

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2279
ANSWERED ON 16/12/2024

PROGRESS ON METRO RAIL CONNECTIVITY PROJECT IN ODISHA

NO. 2279. SHRI SUBHASISH KHUNTIA:

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

- (a) the current status of the Bhubaneswar-Cuttack-Puri metro rail connectivity project, including the expected completion timeline of Phase 1; and
- (b) the total cost of the project, along with the sources of funding, and the cost-sharing arrangements between the Central and State Government and the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI TOKHAN SAHU)

(a) & (b) – Govt. of Odisha has informed that the Metro Rail Project under Phase 1 spans 26 km from Bhubaneswar International Airport to Trishulia Square, Cuttack. The current phase of work does not include metro rail connectivity to Puri. The expected completion timeline of Phase 1 is December, 2027. The total cost of the metro rail project under Phase 1 is Rs. 6255.94 Crs. which is fully funded from Government of Odisha.
