GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2361 TO BE ANSWERED ON AUGUST 03, 2023

WORKS UNDER SCM

NO. 2361. SHRI SANJAY SETH:

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

- (a) the details of the works undertaken in Ranchi under Smart Cities Mission (SCM);
- (b) the funds released for the said purpose;
- (c) the details with regard to the future plan pertaining to Ranchi Smart City; and
- (d) whether the State Government is extending required support to the mission and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): Government of India launched Smart Cities Mission (SCM) on 25 June 2015. 100 Smart Cities have been selected through 4 rounds of competition from January 2016 to June 2018. In the State of Jharkhand, Ranchi was selected for development as a Smart City in Fast Track Round of the Smart City Challenge process in May 2016.

Ranchi Smart City is undertaking greenfield development of 656 acre. This area is within the municipal boundaries and within 5 kms. distance from the central business district (CBD) and in close proximity to the proposed Capital Complex, Airport and Hatia Railway Station. The greenfield development not only includes basic amenities like good quality water and electricity supply, solid waste management system, scientific sewerage and drainage systems, Integrated Command and Control center, with IT connectivity, digitization, e-governance etc., but also targets provisioning of infrastructure like hospitals, housing, office complexes etc. Details of physical and financial progress of Ranchi Smart City is given below: -

(Amount ₹ in crore)

Smart City	Funds	Funds Utilization		Ongoing projects		Completed projects		Total	
	Released by Central & State	thereof	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	
	Government								
Ranchi	980.00	835.80	9	1,345.22	18	1,281.64	27	2,626.86	

(Source: SCM Geospatial Management Information System(GMIS) as on 7 July 2023)

The State Government of Jharkhand through the High-Powered Steering Committee headed by the Chief Secretary is extending its support for implementation of SCM projects by Ranchi Smart City.

The period of implementation of SCM has been extended upto June 2024 and all Smart Cities, including Ranchi, are expected to complete their projects within the stipulated time.

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