

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 366
TO BE ANSWERED ON DECEMBER 13, 2018

SMART CITIES IN ANDHRA PRADESH

No. 366 SHRI Y.S. CHOWDARY:

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

- (a) the details of smart cities projects identified by the Ministry in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) the details of financial assistance granted/released/pending with the Ministry;
- (c) whether the funds released by the Ministry is sufficient to speed up the process of implementation of these projects; and
- (d) if not, the steps taken/being taken by the Ministry in this regard?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)**

- (a): Vishakhapatnam, Tirupati, Kakinada and Amaravati of Andhra Pradesh State have been selected for development as Smart Cities. The details of the smart cities projects in these cities have been given in their Smart City Proposals (SCPs) available on Mission website (www.smartcities.gov.in).
- (b): Under Smart Cities Mission, the Central Government will provide financial support to the extent of Rs. 500 crore per city over a period of five years. An equal amount on matching basis is to be contributed by the State/Urban Local Body (ULB). So far, an amount of Rs. 877 crore has been released by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs to the State of Andhra Pradesh under Smart City Mission. City-wise details of funds released are at Annexure.
- (c): Yes, Sir.
- (d) Does not arise in view of (c) above.

Annexure

Annexure referred to in reply of part (b) of the Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 366 for 13.12.2018 regarding Smart Cities in Andhra Pradesh

City-wise details of funds released to the State of Andhra Pradesh
under Smart Cities Mission (in Rs. crores)

State	Name of cities	Total released
Andhra Pradesh	Vishakhapatnam	291
	Tirupati	196
	Kakinada	196
	Amaravati	194