## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:760 ANSWERED ON:14.08.2012 BRT SYSTEM Singh Smt. Meena

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

- (a) the names of the metropolitan cities in the States where Bus Rapid Transit System (BRTS) has been implemented so far;
- (b) the extent to which the experiment has been successful/problematic;
- (c) whether the Union/State Governments have conducted any inquiry in regard to the wastage of fuel due to 7 to 20 minutes of waiting time at the BRT crossings;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the reasons for enforcing BRTS on the roads of Delhi; and
- (e) the time by which the Government proposes to break this bottleneck?

## **Answer**

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

- (a) & (b) Under UIG sub-mission of JnNURM, 10 cities namely Vijayawada, Vishakhapatnam, Ahmedabad, Rajkot, Surat, Bhopal, Indore, Pune, Jaipur and Kolkata have been approved BRTS projects. Out of these 10, BRTS has become operational in Ahmedabad, Jaipur and Pune.
- (c) & (d) Government of India has not conducted any inquiry in regard to the wastage of fuel at crossings in completed BRTS projects at Ahmedabad, Jaipur and Pune.
- (e) Does not arise.