GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4989 ANSWERED ON 25th MARCH, 2021

BRIDGE OVER RIVER GANGA

4989. SHRI DULAL CHAND GOSWAMI:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to construct a flyover/bridge over the river Ganga to facilitate the travel of villagers of Kadhagola in Katihar district across the river;

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government proposes to formulate any comprehensive plan with regard to this river which runs between Bihar and Jharkhand; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (b) This Ministry is primarily responsible for development and maintenance of National Highways. Kadhagola in Katihar district is not on any National Highway and therefore this Ministry has no plan to construct bridge over river Ganga at Kadhagola.

(c) to (d) This Ministry has planned to construct bridges across Ganga river near Buxar, Dighwara-Sherpur-Patna, parallel to existing MG setu in Patna, Mokama, Munger and Sahebganj in Bihar & Jharkhand States.

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