

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

**UNSTARRED QUESTIONNO. 926**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON FEBRUARY 08, 2024**

**PATNA METRO RAIL PROJECT**

**NO. 926. SHRI JANARDAN SINGH SIGRIWAL:**

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

- (a) the present status of Patna Metro Rail Project;**
- (b) the details of amount of fund released by the Union Government for Patna Metro Rail Project indicating the amount spent and utilised so far;**
- (c) whether the said project is running behind schedule date of completion and if so, the reasons therefor;**
- (d) whether the Government has fixed any timeline for completion of the said project; and**
- (e) if so, the time by which the said project is likely to be completed?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a) : Patna Metro Rail Project was sanctioned by Government of India on 27th February, 2019. As on 31.12.2023, the physical progress is 34.73% and financial progress is 22.33%.**

**(b) : An amount of Rs 1,102.50 crore has been released by the Union Government for Patna Metro Rail Project and out of that amount, Rs 1,085.08 crore has been spent/ utilized.**

**(c) to (e) : Yes Sir. Patna Metro Rail project is to be completed in 05 years from the date of sanction of the project by the Union Government i.e. by February, 2024. However, due to CoVID-19 pandemic, change in alignment and loan tie up with Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) the project got delayed. Patna Metro Rail Corporation Limited, which is implementing agency for Patna Metro Rail Project has informed that the project is planned to be commissioned by June, 2027.**

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