GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4092 TO BE ANSWERED ON DECEMBER 12, 2019

DEVELOPMENT OF SMALL CITIES

NO. 4092. SHRI KHAGEN MURMU:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to provide any central assistance to the States for developing small cities of the country on the lines of big cities particularly in the States of Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/ city-wise and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS (SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

(a) & (b) No, Sir. The process of selection of 100 Cities under Smart Cities Mission (SCM) has been concluded through 4 rounds of selection from January, 2016 to June, 2018 and there is no proposal under consideration of the Government to add any more cities under SCM, at this juncture.
