GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OFURBAN DEVELOPMENT RAJYA SABHA

QUESTION NO19.11.2009

ANSWERED ON

DELHI GHAZIABAD VAISHALI METRO LINK

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Will the Minister of COALCOALEXTERNAL AFFAIRSURBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :-

- (a) the reasons for delay in the completion of Delhi-Ghaziabad upto Vaishali metro link;
- (b)the original date fixed for the completion of the link and by when this metro line is expected to be completed and be operational; and
- (c)the specific steps that are proposed to be taken to ensure the revised schedule to be completed so that this link can be useful for the Delhi-Uttar Pradesh traffic for the 2010 Commonwealth Games to be held in Delhi?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT

(SHRI SAUGATA ROY)

- (a):Delhi Metro Rail Corporation (DMRC) Ltd. has reported that the Anand Vihar (in Delhi)-Vaishali (in Ghaziabad) Metro link has been delayed for want of 'in principle' approval from the Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi (GNCTD) and subsequent sanction by Government of India.
- (b):The target date for completion of this line has not been fixed by DMRC.
- (c):Does not arise.