

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**  
**MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS**  
**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3142**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON DECEMBER 16, 2021**

**PROJECT PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION**

**No. 3142. SHRI RAHUL RAMESH SHEWALE:  
SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU:  
SHRI GIRISH BHALCHANDRA BAPAT:  
DR. PRITAM GOPINATHRAO MUNDE:**

**Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether it is a fact that urban areas are expected to house forty percent of population of the country and contribute seventy five per cent to GDP by 2030;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether most of the cities in the country are lacking urban city planning;**
- (d) if so, the details thereof;**
- (e) whether there is a need to collaborate all relevant sectors for effective project planning and implementation; and**
- (f) if so, the steps taken by the Union Government in this direction?**

**ANSWER**  
**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE**  
**MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS**  
**(SHRI KAUSHAL KISHORE)**

**(a) & (b) As per Report of the Technical Group on 'Population Projections for India and States(2011-2036)', published by the National Commission on Population, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, in July, 2020, the projected urban population for India would be 37.25% of total country's population on 1<sup>st</sup> March, 2030. Further, the Mid-Term Appraisal of the 11<sup>th</sup> Five Year Plan projects the urban share in total GDP at 75 per cent in 2030.**

**(c) & (d) Urban planning falls under the domain of respective State / Union Territory Governments. According to the Report on 'Reforms in Urban Planning Capacity in India' brought out by National Institution for Transforming India (NITI) Aayog in September, 2021, about 52% of the statutory towns and 76% of census towns do not have Master Plans to guide their spatial growth and infrastructural investments.**

**(e) (& (f) Urban development being a State subject, project planning and implementation is the responsibility of State / UT Governments.**

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