

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2238
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GOVERNMENT PRINTING PRESS
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Government printing presses in the country alongwith the number of printing presses actually functioning at present;
- (b) whether the Government has decided to close down some of the loss incurring printing presses; and
- (c) if so, the reasons for delay in implementation of the said decision?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

- (a): At present there are 13 Government of India Presses and 3 Government of India Text Book Presses functioning under Directorate of Printing, Ministry of Urban Development.
- (b): No, Sir. These Presses are operating on no-profit no-loss basis.
- (c): Does not arise.