Title: Need to lay metro rail network in Cochin city, Kerala.

SHRI GEORGE EDEN (ERNAKULAM): Sir, Cochin is one of the fast developing cities in the country. The port city is the commercial capital of the State of Kerala. It is the nearest port in the Western maritime in the western coast of the country. The traffic block is the regular phenomena in the Cochin city and near by area. The only solution for clearing the traffic blocks is the Metro Railway network to be introduced in this area. Various Government organisations and social organisations conducted surveys in this regard. The non-availability of land due to high density of population in the city creates problems to open new roads also. In this regard, I would like to request the Government to introduce the metro rail network in the city of Cochin.