

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4052**  
ANSWERED ON 12<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2019

**ROAD PROJECTS FINANCED BY ADB**

†4052. SHRI KAUSHALENDRA KUMAR:

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

- (a) whether the Government and Asian Development Bank (ADB) have signed any loan agreement to finance the road widening project of about 230 km in the State of Bihar and if so, the details thereof along with the highways covered thereunder;
- (b) the target fixed to complete the said projects;
- (c) the details of the projects financed by ADB in the country during the last ten years; and
- (d) the details of projects financed/aided by ADB along with the amount involved therein during the last ten years in Bihar, project-wise?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) & (b) This Ministry is primarily responsible for development and maintenance of National Highways (NHs) and National Expressways. The works on NHs are accordingly taken up from time to time as per traffic density, inter-se priority and availability of funds to keep the NHs in traffic worthy conditions. This Ministry as well as the concerned Road Construction Department (RCD), Bihar have not signed any loan agreement with Asian Development Bank (ADB) to finance the road widening project on National Highways/ Expressways in the state of Bihar.

(c) & (d) The details of the projects financed by ADB in the country during the last ten years is Annexed.

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN REPLY TO PART (c) & (d) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4052 ASKED BY SHRI KAUSHALENDRA KUMAR REGARDING ROAD PROJECTS FINANCED BY ADB.

Project-wise Details of Works financed by ADB									
SL. No.	Name of Project	Highway no.	State	Length (Km)	Total Capital Cost of the Project (₹ in Crore)	ADB Share (₹ in Crore)	Date of commencement of work	Physical Progress (%)	Scheduled/Likely/Actual Date of Completion
1	Four Laning of Imphal – Moreh Section of NH 39 from Km 330.000 to Km 350.000 (Contract Package I)	NH-39	Manipur	20	761.54	662.83	Contract Agreement signed on 23.09.2019		
2	Two Laning of Imphal – Moreh Section of NH 39 from Km 350.000 to Km 395.680 (Package II)	NH-39	Manipur	45.68	868.75		16.10.2018	36%	15.10.2021
3	Construction of Mechi bridge across Indo-Nepal border on Asian Highway (AH -02).	AH-02	West Bengal	1.5	158.65	79.08	01.02.2018	50%	31.01.2021
4	Proposed development for road corridor component of AH-02 involving NH-327B, NH-31C, NH-31 & NH-10 on Sub-regional Road Connectivity among Bangladesh, Bhutan, Indian & Nepal under the loan assistance from ADB.	AH-02	West Bengal	37.27	720.97	369.22	08-05-2015	100%	Completed On 31-07-2019
5	Proposed development for road corridor component of AH-48 involving NH-717, NH-31, NH-31C, NH-317A on Sub-regional Road Connectivity among Bangladesh, Bhutan, Indian & Nepal under the loan assistance under ADB	AH-48	West Bengal	90.57	937.76	517.35	28-05-2015	100%	Completed On 02-11-2019
<b>Total</b>				<b>195.02</b>	<b>3447.67</b>	<b>1628.48</b>			

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