

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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INFRASTRUCTURE DEFICIENCIES IN CITIES

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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether various cities and urban areas in the country including the electronic city in Bangalore are suffering from lack of basic facilities and infrastructure such as roads, sanitation and drinking water etc.;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard;
- (c) whether the Government has assessed the requirement of funds for the development of urban infrastructure; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the manner in which the funds are likely to be mobilized?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): In order to improve the situation of civic services in urban areas, Government of India launched Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JnNURM) in 2005 with a view to provide financial assistance to the State Governments for creating urban infrastructure facilities for all the cities in the country with a reform oriented agenda for period of 7 years from 2005 to 2012 and further extended upto March 2014. The Mission has ended on 31.03.2014. The details of projects sanctioned under Urban Infrastructure and Governance (UIG) sub-mission of JnNURM and Urban Infrastructure Development Scheme for Small and Medium Towns (UIDSSMT) during the Mission period and Transition phase is annexed.

(c)&(d): The JnNURM has ended on 31.03.2014. The Government is considering launch of a new Urban Development Mission. The contours of this Mission are being finalized.