

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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SCHEMES FOR SMALL CITIES
Pathak Shri Brajesh

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received requests from various State Governments with regard to converting the loan component under the scheme for the integrated development of the small and medium sized cities into 100 per cent grants during the last two years; and

(b) if so, the present status thereof?

Answer

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

(a)&(b): Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.