

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3009  
ANSWERED ON:12.12.2012  
UNSAFE BUNGALOWS IN LUTYENS ZONE  
Ponnam Shri Prabhakar

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

(a) whether the Government has assessed that nearly 600 bungalows in the Lutyens Zone need to be razed/refurbished/replaced with new constructions as they are structurally unsafe; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the decision taken in this regard?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SMT. DEEPA DASMUNSI)

(a) & (b): A survey was conducted in 2001-2002 to identify safety status of bungalows in Lutyens' Zone for their precarious/structurally unsafe/structurally safe condition. In the survey, it was found that 29 bungalows were in very precarious condition, 487 bungalows were structurally unsafe and 76 bungalows were structurally safe. Government has not taken any decision regarding razed/refurbished/replaced of these bungalows.