

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1834
TO BE ANSWERED ON- 22/12/2022

STRATEGIES FOR G-20 SUMMIT

1834. SHRI KARTIKEYA SHARMA:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Strategies proposed/planned for the G-20 Summit scheduled to be held in India next year;
- (b) whether Government conducted an All Party Meeting along with Chief Ministers in this regard;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether any political party/Chief Minister boycotted the meeting;
- (e) if so, the details thereof;
- (f) the details of preparatory meetings scheduled to be held in this regard; and
- (g) the details of metros selected for G-20 Summit in India?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

(SHRI V. MURALEEDHARAN)

(a) The 18th G20 Leaders' Summit is scheduled to be held on 09 and 10 September 2023 in New Delhi. Besides the Heads of State/ Government of G20 members (Argentina, Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, France, Germany, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Republic of Korea, Russia, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Türkiye, United Kingdom, United States of America and European Union), 9 guest countries (Bangladesh, Egypt, Mauritius, Netherlands, Nigeria, Oman, Singapore, Spain and United Arab Emirates) and Heads of 14 International Organizations (ADB, ASEAN Chair, AU Chair, AUDA-NEPAD Chair, CDRI, FSB, ILO, IMF, ISA, OECD, UN, World Bank, WHO and WTO), and their accompanying delegations, have been invited to attend the G20 Summit in September 2023. The Summit would be the culmination of various G20 meetings of the Sherpa, Finance Track and Engagement Groups.

(b) to (e) A briefing meeting on India's Presidency of G20, chaired by Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, for the Presidents/ Heads of various political parties having representation in Parliament was held on 5 December 2022. The meeting was attended by 27 Presidents/ Heads of the political parties, including some Chief Ministers.

Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi chaired a virtual-mode meeting of Governors/ Lt. Governors and Chief Ministers of all States/ Union Territories on 9 December 2022 to discuss aspects relating to India's G20 Presidency. A number of Governors, Chief Ministers, and Lt. Governors shared their thoughts during the meeting.

(f) and (g) In the run-up to the G20 Leaders' Summit scheduled to be held in New Delhi on 9 and 10 September 2023, around 200 G20 meetings would be held across the country in over 30 different workstreams, comprising Sherpa Track Working Groups, Finance Track Workstreams, Ministerial Meetings and Engagement Groups.
