

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY
(DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE)

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 203
ANSWERED ON 21/07/2023

CONSTRUCTION OF INDO-BANGLA BORDER TRADE CENTRE IN MIZORAM

203. SHRI K. VANLALVENA:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE & INDUSTRY** be pleased to state:

- (a) the present situation of ongoing work of Indo-Bangla Border Trade Centre at Kawrpuichhuah in Lunglei District of Mizoram;
- (b) by when the bridge between Bangladesh and Mizoram would be constructed;
- (c) by when the necessary buildings would be constructed at Kawrpuichhuah for the Trade Centre;
- (d) the Funds released for these projects; and
- (e) by when the Border Trade Center at Zorinpui situated on the Border of Mizoram and Myanmar along Kaladan Multi-Modal Transit Transport (KMMTT) Road project would be established by Government?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

- (a) Presently, there is no approved project for establishment of Border Trade Centre at Kawrpuichhuah in Lunglei District of Mizoram.
- (b) The final Detailed Project Report (DPR) for construction of Thega Bridge over Kawrpui river was shared with Bangladesh side on 30th December, 2020. Response from Bangladesh side is still awaited.
- (c) & (d) Not applicable
- (e) The official target date for completion of the Kaladan Multi Modal Transit Transport Project (KMMTTP) from Paletwa (Myanmar) to Zorinpui (India) is July,2025.
