

Identification of areas of Rajasthan for expansion of NCR

†4486. SHRI ASHK ALI TAK : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the Centre had identified some areas of Rajasthan for the expansion of the National Capital Region (NCR);
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the efforts made by Government till date for the development of that area?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SAUGATA RAY) : (a) to (c) The National Capital Region Planning Board has informed that the Board in its 26th meeting held on 16.1.2004 approved the inclusion of additional areas comprising the seven tehsils of Alwar district to NCR to the extent that its boundary coincided with the district boundary of Alwar in Rajasthan Sub-region, which was notified on 23.8.2004.

Alwar district comprising Rajasthan Sub-region is an integral part of NCR, for which Regional Plan-2021 has identified policies and programmes for balanced and harmonized development. These include policies for development of new townships, industrial areas, improved road and rail connectivity including Regional Rapid Transit System, and other infrastructure. The NCR Planning Board provided financial loan assistance for 28 projects and sanctioned a loan of around ₹ 347 crore for various infrastructure development projects. Out of 28 projects, 25 projects are completed.

Cracks in DDA flats in Metro view apartment, Dwarka

4487. SHRI OM PRAKASH MATHUR : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that in the roofs of most of the top floor DDA flats in Sector-13, Pocket-B, Dwarka, PH-II (Metro View Apartment) have deep cracks and may cause serious life threat to residents;
- (b) if so, whether it is also a fact that some repair work has been started in a few affected flats but still some flats like flat number 589 and others are left in this repairing process;
- (c) if so, whether there is any criteria adopted by Government to select the affected flats; and

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