GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 769 ANSWERED ON 17TH SEPTEMBER, 2020

PREVENTION OF ACCIDENTS ON PALSANA-HAZIRA SECTION OF NH-6

769. SHRIMATI DARSHANA VIKRAM JARDOSH:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware of cases of accidents at many places on National Highway No. 6 from Palsana to Hazira section in Gujarat due to its connection points with villages;
- (b) if so, the steps taken by the Government to prevent accidents at these connection points, location-wise; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to prevent the accident at Kawas Patia of Hazira-Palsana section on said NH?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) Yes sir, some accidents occur on Palsana - Hazira section of

National highway No.6. These are mainly due to illegal parking at

Hazira Industrial area.

(b) & (c) National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) has taken up construction of underpass / flyover at Gabheni, Budhiya, Abhwa, Khajod and Reliance (Mora) crossings. Construction of service road at Kawas Patia could not be taken up due to land hindrance issue. Moreover, unauthorized parking and heavy traffic flow are the main reasons for accidents at this location. State Govt. of Gujarat was requested to curb unauthorized parking to avoid accidents.

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