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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5359**

TO BE ANSWERED ON JULY, 25 2019

METRO RAIL PROJECT IN PATNA

**No. 5359 : SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH ALIAS LALAN SINGH
SHRI KAUSHALENDRA KUMAR**

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

- (a) Whether the Union Government has approved Metro rail project in Patna, Bihar;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof indicating the estimated cost of the said project along with the amount of financial assistance likely to be provided by the Union Government;**
- (c) whether any target has been fixed by the Union Government to complete the said project; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)**

(a) to (d): Yes, Sir. The Government of India has approved Patna Metro Rail Project on 27.02.2019 at a total completion cost of Rs. 13,365.77 crores. In terms of the approved funding pattern of the project, the amount of financial assistance to be provided by the Union Government for the said project is Rs 7,361.24 crores in the form of Equity (Rs 1,441.12 crores), Subordinate Debt (Rs 399.19 crores) and Pass Through Assistance (Rs 5,520.93 crores). The project is scheduled to be completed in 05 years from the date of approval.
