Proposal to install GPS on buses

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The government proposes to install global positioning system (GPS) on buses of the state road transport corporation for tracking and operational monitoring of vehicles.

Stating this while presiding over the meeting of secretaries here today, chief secretary Asha Sawroop said that the modern gadget would improve operational efficiency and enable the corporation to ply bus services strictly adhering to the time schedule. She directed the transport department to prepare a project so that necessary funds could be sought from the union ministry of surface transport.

She stressed the need for extensive use of information technology in all sectors.