

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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WASTE MANAGEMENT
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes Public Private Partnership (PPP) model for waste management in urban areas in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether best practices from developed countries are also being considered for urban waste management; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Government of India has launched "Swachh Bharat Mission" (SBM) on 2nd October, 2014 with the target to make the country clean by 2nd October, 2019. One of the admissible components under SBM is Solid Waste Management with Central support up to 20% of the project cost in the form of Viability Gap Funding (VGF)/Grant. The remaining funds have to be generated through private sector participation/state government/Urban Local Body (ULB) contribution.

(c) & (d): Under SBM, all feasible waste processing methods including the best practices from developed countries, based on their successful performance outcome in India, shall be adopted by ULBs for efficient management of solid waste in the Country.