

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE TO OUTER RING ROAD PROJECT

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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Construction of Hyderabad Outer Ring Road Project Phase-I of Government of Andhra Pradesh to provide access to the proposed international Airport linking major National Highways, State Highways and growth Centres is pending with the Union Government for environmental clearance;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the time by which the clearance is likely to be accorded?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

(a) No, Sir. Ministry has already granted environmental clearance to the construction of Outer Ring Road Phase-I from Gachibowli to Shamshabad in Rangareddy district in Hyderabad Urban Area by M/s Hyderabad Urban Development Authority (HUDA) on 20th October, 2005.

(b) & (c) Does not arise.