GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCES
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3338
TO BE ANSWERED ON FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 2020

SEISMIC MICROZONATION

3338. SHRIMATI POONAM MAHAJAN:
SHRI RAJESHBHAI CHUDASAMA:

Will the Minister of EARTH SCIENCES be pleased to state:
(a) the details of agencies/institutions included in the list of Expression of Interest for Seismic Microzonation in the various cities; proposed by the Government;
(b) the results of the bidding for the tender of Seismic Microzonation of various cities; and
(c) the allocation made by Government for Seismic Microzonation during the last three years?

ANSWER
MINISTER FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
AND EARTH SCIENCES
( DR. HARSH VARDHAN)

(a) Following agencies/ institutions expressed their interest in conducting Seismic Microzonation of various cities:
   I. M/s Fugro Geotech (India) Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai
   II. M/s CENGRS Geotechnica Pvt. Ltd, Noida
   III. M/s Secon Pvt. Ltd, Bangalore
   IV. M/s CE Testing Company Pvt. Ltd, Kolkata
   V. M/s Sarathy Geotech & Engineering Services Pvt. Ltd, Bangalore
   VI. M/s Geo Designs & Research Pvt Ltd, Vadodara
   VII. M/s Rawel Singh & Company, Ropar
   VIII. M/s Indian Geotechnical Services, New Delhi
   IX. Centre for Urbanization Buildings and Environment (CUBE), IIT Madras, Chennai
   X. Institute of Seismological Research (ISR), Gandhinagar
   XI. Indian Institute of Technology-Roorkee, Roorkee
   XII. Indian Institute of Technology-Kharagpur, Kharagpur
   XIII. Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra
   XIV. Indian Institute of Technology – Kanpur, Kanpur
(b) Based on the competitive bids, seismic microzonation work for 4-cities namely Bhubaneswar, Chennai, Coimbatore and Mangalore has been awarded to following firms:

- Bhubaneswar: M/s SeconPvt. Ltd
- Chennai: M/s Fugro Geotech (India) Pvt. Ltd
- Coimbatore: M/s SeconPvt. Ltd
- Mangalore: M/s SeconPvt. Ltd

The Microzonation work for 8 other cities namely, Kanpur, Lucknow, Patna, Dhanbad, Varanasi, Meerut, Agra, Amritsar shall be initiated soon after completion of necessary administrative and financial approval.

(c) An amount of Rs. 22.63 crores has been allocated during last three years.