GOVERNMENT OF INDIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5088 ANSWERED ON:10.12.2010 MAINTENANCE OF GREENERY AROUND CWG VILLAGE NO. Kumar Shri Kaushalendra;Ramkishun Shri

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the areas where greenery was developed for the Commonwealth Games;

(b) the names of the countries/States from where these plants and grass were brought and the cost thereof;

(c) the name(s) of agency/agencies which have been made responsible for maintaining this greenery;

(d) the reasons for not maintaining the greenery properly;

(e) the action taken by the Government on the agency/agencies responsible for maintaining it; and

(f) the corrective measures taken or proposed by the Government in this regard?

Answer

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

(a) : Commonwealth Games Village was executed by the Delhi Development Authority (DDA). DDA has informed that the three areas where greenery was developed by it for Commonwealth Games are

(i) Siri Fort Sports Complex,

(ii) Yamuna Sports Complex,

(iii) Commonwealth Games Village.

(b): DDA has also informed that no plants and grass were brought from outside India.

(c): The greenery is being maintained by Horticulture Department of DDA through contractors.

(d) to (f) : DDA has further informed that the areas where greenery had been developed are being maintained properly. In case of any laxity punitive action can be taken against the contractors as per terms and conditions of the contract.