

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 540**

TO BE ANSWERED ON DECEMBER 12, 2022

GUWAHATI SMART CITY PROJECT

NO. 540. SHRI AJIT KUMAR BHUYAN:

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

- (a) the details of the work/schemes sanctioned till now for Guwahati city which was declared and taken up as smart city;
- (b) the detailed list of works and corresponding value of work extended till now including names of executing firms/agencies;
- (c) whether Government is required to publish press release or advertisement in local print media about the work done or in hand against Smart City Project of Guwahati; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b) : 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. The city of Guwahati was selected for development as a Smart City in Round-1 of the Smart Cities Challenge. The list of projects being implemented by the Guwahati Smart City including their cost and present status is given in Annexure-I. The details of executing firms/agencies are not maintained by SCM.

(c) & (d) : Guwahati Smart City has informed that they issue press releases as per need and publish advertisements of completed projects at the time of their launch/inauguration.

Annexure-I in reply to Parts (a) & (b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 540 for answer on 12.12.2022 regarding Guwahati Smart City Project asked by Shri Ajit Kumar Bhuyan, Hon'ble MP.

List of projects of Guwahati Smart City

S.No.	Project	Cost (₹ in crore)
Works Completed		
1	Procurement of Drain De-Silting Super Sucker Machines with Dump Storage (10nos)	30.00
2	Installation of LED Street Light under "Project Jyoti -Phase 1"	13.90
3	Gandhi Mandap Light and Sound Show	6.00
4	Development of Museum and Maintenance/Repair of the Gandhi Mandap	3.69
5	Redevelopment and Improvement of Gandhi Mandap	2.92
6	Installation of National Flag at Gandhi Mandap	2.91
7	Installation of Water ATMs	2.09
8	Installation of High Mast Light Pole at Shankardev Kalakshetra	0.75
	Sub Total (Works completed)	62.26
Work orders issued		
9	Brahmaputra River Front Development	328.00
10	Procurement of 200 Air-Conditioned electric buses for Guwahati City	275.00
11	ITMS Based- Integrated Traffic Management System	78.45
12	Miscellaneous Infra & Deposit work - Brahmaputra River Front, Smart Street Lighting, ITMS & other Infra Projects	70.00
13	Procurement of 100 Air Conditioned CNG operated Buses for operation in Guwahati City and connecting sub-urban areas	29.00
14	Installation of LED Street Lights in selected Spine Roads	23.32
15	Implementation of Street Light Poles under Project Jyoti Phase II scheme on design build operate basis with operation and maintenance	14.58
16	Development of Shri Shri Dakshinpat Satra Shanti Ashram	14.33
17	Development of Umananda Devalaya Premises	14.03
18	Development of Ashwaktanta Devalaya Premises	10.82
19	Installation of Smart Bio-Toilets	9.53
20	Installation of Illumination and Technology (Laser) based show at Shankardev Kalakshetra	8.29
21	Streetscape for Beautification at Sankardev Kalakshetra	4.96
22	Welcome Gate at Airport	2.95
23	Development of Judge Field	2.60
	Subtotal (Work Orders issued)	885.86
	Total cost for 23 projects	948.12

(Source:SCM GMIS as on 2 December, 2022)