

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:583

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CONSTRUCTION OF HOUSES AND COMMERCIAL SHOPS

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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that during 2005-06, the Delhi Development Authority spent only 50% of the allocated amount for construction of houses and shops;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor; and

(c) the details of the allocation made for the year 2006-07 and the steps the Government proposes to take to ensure that whole allocated amount is utilised?

Answer

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

(a)&(b): The Delhi Development Authority (DDA) has informed that as against the budget provision of 289.75 crore provided for construction of houses and shops during 2005-06, an expenditure of Rs.290.95 crores has been incurred.

(c): The DDA has further informed that the allocation made for the year 2006-07 for construction of houses and shops in budget estimates is Rs.533.81 crore and utilization of the said amount is strictly monitored by DDA.