

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 65
TO BE ANSWERED ON DECEMBER 04, 2023

GREEN URBAN MOBILITY INITIATIVES

NO. 65. Shri M. Shanmugam:
Shri Vaiko:

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

- (a) Whether there is any proposal to provide infrastructure enhancement to various cities in the country, as part of Green Urban Mobility Initiatives;
- (b) If so, the details thereof;
- (c) The number of towns and cities in the country, particularly in the State of Tamil Nadu that will be benefitted under the scheme; and
- (d) The details of direct job opportunities the projects are expected to create over the years?

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

(a) to (d): ‘PM-eBus Sewa Scheme’ has been launched recently by the Government of India under which ‘Green Urban Mobility Initiatives’ (GUMI) provides for proposals of urban mobility infrastructure and services like bus priority infrastructure, multimodal interchange facilities, Intelligent Transit Management System, National Common Mobility Card (NCCM)-based Automated Fare Collection System and charging infrastructure including projects demonstrating reduction in Green House Gas (GHG) emissions. 181 Indian cities with 3 lakh and above population size, as per census 2011, including 12 cities of Tamil Nadu, are eligible to participate in this segment of the Scheme. Selection of projects under GUMI segment will be done as per the challenge method prescribed in the Scheme guidelines. The direct job opportunities are linked to the type of projects to be implemented by the concerned cities.
