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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS  
RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 868  
TO BE ANSWERED ON DECEMBER 6, 2021  
PROVISIONS OF METRO TRAIN SERVICES**

**NO. 868.      SHRI RAJENDRA GEHLOT:**

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

- (a) whether Government is considering a plan to start metro train services in various cities of the country as per the project requirement, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether Government also proposes to operate metro train in other cities of Rajasthan, if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether proposed cities have been identified, if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER  
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE  
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS  
(SHRI KAUSHAL KISHORE)**

(a) to (c)      Urban transport, which is an integral part of urban development, is a state subject. Hence, respective State Government/Union Territory (UT) is responsible for initiating and developing urban transport infrastructure including metro rail projects. As per Metro Rail Policy-2017, the Central Government considers financial assistance for such projects in cities or urban agglomerates, based on feasibility of the proposal and availability of resources, as and when posed by the concerned State Government/Union Territory (UT). At present, metro rail is operational in the city of Jaipur, Rajasthan. No metro rail proposal has been received for any other city from Government of Rajasthan.

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