

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:272  
ANSWERED ON:15.03.2011  
URBAN TRANSPORT  
Das Shri Khagen;Semmalai Shri S.

**Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Union government has assessed/conducted any study on traffic and transportation needs and investments thereof, in the metro and urban areas of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the total investments required for developing various transit systems in the urban areas including Metro Rail, Mass Rapid Transit System (MRTS) and Bus Rapid Transit System(BRTS);
- (c) the details of the various Metro Rail, MRTS and BRTS projects implemented/under implementation in various cities in the country, city-wise and State-wise including Gujarat; and
- (d) the details of funds/assistance provided by the Union Government for implementing such projects, during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT(SHRI KAMAL NATH)

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

STATEMENT

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (d) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 272 FOR 15.03.2011 REGARDING URBAN TRANSPORT

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b): As per a recent study got conducted by the Ministry of Urban Development through M/s Wilbur Smith Associates Pvt. Ltd., the total requirement of funds for urban transport in 87 identified cities by 2030 is roughly estimated at Rs.4,35,380 crore.

(c) & (d): The State-wise details of Bus Rapid Transit System (BRTS) projects approved under JNNURM and funds/assistance provided by Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India for their implementation are at Annexure I. The details of Metro Rail Projects implemented/under implementation in various cities and funds released therefor during the last three years are given at Annexure II & III respectively.