

Half Yearly statement by the Minister of Urban Development regarding the status of implementation of recommendations of the Standing Committee on Urban Development contained in its 7th Report (14th Lok Sabha) on Demands for Grants 2005-06 of the Ministry of Urban Development.

Mr. Speaker, Sir,

I rise to make this statement in pursuance of the direction 73A of the Hon'ble Speaker, Lok Sabha which reads as under:-

“The Minister concerned shall make once in six months a statement in the House regarding the status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Reports of Departmentally Related Standing Committee of Lok Sabha with regard to his Ministry”.

I would like to inform for the benefit of the Hon'ble Members of the House that the 7th Report of the Standing Committee of the 14th Lok Sabha on Urban Development was presented to Lok Sabha on 25th April 2005. The Report contains 45 recommendations. Latest status of Action Taken by the Government has been indicated against each recommendation in the enclosed statement. Action Taken Notes on these recommendations as prevailing in July, 2005 were sent by the Ministry of Urban Development to the Standing Committee on Urban Development in the month of July 2005.

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The Hon'ble Committee in its 12th Report has divided the Action Taken Notes on the 45 recommendations contained in its 7th Report in the following categories:-

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(ii) Recommendations which the Committee do not desire to pursue in view of Government replies	:	4
(iii) Recommendations in respect of which replies of the Government have not been accepted by the Committee	:	9
(iv) Recommendations in respect of which final replies of the Government are still awaited		5

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