

DFR ready for Metro in Coimbatore

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A detailed feasibility report (DFR) for establishing Metro Rail in Coimbatore at a cost of ₹6,683 crore has been prepared and is under examination. Deputy Chief Minister O. Panneerselvam, while presenting the Interim Budget, said the project would cover 44 km in the first phase.

He said as the Centre had committed to counterpart funding for phase-II of the Chennai Metro, the entire financing of the project was tied up.

A DPR for the extension of Chennai Metro from Airport to Kilambakkam Bus Terminus, via Tambaram, was being prepared.