

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

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TRAFFIC MOVEMENT DURING THE COMMONWEALTH GAMES

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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has prepared any action plan to ensure hasslefree traffic movement during the Commonwealth Games, 2010;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has approved the proposal for a state-of- the-art traffic and communication network in NCR region;
- (d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the time by which it is likely to be commissioned; and
- (e) the total expenditure likely to be incurred thereon?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) to (e): The Delhi Police has prepared a Traffic Management Plan for managing traffic during Commonwealth Games 2010 to be held in Delhi. The Plan envisages connectivity between IGI Airport to Commonwealth Games Village, approach to each stadium from Games Village, requirement for infrastructural development, Park & Ride scheme, dispersal of traffic etc. Steps have been initiated to reform and upgrade traffic management from empirical management to information-based scientific management. Keeping in view Commonwealth Games-2010 and the tremendous increase in traffic to and from satellite towns around Delhi, and in the city, it has become imperative to develop state-of -the-art Traffic and Communication network in NCR and MEGA Cities which inter- alia includes the state -of-the-art command and control centre, a city video surveillance system covering the maximum number of roads and intersections with fixed/PTZ cameras which will enable real time monitoring of traffic, assessment of road congestion, area control system, red light jumping cameras, intelligent transport system, variable message signs is being installed for guidance of motorists as well as to ensure safe & smooth movement of traffic.

This Ministry has already approved a pre-investment activity relating to setting- up of integrated Data Communication Network (Cyber Highway) through MTNL for the 11th plan period and has approved an expenditure of Rs. 5.07 crores. The overall estimated expenditure of the project is approx. Rs. 200 crores during the 11th Five Year Plan.