

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**  
**MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS**  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2453**  
**ANSWERED ON 11/08/2025**

**NATIONAL ADOPTION OF GUJARAT'S URBAN PLANNING MODEL**

**2453. SHRI NARHARI AMIN:**

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

- (a) whether Government is aware of the High-Level Committee (HLC) Report on Urban Planning, published by State Government of Gujarat and launched by Prime Minister on the occasion of 2025 as the year of urban development, celebrating 20 years of the State of Gujarat's urban transformation;
- (b) whether Government has evaluated or taken note of the findings and recommendations of the HLC and is considering adopting them at the national level; and
- (c) whether Government has any similar national or state-level reports or surveys on urban development, if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (c): The Government of Gujarat has informed that a report of High-Level Committee (HLC) constituted by it on 13<sup>th</sup> December 2023, to make recommendation on various aspects including Urban Sector Policies was prepared. The said report had been released by Hon'ble Prime Minister, during a function hosted by Government of Gujarat on 27<sup>th</sup> May, 2025. The Government of Gujarat has informed that the said report has been submitted to it.

The Government of India has prepared reports or surveys on urban development including 'Reforms in Urban Planning Capacity in India', by NITI Aayog in collaboration with National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA) and Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA), Swachh Survekshan Report, High-Level Committee Report on Urban Planning, etc.

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