

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4101
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GREEN BELT
Khuba Shri Bhagwanth

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has conducted any study to find out green belt towns in the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether any census of trees has been conducted in such green belts and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether satellite mapping is used for supervisions of green belts; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)

- (a)& (b) : No, Madam. Ministry of Urban Development has not conducted any study to find out green belt towns in the country. No Census of trees is conducted by Ministry.
- (c) : The National Remote Sensing Centre (NRSC) is responsible for mapping and the State government monitors the green belts.
- (d): Question does not arise.