## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

# RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 894 ANSWERED ON -14/12/2022

### ELEVATED BRIDGE AT TOWN ADAMPUR DISTRICT JALANDHAR

#### 894. SHRI SANT BALBIR SINGH:

Will the Minister of Road Transport and Highways be pleased to state:

- (a) the expected date of completion of elevated bridge at Adampur Town in Jalandhar district on NH connecting Jalandhar and Hoshiarpur; and
- (b) the reasons for slow pace of work on the above said project?

#### ANSWER

#### THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

#### (SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) and (b) Elevated bridge at Adampur Town in Jalandhar district on NH connecting Jalandhar and Hoshiarpur is part of the work of development of Jalandhar – Hoshiarpur section of NH-70 [new NH-03] from km 11+400 to km 49+200. The work commenced on 23.10.2017 with scheduled completion date as 22.10.2019. Since Competent Authority for Land Acquisition of Hoshiarpur & Jalandhar have not been able to provide land to the contractor in the required length, in spite of depositing Rs. 500 crore by Central Government, the contractor has stopped the work and has issued termination notice on 27.06.2022.

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