

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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ALLIED WORKS OF METRO RAIL
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the logistical and allied works of Delhi Metro yet to be finished/ completed at various places where metro stations are operational;
- (b) the reasons for the delay alongwith the time by which the work is likely to be completed;
- (c) the details of parking lots of Delhi Metro which have not been fully developed and contracts for which have been given to private parties who are already charging parking fee; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government in this regard and the time by which the same are likely to be fully developed.

Answer

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

- (a): Delhi Metro Rail Corporation Limited (DMRC) has informed that all the major works at operational metro stations have been completed, except in the case of New Delhi Metro Station and IGI Airport Station on the High Speed Airport Express Link, where only island platforms are operational. At some metro stations, only minor improvement works have been taken up.
- (b): In the High Speed Airport Express Link, the stations were commissioned with only island platforms, which are sufficient to cater to the initial number of passengers expected on this line. The side platforms are planned for operation only after the number of passengers have increased sufficiently.
- (c) & (d): All the parking lots are fully developed in accordance with the traffic requirement.