GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1050

ANSWERED ON- 31/07/2024

REPAIR OF NATIONAL HIGHWAYS

1050. Shri R. Dharmar:

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

- (a) the number of proposals for repairing National Highways (NHs) received from Tamil Nadu during the last three years and the current year;
- (b) the details of highways for which repair work has been approved;
- (c) the funds released for the said purpose, location-wise; and
- (d) the details of places where repair work has not been approved along with the reasons therefor; and
- (e) by when, it is likely to be approved?

ANSWER

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

- (a) to (c) Total of 56 proposals amounting to Rs. 676.32 crore have been received and approved for repairing of 881.76 km of National Highways (NHs) including bypassed portion, covering works of Flood Damage repair (FDR), Ordinary Repair (OR), Periodic Renewal (PR), One-time improvement, Short Term Maintenance contract (STMC) and Performance Based Maintenance Contract (PBMC) in Tamil Nadu during the last three years. Funds are not released either project wise or location-wise, but a consolidated allocation is made for overall on-going/sanctioned projects in the state including repair works.
- (d) to (e) Two proposals of one time improvement works in the bypassed portions, which are not National Highways now, are under scrutiny for approval as per the extant procedures and guidelines.
