

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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THREAT TO HISTORICAL BUILDINGS
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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the construction of metro rail in Jaipur poses any danger to the historical buildings located therein; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF CULTURE (SMT. CHANDRESH KUMARI KATOCH)

- (a) National Monuments Authority (NMA) has not received any such proposal for grant of NOC for construction of metro rail in Jaipur.
- (b) Moreover, it has been reported by the Director, Archaeology and Museum Department, Government of Rajasthan that the work of construction of metro rail is going on outside the walled city and no protected monuments of that Department are located there.