

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1174
ANSWERED ON 27TH JULY 2023**

CONSTRUCTION OF BYPASS ROAD

1174. SHRI ARUN KUMAR SAGAR:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the stretch of Shahjahanpur bypass to Khutar bypass on NH-731 is being constructed in the Shahjahanpur Parliamentary Constituency of Uttar Pradesh;**
- (b) if so, the details and updated status thereof;**
- (c) whether complaints have been received from the public representatives regarding the use of substandard material for construction on the said stretch of NH-731;**
- (d) if so, the details thereof;**
- (e) whether the Government has taken/proposes to take any steps to initiate legal action; and**
- (f) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) & (b) Yes Sir. The construction of National Highway (NH) - 731 from Shahjahapur Bypass to Khuthar Bypass has been taken up in following two packages as follows:

(i) Package-I comprises of 2/4 laning from Km. 40.000 to Km. 88.750 i.e. from the start of Khutar Bypass to the start of Shahjahanpur bypass of NH-731. The work has commenced on 03.02.2023 with scheduled completion date as 02.02.2025. The current physical progress is 15.65%.

(ii) Pkg-2 comprises of 4-laning from Km. 88.750 to Km. 123.650, ie, from the start of Shahjahanpur bypass to the start of Shahabad bypass of NH-731. The concession Agreement has been signed on 04.05.2023.

(c) to (f) Yes Sir. A complaint from Hon'ble MP Shri Arun Kumar Sagar has been received in July 2023 and an order has been issued to NHAI to conduct an inquiry and submit a report within a fortnight in this regard.
