

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3838
ANSWERED ON 23rd MARCH, 2023**

ROAD INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS

3838. SHRI KARTI P. CHIDAMBARAM:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government proposes to shut down 116 road infrastructure projects worth Rs. 1.26 lakh crore;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the date of sanction, targeted date of completion, the estimated cost of the projects, total expenditure already incurred, State/UT-wise and project-wise;

(c) the reasons for shutting down the projects, project-wise;

(d) whether the said projects are likely to be replaced with new projects; and

(e) if so, the details of the new projects along with the estimated cost of the new projects, State/ UT and project-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) and (b) The Ministry is not considering to shut down any ongoing National Highway (NH) project. However, in some cases, projects that are delayed substantially due to some reason(s), are either foreclosed or terminated on case to case basis and those projects are usually re-awarded subsequently as separate work.

(c) to (e) Do not arise.
