# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS

#### **LOK SABHA**

## **UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3808**

## **TO BE ANSWERED ON AUGUST 09, 2017**

#### INDUSTRIAL MODEL TOWNSHIP

No. 3808 SHRI RAMESH CHANDER KAUSHIK:

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

- (a) the number of Industrial Model Township (IMT) developed by the Government during the last three years and the current year so far;
- (b) whether funds have been provided or are proposed to be provided by the Government to develop IMT in NCR Kharkhanda, Sonepat, Haryana;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether the Government had ever contemplated signing any agreement/ MoU with the Chinese conglomerate Wanda in this regard; and
- (e) if so, the outcome thereof and the time by which the Chinese group Wanda is likely to develop it?

# **ANSWER**

# THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS

#### ( RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

(a) to (c): As per the information received from Departmental of Industrial Policy and Promotion (DIPP), the Government has not developed any Industrial Model Township (IMT) during the last three years and the current year.

(d) & (e): No, Madam. However, DIPP has informed that a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) has been signed on 15.01.2016 between Haryana State Industrial and Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited (HSIIDC) and Chinese group Wanda to explore the prospects of setting up of an integrated tourism/ entertainment/ Industrial township at IMT Kharkhoda.

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