

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6771
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CONVERSION OF GUWAHATI CITY INTO METRO
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to convert Guwahati City into a Metro City; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): No, Madam. There is no such proposal. However, as per 2011 Census, the population of Guwahati UA is 9.68 Lakh and cities having population of 10 Lakh or more are generally known as Metropolitan cities.