GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3740
ANSWERED ON 18TH MARCH, 2021

ROAD PROJECTS AS PER AP REORGANISATION ACT, 2014

3740. SHRI JAYADEV GALLA:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether as per 13th Schedule to the Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2014, rapid road connectivity from new capital to Hyderabad and other important cities in Telangana was envisaged and five roads identified by the Government of Andhra Pradesh were forwarded to the Union Government for implementation;

(b) if so, the present status thereof;

(c) whether one of these five road projects a stretch of 65 kms along Hyderabad – Nagarjunasagar – Macherla – Piduguralla – Guntur -Amaravati is proposed to be declared as National Highway (NH) and if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether it is a fact that either ends of Macharla and Guntur are connected with NH-565 and 167A respectively but stretch between Macharla and Guntur has been left out from declaring as NH; and

(e) if so, the reasons therefor and the steps taken to declare this stretch as NH?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (e) Yes Sir. Out of 5 roads two namely NH-65 and NH-30 are existing National Highways. NH-65 has been four laned. Construction of six lane bypasses to Nandigama and

Kanchikacherla on NH-65 is in progress with physical progress of 94%. Out of 165 km of NH-30 up to Bhadrachalam, 2 lane with paved shoulders has been completed in 121 km and the work is in progress in the balance 44 km. The stretch of Macherla – Dachepalli & Kondamudu – Perecherla has been included in Bharatmala Pariyojana and declaration of this road as NH is under process. The balance part of this route of Hyderabad – Nagarjunasagar – Macherla - Piduguralla-Guntur is falling on existing National Highways of NH-565, NH-544D & NH-167A. DPRs for Anantapur – Amaravati Expressway and Amaravati outer ring road are in progress.

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