# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 6281 ANSWERED ON 5<sup>th</sup> APRIL, 2018

# UPGRADATION WORK OF MUMBAI-GOA NHS

## 6281. SHRI KAPIL MORESHWAR PATIL:

# Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether works related to upgradation of Mumbai-Goa National Highway (NH) to four lane has been delayed for long;
- (b) the details of factors responsible for slow progress of the project and the steps taken by the Government to expedite the works related to the project;
- (c) the details of sections completed on the above-mentioned highway till date; (d) the time by which the work is likely to be completed; and
- (e) the details of estimated expenditure to be incurred on the said project?

# **ANSWER**

## THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

## (SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)

- (a) to (b): One work of four laning of Panvel-Indapur from Km. 0 to Km. 84 of Mumbai-Goa section of NH-66 is delayed due to delay in forest and wildlife clearance, land acquisition, delayed diversion of salt pan land & slow progress of work by the Concessionaire. Most of these issues have now been resolved and the 4-laning of Panvel-Indapur section is under implementation. Rest of works have recently been awarded and under implementation except one section of Zarap to Patradevi which is completed.
- (c) to (d): 21.50 km section of Zarap to Patradevi and about 38.4 Km length of Panvel-Indapur section of Mumbai Goa section of NH-66 has been completed. Work is in various stage of implementation in balance length. The complete work on Mumbai-Goa section of NH-66 is targeted for completion by June, 2020.
- (e): Estimated expenditure to be incurred on the said project would be Rs. 14,776 crore (approx.).

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