

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS  
RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1982  
TO BE ANSWERED ON AUGUST 07, 2023**

**SMART CITIES PROJECT IN MAHARASHTRA**

**NO. 1982. SHRI ANIL DESAI:**

**Will the Minister of *Housing and Urban Affairs* be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of cities in the country which have been selected for development under the prestigious Smart Cities project by Government during the last three years;
- (b) the name of the cities so far successful in this regard during the last three years;
- (c) the number of cities/Mahanagar Palikas, Nagar Parishad etc., in Maharashtra which have been selected for development in terms of water supply, waste management, agriculture production, civic amenities, and funds made available to them for the same during last three years; and
- (d) the details of achievements by these cities?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (d) : Government of India launched Smart Cities Mission (SCM) on 25 June 2015. 100 Smart Cities have been selected through 4 rounds of competition from January 2016 to June 2018. 8 cities (all Mahanagar Palikas) i.e., Aurangabad, Kalyan-Dombivali, Nagpur, Nashik, Pimpri-Chinchwad, Pune, Solapur and Thane have been selected for development as Smart Cities in Maharashtra.

As on 7 July 2023, ₹ 6,143.60 crore has been released for 8 Smart Cities in Maharashtra of which ₹ 5,760.55 crore (94%) has been utilized. As on 7 July 2023, out of 318 projects being implemented by Smart Cities in Maharashtra; 245 projects (77%) have been completed and 73 projects are at different stages of implementation.

These projects, inter alia, relate to 24x7 Water Supply, Smart Metering, Laying of Utility Ducts, Construction of E-Toilets, deployment of Robotic Scavengers, Lake Rejuvenation & Precinct Development, Placemaking – Open Gym etc. The progress of projects related to Water & Sanitation projects (WASH) in these Smart Cities is given below: -

(Amount ₹ in crore)

Smart City	Work Completed		Work Order Issued		Total	
	No. of projects	Cost	No. of projects	Cost	No. of projects	Cost
Aurangabad	4	535	1	1,680	5	2,215
Kalyan-Dombivali	5	260	0	0	5	260
Nagpur	3	7	5	115	8	122
Nashik	5	21	4	319	9	340
Pimpri-Chinchwad	4	39	1	139	5	178
Pune	6	505	0	0	6	505
Solapur	15	269	2	84	17	353
Thane	16	251	4	127	20	378
<b>Total</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>1,886</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2,464</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>4,350</b>

(Source: SCM Geospatial Management Information System (GMIS) as on 7 July 2023)

The progress of projects related to development of Vibrant Public Spaces focused on revival of civic amenities in these Smart Cities is given below:-

(Amount ₹ in crore)

Smart City	Work Completed		Work Order Issued		Total	
	No. of projects	Cost	No. of projects	Cost	No. of projects	Cost
Aurangabad	5	45	1	114	6	159
Kalyan-Dombivali	1	20	2	108	3	128
Nagpur	0	0	2	7	2	7
Nashik	10	39	1	74	11	113
Pimpri-Chinchwad	1	247	0	0	1	247
Pune	7	84	0	0	7	84
Solapur	11	62	0	0	11	62
Thane	10	82	4	205	14	286
<b>Total</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>1,087</b>

(Source: SCM Geospatial Management Information System (GMIS) as on 7 July 2023)

The period of implementation of SCM has been extended up to June 2024 and all Smart Cities, including those in Maharashtra, are expected to complete their projects within the stipulated time.

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