GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2925 ANSWERED ON 12TH DECEMBER, 2024

TRAFFIC JAM ON DELHI-MERUT EXPRESSWAY

2925. SHRI RAMBHUAL NISHAD:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has conducted any survey to find out the reasons for the large scale traffic flow and severe jam at Ghazipur border and entry/exit point of ABES college at Delhi-Meerut Expressway particularly during peak hours, if so, the details of the findings of such survey and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(b) whether the Government contemplates any plan to deal with this problem to save time and fuel and to stop the pollution resulting from this traffic jam?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) No congestion is observed on the main carriageway of Delhi-Meerut Expressway (NE-3) near ABES College. However, congestion is observed near to this location at the junction of service/ slip road and narrow internal city roads which witness a substantial influx of traffic during peak hours due to their proximity to highly populated urban areas. The traffic congestion has been observed at peak hours near Ghazipur border due to operational issues at toll plazas of Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD).

(b) National Highways Authority of India has requested MCD to take necessary action for free flow of traffic in the vicinity of their toll plazas. Further, the local police department has also been requested to take necessary measures to ensure smooth traffic flow.

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