

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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EXPORT OF METRO RAIL COACH
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to export Metro Rail Coaches to other countries;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the names of countries to which such export is contemplated;
- (c) whether it is likely to hamper the supply of Metro Rail Coach in the country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken/proposed to be taken in this regards?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)

(a) to (d): Bharat Earth Movers Ltd. (BEML), a Central Government Public Sector Undertaking (PSU) under the Ministry of Defence has informed that it has tied up with Indian Railway Construction Company (IRCON) for exploring the possibility of exporting metro cars to neighboring SAARC countries with immediate target countries being Sri Lanka and Bangladesh. However, it will not hamper the supply of metro rail coaches in the country. It is also learnt that Bombardier, a private company located in Gujarat has started exporting metro coaches to Australia. Data related to private companies is not maintained in this Ministry.