

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2086
TO BE ANSWERED ON JULY 04, 2019**

DEVELOPMENT OF ROADS UNDER SMART CITY PROJECT

No. 2086. SHRI L.S. TEJASVI SURYA :

Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

- (a) whether the Government intends to provide any funds from the Smart City Project or any other policy to the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagar Palika (BBMP) for its Tender SURE Road Project, which was awarded the best Non Motorised Transport (NMT) Project by the Government and if so, the details thereof;**
- (b) whether the Government proposes to provide aid under the Smart Cities Project for expediting the Tender SURE Project and if so, the details thereof; and**
- c) whether the Government intends to encourage other cities to develop pedestrian-friendly roads and if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)**

- (a) & (b): It has been reported by Smart City Bengaluru that under the Smart Cities Mission, 36 Tender SURE roads have been taken up by Bengaluru Smart City Ltd. at an estimated cost of Rs.456.50 crore. As per funding pattern, 50% of funding is provided by Government of India and balance 50% will be from Government of Karnataka.**
- (c) : Smart Cities Mission guidelines encourage cities to create “walkable localities”. As on 19 June 2019, 329 projects worth Rs.14,612 crore focusing on complete streets which include pedestrianization and non-motorized transport have been tendered under Smart Cities Mission of which 262 projects worth Rs.10,421 crore have been grounded/ completed.**
