

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3415  
TO BE ANSWERED ON MARCH 20, 2025**

**IMPLEMENTATION OF PROJECTS UNDER SCM IN GORAKHPUR**

**NO. 3415. SHRI RAVINDRA SHUKLA ALIAS RAVI KISHAN:**

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

- (a) the details of the number of projects currently being implemented in Gorakhpur under the Smart Cities Mission (SCM);**
- (b) the details of the funds allocated and utilized for the development of smart infrastructure such as smart roads, lighting arrangements and waste management;**
- (c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government under SCM to enhance digital infrastructure and urban mobility in Gorakhpur;**
- (d) the participation of local communities in the planning and implementation of the said projects under SCM; and**
- (e) the potential benefits of the said projects in enhancing the livability and economic competitiveness of Gorakhpur?**

**ANSWER  
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE  
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS  
(SHRI TOKHAN SAHU)**

- (a) to (e) Gorakhpur was not included in the cities recommended by the State Government of Uttar Pradesh for selection under Smart Cities Mission.**

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