

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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METRO RAIL PROJECTS

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

- (a) whether the Union Government has granted approval/ sanction for metro rail projects in various parts of the country including Tamil Nadu and Gujarat;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, project-wise and State-wise alongwith the number of projects which have been completed;
- (c) the details of the ongoing metro rail projects in different States alongwith the present status of each project; and
- (d) the details of the proposals received from various States/ under consideration of the Union Government for providing metro rail connectivity in metropolitan/medium cities in the country and their status thereof?

**Answer**

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

- (a): Yes, Madam. The Union Government has granted approval/sanction for metro rail projects in various parts of the country. Union Government has not sanctioned any metro project for Gujarat State so far.