

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 551
TO BE ANSWERED ON FEBRUARY 07, 2022

PROGRESS OF SMART CITIES MISSION

NO. 551. SHRI DEREK O' BRIEN:

Will the Minister of Housing and Urban Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of new cities approved for the Smart Cities Mission in 2022;
- (b) the percentage of started which projects have been completed so far, and in how many cities;
- (c) the quantum of funds allocated for new cities in 2022; and
- (d) the quantum of funds allocated, released and utilised so far?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

(a) to (d): Government of India launched Smart Cities Mission (SCM) on 25 June 2015. 100 Smart Cities have been selected through 4 rounds of competition from January 2016 to June 2018. As per SCM Guidelines, Central Government will provide financial support to the extent of ₹ 48,000 crore over five years i.e., on an average ₹ 100 crore per city per year. An equal amount on a matching basis will be contributed by the State Government/Urban Local Body (ULB). As on 21 January 2022, these Smart Cities have tendered out 6,721 projects worth ₹ 1,88,507 crore; work orders have been issued in 6,124 projects worth ₹ 1,62,908 crore; 3,421 projects worth ₹ 58,735 crore have been completed. As on 21 January 2022, Government of India has released ₹ 28,413.60 crore for 100 Smart Cities, out of which ₹ 23,668.27 crore (83%) has been utilized. Presently, there is no proposal under consideration of the Government for adding more cities under SCM.
