report also.
- (b) to (d): Details of MRTS proposals including Bus Rapid Transit System (BRTS) received during the last three years (and current year till date), steps taken by the Union Govt along with financial assistance provided there under is given at Annexure I and II.