GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1625

TO BE ANSWERED ON NOVEMBER 28, 2019.

EFFECT OF VIBRATIONS FROM AIRPORT EXPRESS METRO LINE

NO. 1625. SHRI JANARDAN SINGH SIGRIWAL:

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

- (a) Whether the Government is aware about the facts that vibrations due to operation of high speed of Airport Expressway Metro rail the grit wash of various CPWD quarters/building particularly situated at Baba Kharak Singh Marg, New Delhi are in a collapsing state which is fatal and if so, the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (b) whether the Government has received any complaints regarding falling of grit wash in these colonies and if so, the details thereof and action taken thereon;
- (c) whether CPWD organizes regular inspection of such buildings to check dangerous accident and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to replace grit wash with other alternatives to check such dangerous accidents; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the further corrective measures being taken by the Government to tackle such situation?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE

MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS

(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

(a) to (e) The grit wash of various Central Public Works Department (CPWD) quarters / buildings including quarters situated at Baba Kharak Singh Marg, New Delhi are not affected due to operation of Airport Express line metro rail. Complaints relating to falling of grit wash are due to normal wear and tear and same are attended promptly. Regular inspection is carried out by the field staff of CPWD and wherever required, grit plaster is repaired.
