GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3873

ANSWERED ON 9THAUGUST, 2018

FOUR LANE CEMENTED ROAD FROM AMRITSAR TO UNA

3873. SHRI GURJEET SINGH AUJLA:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has been taken any initiative to construct a 157 kilometre long four lane cemented road from Amritsar to Una in Himachal Pradesh via Mehta, Ghuman, Tanda and Hoshiarpur at a cost of Rs. 1800 crore under National Highways Project;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time likely to be taken for the completion of this project?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRYOF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)

(a), (b) & (c) Yes, Madam. The existing length of National Highway stretch from Amritsar to Una is 126.77 km. The stretch from Tanda to Hoshiarpur is two lane with paved shoulder and is already operational on BOT (Toll) till 2022. Hence, four-laning of this stretch is not proposed till completion of its concession period. Remaining stretch is proposed for four-laning for which project preparation has been initiated. Type of pavement depends on outcome of Detailed Project Report.
