GOVERNMENT OF INDIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:375 ANSWERED ON:19.02.2014 FUNDS TO DEVELOPMENTAL PROJECTS Majhi Shri Pradeep Kumar

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the achievements made so far by the National Capital Region Planning Board (NCRPB);
- (b) the number of projects financed in the National Capital Region by the NCRPB, region-wise;
- (c) the details of the financial assistance provided to various infrastructure development projects undertaken in the region, projectwise;
- (d) the status of each such project and the steps taken by the Board for their timely completion; and
- (e) the details of issues discussed during the 34th meeting of NCRPB?

Answer

MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI KAMAL NATH)

(a) to(e): A statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT

STATEMENT AS REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 375 FOR 19/02/2014 REGARDING FUNDS TO DEVELOPMENTAL PROJECTS:

- (a):i) National Capital Region Planning Board (NCRPB) has provided loan assistance for 291 physical & social infrastructure projects, out of which 214 projects have been completed and 77 projects are on-going. Till December, 2013, Rs. 6774 crores has been released for these infrastructure projects.
- ii) NCRPB has prepared Regional Plan-2021 for the National Capital Region, which has now been reviewed and Draft Revised Regional Plan-2021 has been prepared after extensive consultations with the stakeholders including NCR participating States and concerned Central Ministries/Departments.
- iii) "Reciprocal Common Transport Agreements" for "Contract Carriage" and "Stage Carriage" among the NCR participating States were signed on 14.10.08 and 22.04.10 respectively for seamless movement of taxis, auto-rickshaws and buses in NCR.
- iv) As per Census data, population growth rate of Delhi has reduced from 51.45% (1981-1991) to 47.02% (1991-2001) and it further declined to 21.2% during 2001-11. In absolute numbers, growth of population of Delhi declined from 44.3 lakhs in 1991-2001 to 29.4 lakhs in 2001-2011.
- v) National Capital Region Transport Corporation (NCRTC) has been incorporated on 21.8.2013 with on initial equity of capital of Rs. 100 Crore for designing, developing, implementing, financing, operating and maintaining Regional Rapid Transit System (RRTS) in NCR. Feasibility Studies of the three prioritized RRTS corridors viz. Delhi-Sonipat-Panipat (110 km), Delhi-Gurgaon-Rewari-Alwar (180 km) and Delhi-Ghaziabad-Meerut (90 km) have been completed.
- vi) Delhi Metro Rail has been extended to Gurgaon, Noida and Ghaziabad by DMRC. The work of extension of Delhi Metro to Faridabad and Bahadurgarh is in progress.
- vii) Construction of Western and Eastern Peripheral Expressways around Delhi and Delhi-Meerut Expressway has also been taken up by MoRT&H.
- (b): Sub-region wise break-up of number of projects financed in National Capital Region by the NCRPB is as under:

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NCT-Delhi 3
CMA -Patiala, Punjab 2
CMA -Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh 6
Total 291
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(c) Sector-wise details of Loan released till December, 2013 is as under:

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Sector Number Loan Released (Rs. In crore)
Water Supply 49 874
Sewerage, etc. 40 338
Transport 73 2065
Land Development 97 1449
Power 21 1427
Others 11 621
Total 291 6774
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(d): Status of projects as on December, 2013 is as under:

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Sector Completed Ongoing Total Project Water Supply 31 18 49
Sewerage, etc. 24 16 40
Transport 46 27 73
Land Development 92 5 97
Power 15 6 21
Others 6 5 11
Total 214 77 291
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In addition to monitoring by NCRPB and the implementing agencies, the progress is also reviewed by Project Sanctioning and Monitoring Group (PSMG) for their timely completion.

- (e): The details of issues discussed during 34th meeting of NCRPB are as under:
- i) Ratification of Annual Report and Audited Annual Accounts for the year 2012-13 and approval of BE (Plan &Non-Plan) 2014-15 for NCRPB.
- ii) Review of progress of projects approved by the Project Sanctioning & Monitoring Group (PSMG) during the year 2013-14.
- iii) Review of details of loans sanctioned and disbursed by NCRPB during the years 2011-12, 2012-13 and 2013-14 up to December, 2013.
- iv) Review of status of financial assistance by Asian Development Bank (ADB) and KfW (German Development Bank) to NCR Planning Board.
- v) Consideration of Draft Revised Regional Plan-2021 for NCR for Publication under Section 13 of NCRPB Act, 1985 and Rule 27 of NCRPB Rules, 1985.
- vi) Consideration of the proposal for inclusion of Jind and Karnal districts of State of Haryana in National Capital Region.