

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2829

TO BE ANSWERED ON DECEMBER 16, 2015

PARKS UNDER DDA

No. 2829 SHRI HARINDER SINGH KHALSA:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of parks under the Delhi Development Authority (DDA) in Delhi and the total area of these parks;
- (b) the total number of trees in these parks and the number of saplings planted during the last two years and have survived till date;
- (c) the details of funds incurred on maintenance of these parks during the last two years and the current year, year, scheme and head-wise;
- (d) whether these parks are maintained properly and if not, the reasons therefor along with the action taken/ being taken by the Government in this regard;
- (e) whether the Government proposes to outsource the maintenance of DDA parks to the private parties and if so, the details thereof and the amount likely to be spent in this regard; and
- (f) whether any prior study was conducted on the cost benefit analysis before handing over such contract and if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT

(SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)

- (a): Delhi Development Authority (DDA) has informed that they have 1,072 parks with total area of 11,151.74 acres in Delhi.

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(b): DDA has informed that the number of saplings planted and their survival rate after one year of their plantation during the last two years is as under:

Years	No. of saplings planted	Survival rate
2013-14	1,46,845	70%
2014-15	1,33,226	71%

(c): DDA has informed that the details of funds incurred on maintenance of these parks during the last two years and current year is as under:

Years	Rs. (In crores)
2013-14	339.41
2014-15	296.71
2015-16 (upto Oct, 2015)	148.65

(d): DDA has informed that these parks are maintained properly.

(e): No, Madam.

(f): Does not arise.
