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Title: Regarding proposal to connect Beypore Port of Kozhikode to Malaparamaba junction, Kerala under Bharatmala Pariyojana-laid.

SHRI M.K. RAGHAVAN (KOZHICODE): A proposal for connecting Beypore port of Kozhikode to Malaparamba Junction, where NH 66 and NH 76 meet, with a length of 18 Km is pending since 2017. It was included in the list of Port connectivity under Bharatmala Pariyojana phase-I. On 10.10.18. It was decided that the issue of port connectivity road under Bharatmala Pariyojana would be taken up by MoRTH/NHAI and the State Government would prepare estimates/DPRs for the project and bear the entire cost of land acquisition and utility shifting.

Ministry of Shipping on 9th September, 2020 released the priority list of 68 road connectivity projects, which includes this project also under Bharatmala Pariyojna. The delay on the project adversely affect the local requirements having its impact on high density traffic in the area.

I request the Hon'ble Minister for early orders for DPR and other formalities for early completion.