

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4114
ANSWERED ON 12TH DECEMBER, 2019

ROAD WIDENING PROJECTS IN NER

4114. SHRI VINCENT H. PALA:

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

- (a) whether the Government has planned road-widening projects in the North Eastern States of Meghalaya, Manipur and Mizoram to improve connectivity with Bangladesh and Myanmar;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the extent to which these projects are likely to benefit the people of North East?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) & (b). Yes Sir. Details of road improvement plan in the North Eastern States of Meghalaya, Manipur and Mizoram to improve connectivity with Bangladesh and Myanmar are at Annexure-I;

(c). Ministry has an objective to fast pace construction of National Highways and other road infrastructure in the North Eastern Region and Strategic Areas of the country sharing international boundary. Such an all-weather road connectivity will lead to all round economic and social development of such remote areas by integrating the local population with the mainstream in a more robust manner.

Annexure-I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4114 FOR ANSWER ON 12TH DECEMBER, 2019 ASKED BY SHRI VINCENT H. PALA REGARDING ROAD WIDENING PROJECTS IN NER.

Name of State	Identified Corridor	Length (Km)	Connecting Country
Meghalaya	Shillong - Dawki	95	Bangladesh
	Tura-Dalu	50	
Mizoram	Aizawl - Zowkhathar Corridor	92	Myanmar
	Zorinpui-Lunglei	172	Myanmar
	Kawarpuchia-Seling	294	Bangladesh
Manipur	Imphal –Moreh including alternative alignment	154	Myanmar
