GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2587
TO BE ANSWERED ON MARCH 16, 2023

PROJECTS UNDER SCM

NO. 2587. SHRI AJAY KUMAR MANDAL:
SHRI RAMESH CHANDER KAUSHIK:
MS. LOCKET CHATTERJEE:
SHRI SUNIL KUMAR PINTU:

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

(a)   the proposals/projects received from various State Governments under Smart Cities Mission (SCM), project/State/district-wise including West Bengal, Bihar and Haryana;

(b)   the number of proposals out of the said proposals for which approval is sought from the advisory committee, district-wise;

(c)   whether several such decisions were taken by the Board of Directors of the Smart City by ignoring the recommendations of the said advisory committee which were not in public interest and which had to be changed multiple times and led to wastage of time and money and if so, the details thereof; and

(d)   the mechanism evolved for the monitoring of the expenditure of funds along with the role of elected representatives in SCM?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI KAUSHAL KISHORE)

(a) to (d): Government of India launched the Smart Cities Mission (SCM) on 25 June 2015. 100 Smart Cities, including those in West Bengal, Bihar, and Haryana, have been selected through 4 rounds of competition from January 2016 to June 2018. State/UT/Smart City-wise details of projects is given as Annexure-I.

The implementation of SCM at the City level is done by SPVs created for the purpose. These SPVs are entities registered under The Companies Act, 2013 with 50:50 ownership of Urban Local Bodies and respective States. They plan, implement, operate, and monitor their development projects. As per Mission Guidelines, Smart City Advisory Forums (SCAF) have been established in all Smart cities. These SCAFs, inter alia, consist of Member(s) of Parliament, Member(s) of Legislative Assembly, Mayor, District Collector, local youth, technical experts, and other stakeholders. All 100 Smart Cities have established their SCAFs. As on 3 March 2023, 749 SCAF meetings have been convened by these 100 Smart Cities. SCAFs have the mandate to advise and enable collaboration among various stakeholders in Smart City development. Approval to projects is provided by the Boards of SPVs.

At State level, Mission implementation is coordinated by the State level High Powered Steering Committee (HPSC). At the National level, implementation of SCM is monitored by an Apex Committee headed by Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA). Nominee Directors of MoHUA on the Boards of SPVs monitor progress in respective cities on a regular basis. MoHUA regularly interacts with the States/Smart Cities through video conferences, review meetings, field visits, regional workshops etc. at various levels to assess the performance of cities and handhold them for improving the same. Smart Cities are assessed on various parameters including, but not limited to, project implementation and utilization of funds through the Real Time Online Geospatial Management Information System (GMIS).

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Annexure-I in reply to Parts (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2587 for answer on 16.03.2023 regarding Projects under SCM asked by Shri Ajay Kumar Mandal, Shri Ramesh Chander Kaushik, Ms. Locket Chatterjee & Shri Sunil Kumar Pintu Hon'ble MPs.

State/UT/Smart City-wise Cost of Projects as per the Smart City Proposals

(Amount in ₹ crore)

State/City	Total projects	
	No. of Projects	Amount
Andaman Nicobar Islands	**19**	**723**
Port Blair	19	723
Andhra Pradesh	**281**	**7854**
Amaravati	21	2046
Kakinada	94	1910
Tirupati	105	1873
Visakhapatnam	61	2025
Arunachal Pradesh	**74**	**1001**
Itanagar	32	521
Pasighat	42	481
Assam	**23**	**948**
Guwahati	23	948
Bihar	**150**	**6412**
Bhagalpur	25	1529
Biharsharif	50	1449
Muzaffarpur	28	1185
Patna	47	2248
Chandigarh	**97**	**3205**
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Chhattisgarh	**523**	**4744**
Atal Nagar	53	944
Bilaspur	135	2470
Raipur	335	1330
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	**43**	**1054**
Silvassa	43	1054
Daman and Diu	**37**	**345**
Diu	37	345
Delhi	**119**	**1516**
NDMC	119	1516
Goa	**49**	**1053**
Panaji	49	1053
Gujarat	**333**	**12446**
Ahmedabad	70	3304
Dahod	37	1004
Gandhinagar	23	1049
Rajkot	71	2161
Surat	82	3070
Vadodara	50	1857
Haryana	**164**	**2162**

State/City	Total projects	
	No. of Projects	Amount
Faridabad	45	930
Karnal	119	1232
Himachal Pradesh	**300**	**1642**
Dharamshala	76	683
Shimla	224	959
Jammu and Kashmir	**313**	**7764**
Jammu	128	3583
Srinagar	185	4182
Jharkhand	**27**	**2627**
Ranchi	27	2627
Karnataka	**916**	**15872**
Belagavi	219	3513
Bengaluru	50	1076
Davanagere	127	2015
Hubballi-Dharwad	80	2933
Mangaluru	103	2667
Shivamogga	109	1368
Tumakuru	228	2301
Kerala	**111**	**2851**
Kochi	61	1717
Thiruvananthapuram	50	1134
Lakshadweep	**10**	**126**
Kavaratti	10	126
Madhya Pradesh	**794**	**19413**
Bhopal	90	3435
Gwalior	61	1575
Indore	246	6308
Jabalpur	136	3247
Sagar	79	1788
Satna	81	1358
Ujjain	101	1702
Maharashtra	**320**	**17402**
Aurangabad	46	3547
Kalyan-Dombivali	18	1483
Nagpur	31	1972
Nashik	50	3140
Pimpri-Chinchwad	25	1305
Pune	48	1823
Solapur	49	1258
Thane	53	2874
Manipur	**24**	**513**
Imphal	24	513
Meghalaya	**18**	**920**
Shillong	18	920
Mizoram	**40**	**647**
Aizawl	40	647

State/City	Total projects	
	No. of Projects	Amount
Nagaland	**41**	**698**
Kohima	41	698
Odisha	**99**	**3673**
Bhubaneswar	35	2160
Rourkela	64	1513
Puducherry	**108**	**1123**
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Punjab	**195**	**5511**
Amritsar	42	2358
Jalandhar	78	1591
Ludhiana	75	1561
Rajasthan	**571**	**9176**
Ajmer	178	2224
Jaipur	168	2974
Kota	89	2261
Udaipur	136	1717
Sikkim	**63**	**2471**
Gangtok	38	1216
Namchi	25	1254
Tamil Nadu	**710**	**17186**
Chennai	48	1097
Coimbatore	72	1455
Erode	54	1304
Madurai	16	1900
Salem	96	1010
Thanjavur	105	1003
Thoothukudi	71	1060
Tiruchirappalli	83	1548
Tirunelveli	84	1844
Tiruppur	28	2870
Vellore	53	2094
Telangana	**128**	**2762**
Greater Warangal	79	1624
Karimnagar	49	1138
Tripura	**76**	**1434**
Agartala	76	1434
Uttar Pradesh	**777**	**20015**
Agra	62	2369
Aligarh	51	1719
Bareilly	85	1267
Jhansi	78	1868
Kanpur	85	3219
Lucknow	80	2035
Moradabad	39	1501
Prayagraj	114	1558
Saharanpur	78	1111

State/City	Total projects	
	No. of Projects	Amount
Varanasi	105	3368
Uttarakhand	**42**	**1436**
Dehradun	42	1436
West Bengal	**204**	**1614**
New Town Kolkata	204	1614
Grand Total	**7,799**	**1,80,340**

(Source: Geo Spatial Management Information System as on 3 March 2023)