GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1211

ANSWERED ON-13/12/2023

EXTENSION OF NHAI TENDERS

1211. SHRI P. WILSON:

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

- (a) whether NHAI has issued tender for the six-lane road of Walajapet-Ranipet on September 1st 2022, but it has been extended 18 times and the tender has been recently extended to January 2024, if so, the reason for the multiple tender extension and details thereof;
- (b) the details of additional cost incurred because of the multiple extension;
- (c) the details of the NHAI tenders that are pending for more than 6 months in the State of Tamil Nadu; and
- (d) the details of current progress of Chennai-Bangalore Expressway and anticipated completion of the same?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

- (a) & (b) The work of 6-laning of TN/ AP Border Ranipet Section (28 Km) is included under Bharatmala Pariyojana. The Bids were invited in advance so that the bidders are acquainted with the prospective projects in bidding. However, bids can be received only after approval of the project.
- (c) The list of such projects, wherein, tender has been extended beyond 6 months from the date of invitation of bid is at Annexure-I.
- (d) The status of work along with scheduled/revised completion date is at Annexure-II.

ANNEXURE-I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (c) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1211 ANSWERED ON 13/12/2023 ASKED BY SHRI P. WILSON REGARDING EXTENSION OF NHAI TENDERS.

NHAI tenders extended beyond 6 months from the date of invitation of bid				
Sr. No.	Name of Project			
1	Rajapalyam – Shenkottai (Package 1 and 2)			
2	Marakkanam – Puducherry (Pkg 3)			
3	Ariyanendal to Perungulam (Paramakudi – Ramanathapura) of NH-49			

ANNEXURE-II

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (d) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1211 ANSWERED ON 13/12/2023 ASKED BY SHRI P. WILSON REGARDING EXTENSION OF NHAI TENDERS.

Bangalore-Chennai Expressway						
Sr. No.	State	Name of Project	Physical Progress	Schedule/Revised date of completion		
1	Karnataka	Bangalore-Chennai Expressway -Package-I of Phase-I from km 0.00 to km 26.400 from Bangalore- Malur section of NE-7	79.80%	31.03.2024		
2	Karnataka	Bangalore-Chennai Expressway -Package-II of Phase-I from km 26.400 to km 53.500 from Malur—Bangarpet section of NE-7	79.12%	31.03.2024		
3	Karnataka	Bangalore-Chennai Expressway -Package-III of Phase-I from km 53.500 to km 71.00 from Bangarpet-Bethamangala section of NE-7	79.92%	31.03.2024		
4	Andhra Pradesh	Four laning of Bangalore Chennai Expressway (Phase-II Pkg-I) from km.71.000 to Km 96.000 (Bethamangala in the state of Karnataka to Byreddypalli)	42.05%	09.10.2024		
5	Andhra Pradesh	Four laning of Bangalore Chennai Expressway (Phase-II Pkg-II) from km.96.000 to Km 127.000 (Baireddypalle to Bangarupalem section)	13.64%	07.06.2025		
6	Andhra Pradesh	Four laning of Bangalore Chennai Expressway (Phase-II Pkg-III) from km.127.000 to Km 156.000 (Bangarupalem to Gudipala section)	48.25%	03.10.2024		
7	Tamil Nadu	Gudipala to Walajahpet Section, Package-I (Km 156.0 to Km 180.0)	47.4%	28.08.2024		
8	Tamil Nadu	Walajahpet to Arakkonam Section, Pkg. II (Km 180.0 to Km 204.5)	51.3%	14.07.2024		
9	Tamil Nadu	Arakkonam to Kancheepuram) Section (Package - III) (Km 204.5 to Km 230.0)	39.8%	29.07.2024		
10	Tamil Nadu	Kancheepuram to Sriperumbudur Section, Package-IV (Km 230.0 to Km 261.7)	45.5%	09.07.2024		