

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6551
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CONSTRUCTION CESS
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the total tax collected under the head construction cess during each of the last three years;
- (b) the percentage share out of the above spent on welfare of construction labourers/workers during the above period;
- (c) whether there is a huge gap between total construction cess collected and the amount spent on the welfare of labourers;
- (d) if so, the details thereof, State-wise, including Rajasthan and the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the corrective steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

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

- (a) The total tax collected under the head construction cess during each of the last three years, is as under : -

Year	Amount
2012-13	Rs. 529,405,247
2013-14	Rs. 593,479,651
2014-15	Rs. 659,125,177

- (b) Deducted amount of Cess is deposited with concerned Labour Office, hence expenditure not made by CPWD.
- (c) to (e) Not applicable in view of reply at (b) above.