

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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GOLDEN QUADRILATERAL HIGHWAY PROJECT
Singh Shri Ganesh

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the roads under construction in the country especially in Madhya Pradesh;
- (b) whether the Government is aware that the construction of Golden Quadrilateral Highway Project and other national highways is running at very slow pace;
- (c) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor and action taken thereon including the funds being spent per kilometer on construction;
- (d) whether the bidders assigned to construct roads have completed the work within time limit; and
- (e) if not, the action being taken against them?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI KRISHANPAL GURJAR)

- (a) The State-wise details of the National Highway projects under construction is enclosed at Annexure-I.
- (b) & (c) The 4-laning of Golden Quadrilateral National Highways Project connecting four metros namely Delhi, Kolkata, Chennai and Mumbai is already completed. The status of various phases of National Highways Development Project (NHDP) including expenditure incurred thereon is enclosed at Annexure-II.
- (d) & (e) Some projects have been delayed due to slow progress by the Concessionaire/ Contractors and steps have been taken to expedite the same as per Contract Agreement.