

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1538
ANSWERED ON 02/08/2023

NATIONAL HIGHWAYS AND FLYOVERS IN VISAKHAPATNAM REGION

1538. **SHRI G.V.L. NARASIMHA RAO:**

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

- (a) new National Highway projects sanctioned for Visakhapatnam region;
- (b) details of each project sanctioned, location, cost, present status, target date of completion etc.;
- (c) other National Highway, proposed in Visakhapatnam region, description, DPR status;
- (d) status of proposed Visakhapatnam-Bhogapuram beach corridor project, details thereof;
- (e) whether there is a proposal or request to construct several flyovers in Visakhapatnam city on the old NH 516 passing through the city to ease traffic congestion in Visakhapatnam; and
- (f) if so, number of flyovers proposed, locations, feasibility, status of DPR, estimated cost of construction, sources of funding etc.?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

- (a) & (b) Details of NH development works sanctioned in Visakhapatnam region are at Annexure I.
- (c) Details of NH proposals under DPR stage are at Annexure II.
- (d) DPR for road connecting Visakhapatnam Port to NH-16 near Bhogapuram (not yet been declared as NH) has been taken up.
- (e) & (f) Yes Sir. The State Government has requested for construction of 12 flyovers in Visakhapatnam city limits. Preparation of DPR for de-congestion of Anakapalli – Visakhapatnam – Anandapuram section of NH-16 (Visakhapatnam city limits) has been taken up.

ANNEXURE I**ANNEXURE I REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) & (b) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1538 FOR ANSWER FOR 02.08.2023 ASKED BY SHRI G.V.L. NARASIMHA RAO REGARDING NATIONAL HIGHWAYS AND FLYOVERS IN VISAKHAPATNAM REGION.**National Highway projects sanctioned in Visakhapatnam region

S. No.	Name of Project	Sanctioned Cost (in Rs. Crore)	Status/ Scheduled Date of Completion
1	Upgradation of Pendurthi to Bowdara section of NH 516B to 2/4 lane with paved shoulders configuration from its junction with NH-16 near Pendurthi connecting Kothavalasa, S. Kota and terminating at its junction with NH 516E near Bowdara in the state of Andhra Pradesh	936	Sanctioned
2	6-laning of Anandapuram – Ankapalli section of NH16	2957	15.08.2023
3	4L Road from existing East break water upto Convent Junction from Phase 1 of the project start from Km. 0.312 [End of Vishakhapatnam Port Trust (VPT)] to Km. 3.800 [VCTPL Exit Gate]	55	03.02.2024
4	Improvement works for Visakhapatnam Port Road- Repair & Rehabilitation of Ambedkar Centenary Bridge, Nehru Centenary Flyover & Ramp – A Flyover on Port Road, Visakhapatnam in the state of Andhra Pradesh.	23	04.01.2024
5	Improvement of 4 lane road to 6 lane road and 4 lane dedicated Port Roads for the Port connectivity road from Convent junction to Sheelanagar Junction in the State of Andhra Pradesh	686	Awarded
6	Construction of Flyover/ Underpass at Vizag Airport Junction to ensure Flow of Container Trailers To/ From MMLP Setup at NH-16 in the State of Andhra Pradesh	59	Awarded

ANNEXURE II

ANNEXURE II REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1538 FOR ANSWER FOR 02.08.2023 ASKED BY SHRI G.V.L. NARASIMHA RAO REGARDING NATIONAL HIGHWAYS AND FLYOVERS IN VISAKHAPATNAM REGION.

National Highway and other road projects in DPR Stage in Visakhapatnam region

S. No.	Name of the DPR Project	Cost (in Rs. Crore)
1	Development of 4 to 6 lane highway connectivity project connecting Visakhapatnam port container terminal with NH 16 at Bhogapuram via Rushikonda and Bhimli	1.45
2	Gangavaram Port gate to integrate with Sheelanagar – Sabbavaram VPT road at Tunlam	0.38
3	6-lane Connectivity to Port Road from Sabbavaram to Sheelanagar	0.18
