GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1221

TO BE ANSWERED ON NOVEMBER 23, 2016

AGENCIES FOR SMART CITIES

No. 1221 SHRI ARJUN LAL MEENA:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has appointed agencies for the development of selected Smart Cities in the country;
- (b) if so, the names of the agencies appointed for Ajmer, Jaipur and Udaipur and the criterion adopted for their appointment; and
- (c) the details of system developed by the Government to monitor the working of these agencies?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

(a): No, madam. The Ministry of Urban Development has not appointed any agencies for the development of selected Smart Cities in the country. However, the Ministry had shortlisted a panel of consulting firms to assist the Cities in preparation of their Smart City Proposals.

(b)&(c): Does not arise.
