# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 776 ANSWERED ON 7<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2023

#### **BYPASS AT NH-66**

### 776. SHRI KUMBAKUDI SUDHAKARAN:

#### Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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## be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received any petition from the residents of Valiyannur village in Kannur seeking specific solutions to issues in the construction of bypass of NH-66;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there has been a public demand to ensure travel facilities along the PC road, specifically from (L150+ 100) chainage, to provide easy access from Chalilmota via Palliprom to Kannur;
- (d) whether there has been a public demand to alter the construction plan along the L150/596 chainage towards Kozhikode, specifically to relocate the service road to the lower section instead of the original;
- (e) whether there has been a demand to establish a drainage system to ensure the flow of rain water collected from the Varam field area to reach Kakkad river through Karikkanchira; and
- (f) whether these demands have been approved and if so, the details thereof?

#### **ANSWER**

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

- (a) to (e) Yes Sir. Residents of Valiyannur village of Kannur District have requested to provide following additional provisions in project for 6-laning of Thaliparambha Muzhapillangad section of NH-66 in Kerala:
- i. Extension of service road from Km 150/600 to Km 150/100 (till PC road).
- ii Extension of Viaduct from Km 149/700 to Km 150+100 (till PC Road).
- iii To provide cross drain from Km 150/100 to Km 150/600 to ensure the flow of rain water.
- iv Crossing facility at Km 150/100.
- v To provide drainage system from Varam field area to reach Kakkad river through Karikkanchira.
- (f) No Sir, since concession agreement of this project provides sufficient service road, crossing facility & drainage facility along the project stretch.

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