GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1806 ANSWERED ON 17/03/2025

ALLOCATION OF BUDGET AMONGST KEY SECTORS OF SCM

1806. MS. SUSHMITA DEV:

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

- (a) the total amount allocated and spent under the Smart Cities Mission (SCM) along with a breakdown of expenditure across key sectors, such as, urban mobility, Water, Sanitation, Hygiene (WASH), smart governance, and energy during the last five years;
- (b) whether Government has conducted any assessment of the effectiveness of the SCM, especially in developing cities where concerns have been raised regarding poor public transport, water quality, pollution, and monsoon flooding, if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) any plans for an extension or follow-up program given that the SCM deadline ends on March 31, 2025, if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) Under Smart Cities Mission (SCM), the Central Government has a total outlay of ₹48,000 crore for the 100 cities. As on 04.03.2025, the cities have been able to claim central financial assistance of ₹47,538 crore (i.e. 99% of the total Central share allocation) as per the utilization of funds provided by them. The States/Union Territories are reported to have utilized ₹45,772 crore (i.e. 96% of the total Central share released).

The 100 cities have undertaken a total of 8,063 projects amounting to ₹1,64,545 crore, in the Mission. As on 04.03.2025, 7,504 projects (i.e. 93% of total projects) amounting to ₹1,50,306 crore have been completed, as per the data provided by 100 Smart Cities. Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs (MoHUA) does not maintain sector wise, year wise, details of expenditure. However, MoHUA maintains sector-wise cost of projects since inception of the Mission, details of which is at Annexure.

- (b) Cities under SCM are being developed based on Smart City Proposals (SCPs) across various sectors viz. smart mobility, Water, Sanitation, Hygiene (WASH), smart governance, smart energy, environment etc., approved by High Powered Steering Committee (HPSC), received from States/UTs. The sector wise details of projects are at Annexure.
- (c) On the requests received from the States/ UTs, Government of India has extended the SCM up to 31.03.2025 for completion of its ongoing projects.

Reply to part (a) and (b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1806 for answer on 17.03.2025 regarding Allocation of budget amongst key sectors of SCM

Details of sector wise projects cost under SCM

(Amount in ₹ crore)

S.	Sectors of SCM	Total No	No. of	Cost of	% of
No.		of	Projects	Projects	completion
		Projects	completed		
1	Integrated Command and Control Centres (ICCCs)	100	100	11,775	100
2	Smart Mobility	1741	1584	37,376	91
3	Smart Energy	694	677	13,868	98
4	Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH)	1546	1439	46,727	93
5	Vibrant Public Places	1409	1316	10,367	93
6	Economic Infrastructure	932	841	11,142	90
7	Social Infrastructure	898	848	12,073	94
8	Smart Governance	645	643	16,267	99
9	Environment	151	147	2,433	97

As per information provided by the States/ UTs/ Smart Cities as on 4th March 2025.