

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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REGIONAL RAPID TRANSIT SYSTEM
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has cleared many rail based Regional Rapid Transit System to provide fast connectivity between National capital and satellite towns and between State capitals and towns;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether various State Governments have forwarded their proposals for introduction of such rail based Regional Rapid Transit System in their States; and
- (d) if so, the details and the present status thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): No, Madam. However, NCR Planning Board conducted a Study on 'Integrated Transportation Plan for NCR'. The study identified the need for Eight intercity rail corridors in NCR to facilitate commuters. The tentative length and cost details of the corridors as per that study are given below:-

Sl.No	Corridor	Length (Kms)	Total Cost including Rolling Stock (Rs. in Million)
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1	Delhi-Ghaziabad-Meerut	67	14910
2	Delhi-Gurgaon-Rewari-Alwar	158	34100
3	Delhi-Faridabad-Ballabgarh-Palwal	60	13370
4	Ghaziabad-Khurja	83	18380
5	Delhi-Sonipat-Panipat	89	19720
6	Delhi-Bahadurgarh-Rothak	70	15670
7	Ghaziabad-Hapur	57	12820
8	Delhi-Shhadra-Baraut	56	12500

Total	640	141470
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(c): No, Madam.

(d): Does not arise in view of (c) above.