

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
PLANNING  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3250  
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INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT  
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**Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the status of infrastructure development would be opened to public scrutiny for the expenditure made on each project;
- (b) if so the details thereof; and
- (c) the views of the experts, State Governments and public in this regard?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR PLANNING, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY AND EARTH SCIENCES (DR. ASHWANI KUMAR)

- (a): Yes, Madam. It is already open.
- (b): The expenditures incurred on all public infrastructure projects are open to public scrutiny.
- (c): There is general consensus that the status of infrastructure development should be open to public scrutiny.