GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 685 TO BE ANSWERED ON JULY 20, 2016

MONITORING COMMITTEE

No. 685 SHRI ADHALRAO PATIL SHIVAJIRAO: SHRI SHRIRANG APPA BARNE:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:-

(a) whether the Government has approved setting up of District Level Advisory and Monitoring Committees with the elected representatives of the people to promote people centric planning and execution of new urban development schemes;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the manner in which the committees are likely to function; and

(c) the extent to which the committees are likely to be beneficial for effectively implementing and monitoring the Government schemes in far flung areas?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b): The District Level Advisory and Monitoring Committees (DLAMC) shall be chaired by the senior most elected public representative in the district as per the order of warrant of precedence. The composition of the DLAMC includes all elected members of State Legislative Assembly from the district; Mayors and Chairpersons of all Urban Local Bodies (ULB) of the district; Chairperson of Urban Development Authority of the district; officials of various State/UT departments; and eminent persons.

The functions of the DLAMCs are to review & monitor progress under the schemes and programs of Ministry of Urban Development and Ministry of Housing & Poverty Alleviation; review improvements in service level indicators of each ULB of the district; promote inter-sectoral convergence of resources for projects; review progress of reform implementation with special focus on e-governance and ease of doing business regarding construction permits; advise state/central government regarding bottlenecks in implementation; and suggest approaches for effective citizen engagement. The DLAMC Guidelines have been issued to all States & UTs and can be accessed on the Ministry's website at http://moud.gov.in.

(c): The involvement and guidance of DLAMCs to the schemes would help in successfully delivering the desired outcomes in an inclusive and sustainable manner across the country.

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