

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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CAD PLATFORM FOR DISTRESS CALLS
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Government has approved establishment of Integrated Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) platform for supporting Geographical Information System (GIS) based Call Tracking and Geographical Positioning System (GPS) based Police vehicle dispatch to respond to women and other distress calls;

(b) if so, the present status thereof; and

(c) If not, the reasons therefor and the time by which the same is likely to be done?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE: (SMT. NIRMALA SITHARAMAN):

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c): Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs (CCEA) has approved Rs.361.69 crore project that aims at 'Establishment of an Integrated Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD)' platform for supporting Geographical Information System (GIS) Based Call Tracking and Geographical Positioning System (GPS) based Police vehicle dispatch to respond to women and other distress calls and ensure speedy assistance to them. Project activities could not take place because the funds are yet to be allocated under the appropriate head to initiate expenditure. Ministry of Home Affairs has directed all the stakeholders to expedite the project implementation.