

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING & URBAN AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5831

TO BE ANSWERED ON APRIL 03, 2018

URBAN DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES

No. 5831 KUMARI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE:

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

- (a) whether the State Government of Karnataka has taken soft loan from Japan International Corporation Agency (JICA) for various schemes of urban development such as Namma Metro, Urban Drinking Water and Sanitation Projects, Sewage Treatment Plants and Housing Scheme for Urban Poor; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the progress made so far under the said schemes along with the funds earmarked for such schemes and the action plan of the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING & URBAN AFFAIRS

(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

- (a)&(b) Government of Karnataka has not taken any soft loan from Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) for schemes relating to urban development of Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs. However, Government of India (GoI) has entered into two loan agreements with JICA for financing the implementation of Phase -I of Bangalore Metro Rail Project (Namma Metro). GoI has released Rs. 3,208.12 crore as pass through assistance for this project. This phase is now operational.
