GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1085 TO BE ANSWERED ON FEBRUARY 08, 2024

METRO RAIL PROJECT IN MADHYA PRADESH

NO. 1085. SHRI VIVEK NARAYAN SHEJWALKAR:

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

- (a) the number of cities in Madhya Pradesh where the Metro Rail project is being implemented;
- (b) whether any scheme is being formulated to operate Metro trains for the city transport system in Gwalior and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of progress made in the Metrolite corridor; and
- (d) the time by which the said project is likely to be implemented and the details of route plan thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) The Metro Rail Projects are being implemented in two cities viz. Bhopal and Indore in the State of Madhya Pradesh.
- (b) to (d) As per the Metro Rail Policy, 2017 respective State Government is responsible for initiating metro rail projects including preparation of Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP), Alternative Analysis Report (AAR), Detailed Project Report (DPR) etc. The Central Government considers financial assistance for such projects in cities or urban agglomerates, based on feasibility of the proposal and availability of resources, as and when posed by the concerned State Government. Central Government has so far not received any proposal from Government of Madhya Pradesh for the Metro Project in Gwalior.
