

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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

- (a) Whether the Government has finalised the norms relating to measures including consolidation of parking, taxation and dense population charges to encourage the public transport in various cities of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken under the Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) by the Government to include States in it?

**Answer**

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

- (a) & (b): National Urban Transport Policy (NUTP) has been formulated by the Government in April, 2006 which prioritizes investment in public transport and Non-motorised transport. It also covers related issues of parking, integrating land use and transport planning, financing through dedicated taxing and enforcement measures etc..
- (c): Parking lots is one of the admissible components under JnNURM. Accordingly, projects related to parking are sanctioned under JnNURM. So far projects with total approved cost of Rs. 860.42 cr with Additional Central Assistace (ACA) commitment of Rs.337.28 cr have been sanctioned.