GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4385 TO BE ANSWERED ON MARCH 29, 2017 MONO RAIL PROJECTS

No. 4385 DR. BANSHILAL MAHATO:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received proposals from various State Governments for Mono Rail Projects;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;
- (c) whether all the said projects have been approved by the Government;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the present status of these projects?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): Government of India has received the following Mono Rail projects proposals:

SI.	State	Mono Rail	Length	Estimated	Approval sought for by
No		Project	in Kms	cost (Rs.	the State
				in Crores)	
1.		Phase-I from	20.68	3267.00	'In-principle approval.
		Poonamallee			(To be Built under
		to Kathipara			Design, Build, Finance,
	Tamil	with a link			Operation & Transfer
	Nadu	from Porur to			(DBFOT) model)
		Vadaplani			
2.		Phase-II from	22.80	3135.16	Official Development
		Vandalur to			Assistance (ODA) from
		Velachery			Japan International
					Cooperation Agency
					(JICA).

(c) to (e): Government of India, vide letter dated 11.11.2014 has accorded 'in principle' approval to Phase-I without any financial liability. For Phase-II, Government of Tamil Nadu (GoTN) was requested to submit comprehensive Detailed Project Report (DPR) along with other relevant documents. GoTN has informed that for Phase-I, fresh tender process is to be initiated by them. For Phase-II, GoTN has not sent the comprehensive DPR.
