GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS RAJYA SABHA LINSTARRED OLIESTION NO. 282

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-282

ANSWERED ON- 24/07/2024

HIGHWAY PROJECTS IN TAMIL NADU

282. SHRI K.R. N. RAJESHKUMAR:

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

- (a) the details of ongoing and upcoming roadway projects converting 4 lanes to 6 lanes in the State of Tamil Nadu;
- (b) the details of the funds allocated and utilised for the same;
- (c) whether Government received any demand for converting Salem to Chengapalli NH-544 from 4 lanes to 6 lanes in Tamil Nadu, if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the details of the criteria for converting national highways from 4 lanes to 6 lanes?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

- (a) and (b) The details of ongoing projects along with the expenditure are Annexed.
- (c) Yes Sir, A representation was received in April 2023. DPR of the said stretch has been awarded.
- (d) Upgradation of National Highway are taken up by the MoRTH based on traffic, technoeconomic viability, availability of funds and inter-se-priority.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) AND (b) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 282 ANSWERED ON 24/07/2024 ASKED BY SHRI K.R. N. RAJESHKUMAR REGARDING HIGHWAY PROJECTS IN TAMIL NADU.

| Details of Ongoing Projects converting 4 lanes to 6 Lanes | | | | | |
|---|---|-------------|----------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Sr. No. | Project Name | Length (km) | TPC (Rs in Cr) | Expenditure incurred as on 30.06.2024 | Scheduled Revised date of Completion |
| 1 | Six Lanning of Madhuravoyal – Sriperumbudur section of NH-4 | 23.20 | 463.44 | 331.01 | 31.08.2024 |
| 2 | Six Lanning of Sriperumbudur – Karaipettai section of NH-4 | 34.02 | 819.89 | 370.92 | Proposed for foreclosure |
| 3 | Six laning of Karaipettai to Walajapet | 36.08 | 776.70 | 401.98 | 31.03.2025 |
| 4 | 6-laning of Port Road section of NH-138 | 5.16 | 180.30 | 37.55 | 31.12.2024 |
| Total | | 98.45 | 2240.33 | 1141.46 | |
