

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 901
ANSWERED ON 27TH JUNE, 2019

VIJAYAWADA-MACHILIPATNAM SECTION OF NH-9

901. SHRI BALASHOWRY VALLABHANENI:

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

- (a) whether Vijayawada-Machilipatnam Section of NH-9 was taken up with an estimated cost of Rs.740 crores;
- (b) if so, the details of the project;
- (c) the details of the progress of the project and the time by what it is likely to be completed;
- (d) whether there is any cost and time overrun; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) to (c) Yes Sir, the work of 4-laning of Vijayawada to Machilipatnam section of NH-9 in the State of Andhra Pradesh was awarded at a cost of Rs. 740.70 Crore for length 64.611 km on EPC mode with scheduled completion period as 24 months. The work was commenced on 24.11.2016. The present physical progress is about 95%. The provisional completion certificate for a length of 63.86 km has already been issued on 12.06.2019.
- (d) & (e) The project could not be completed in scheduled completion period. The issues related to cost and time over run if any, are dealt with as per provisions of respective contract agreement.
