

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2146  
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MODERNISATION OF GOI PRESSES  
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**Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to modernize the various Government of India Presses including one located at Coimbatore(Tamil Nadu);
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps proposed to be taken by the Government to safeguard the interest of the employees in these Presses?

**Answer**

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

(a): Yes, Madam

(b): National Buildings Construction Corporation has been asked to undertake detailed study of all the Govt. of India Presses, including Coimbatore with the ultimate objective of modernizing the Presses to make them world class Presses.

(c): The employees of all the Presses will be retained inspite of addition of number of high speed machines and equipments. They will be imparted training on the new technology for operation of the new machines, equipment and ancillaries.