

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 83
ANSWERED ON 01/12/2025**

REVISED PROPOSAL FOR VISAKHAPATNAM METRO IN ANDHRA PRADESH

83. SHRI GOLLA BABURAO:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that Government of Andhra Pradesh has submitted a revised proposal for metro project in Visakhapatnam consisting of 46 kms;
- (b) whether it is also a fact that the Central Government and Government of Andhra Pradesh are going to become share equity for the project;
- (c) if so, details thereof; and
- (d) by when the DPR is going to be ready and the likely date of completion of the project?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): Government of Andhra Pradesh has submitted revised proposal for Visakhapatnam Metro Rail Project consisting of 46.23 Kms of Metro Rail Project under equal participation model. Metro Projects being cost intensive requires extensive appraisal in terms of Metro Rail Policy, 2017 and the approval thereof depends upon feasibility of proposal and availability of resources & as such no timeline can be specified for sanction.
