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Title: Need to construct a Road Over Bridge on railway level crossing no. 1 in Hubli, Karnataka.

SHRI PRALHAD JOSHI (DHARWAD): Hubli in my constituency is one of the second largest cities in Karnataka and Headquarters for South Western Railway Zone. This city is almost at the confluence of National Highways No 218, 63 and 4. There is Railway level crossing gate No -1 on the outskirts of the city on NH-63 towards Gadag. In 2010 an ROB (Road over Bridge) on this Gate No-1 was sanctioned on cost sharing basis between NHAI and Railways. Later there was a proposal for 4 lane ROB instead of 2 lane and in this process, the implementation got delayed. Now, certain issues have been sorted out and only two-lane ROB has been decided to be constructed with Karnataka providing 50% cost with the detailed estimated proposal at present pending with Railways. As NH-63 is very busy road and early construction of this ROB is a pressing demand, I, therefore, urge upon the Government to expedite the matter and start the construction of ROB soon.