GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1441

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 11TH FEBRUARY, 2020/MAGHA 22, 1941 (SAKA)

CONSTRUCTION OF ICPS

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has sanctioned the construction of 13 Integrated Check Posts (ICPs) in November, 2018;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the timeline of the project;

(c) the current status and details of the ICPs being constructed along the border areas along with the facilities to be provided at each ICP, State-wise;

(d) the funds sanctioned, released and utilised for the Integrated Check Posts (ICPs) during each of the last three years;

(e) whether the Government proposes to take up construction of additional Integrated Check Posts; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI NITYANAND RAI)

(a) & (b) On 17th December, 2018, approval was accorded *inter-alia* for Development of 03 Integrated Check Posts (ICPs), at Rupaidiha, Sutarkandi

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and Sunauli at an estimated cost of ₹847.72 crores by 31/03/2021 alongwith 'inprinciple' approval for acquisition of land and preparation of detailed Engineering Report (DER) by Land Ports Authority of India (LPAI) for developing ICPs at the remaining 10 locations i.e., at (i) Ghojadanga, West Bengal (Bangladesh border) (ii) Changrabandha, West Bengal (Bangladesh border) (iii) Fulbari, West Bengal (Bangladesh border) (iv) Mahadipur, West Bengal (Bangladesh border) (v) Hili, West Bengal (Bangladesh border) (vi) Jaigaon, West Bengal (Bhutan border) (vii) Panitanki, West Bengal, (Nepal border) (viii) Banbasa, Uttarakhand (Nepal border) (ix) Bhitamore, Bihar (Nepal border) (x) Kawrpuichhuah, Mizoram (Bangladesh border).

(c) The current status and details of the ICPs being constructed along the border areas is annexed. The facilities provided at ICPs include Passenger Terminal with Customs & Immigration facilities, Health & quarantine facilities, Bank/Foreign Exchange Bureau, Public convenience, parking etc while Cargo Terminal has Customs facilities, Weigh Bridge, Driver Rest Area, Parking, Quarantine facilities etc. The ICPs also have CCTV surveillance, Accommodation for security personnel, Public Address System, ATMs etc.

(d) The funds sanctioned, released and utilized for the Integrated Check Posts (ICPs) during each of the last three years is given below;.

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(Rs in Crores)

	Financial Year Funds sanctioned an released		Funds utilised
1.	2016-17	80.00	80.00
2.	2017-18	90.00	90.00
3.	2018-19	152.8	105.00

(e) and (f) At present there is no proposal under consideration to take up construction of additional Integrated Check Posts.

CURRENT STATUS AND DETAILS OF THE INTEGRATED CHECK POSTS (ICPS) ALONG THE BORDER AREAS, STATE / UT WISE:

S. No.	ICP Location	State	Borders with	Current Status
1	Attari	Punjab	Pakistan	
2	Agartala	Tripura	Bangladesh	_
3	Petrapole	West Bengal	Bangladesh	Operational
4	Raxaul	Bihar	Nepal	
5	Jogbani	Bihar	Nepal	
6	Moreh	Manipur	Myanmar	
7	Dawki	Meghalaya	Bangladesh	Work cancelled due to non performance of contractor and being retendered.
8	Rupaidiha	Uttar Pradesh	Nepal	Tender finalized
9	Sunauli	Uttar Pradesh	Nepal	Land acquisition in
10	Sutarkandi	Assam	Bangladesh	— progress
