

ANCILLARY INFRASTRUCTURE – BUS DEPOTS / WORKSHOPS

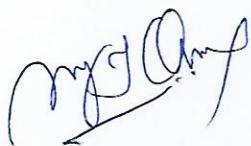
Name of Work – Construction of Bus Depot at 6th Mile, Upper Shillong.

Project Cost: Rs. 49,13,721/- (Rupees Forty Nine Lakhs Thirteen Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty One) only.

Capacity: 30 Buses.

Objective:

- As part of the New Bus Funding Project, JnNURM sanction was accorded by Govt. of India in February, 2014 for upgradation of existing depots and construction of new bus depots and workshops for the upkeep maintenance of the buses sanctioned under JnNURM.
- The land at 6th Mile, Upper Shillong under the Forest Department is required for the above purpose. At present, MUDA is currently operating a huge number of buses and public transport vehicles sanctioned under the JnNURM. These vehicles require bus depots with proper facilities and towards this end Govt. of India has sanctioned for construction and upgradation of 4 bus depots / workshop.
- While depots act as embarking/disembarking points, they are also crucial for bus parking, maintenance and bus interchanges. Additionally, the location of Depots should be neither too close not too far from the area of operation to avoid road congestion and dead mileage of buses.


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