

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

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3574**

TO BE ANSWERED ON APRIL 03, 2023

EXPANSION OF TIER-2 CITIES

NO. 3574. SHRI M.MOHAMED ABDULLA:

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

- (a) whether it is fact that the tier-2 cities in the country are going to gain more traction as desirable places to reside in the upcoming year as a result of the increasing economic activity and employment prospects; and
- (b) if so, the details about the action plan going to be taken by Government to help the tier 2 cities to expand more?

ANSWER

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

- (a) & (b) Urban Development is a State subject. The Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs facilitates and assists the States / Union Territories (UTs) through its Missions viz Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation 2.0 (AMRUT 2.0), Smart Cities Mission, Swachh Bharat Mission-Urban 2.0 (SBM-U 2.0), Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Urban (PMAY-U) and Metro Rail projects to improve urban infrastructure and enhance the quality of life in cities and towns covered under these Missions.
