GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 505 ANSWERED ON 4TH FEBRUARY, 2021

REPAIRING OF DAMAGED ROADS IN TAMIL NADU

505. SHRI MANICKAM TAGORE B.:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) has identified road sectors which have been damaged due to recent rain in Tamil Nadu; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether the Government has issued any directions to NHAI to get these road sectors repaired especially in Virudhunagar District; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with financial allocation made for this purpose?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (c) National Highway stretches falling under the jurisdiction of National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) in the State of Tamil Nadu including Virudhunagar District, which were damaged due to the recent rains, have been identified.

Repair/rectification work for a total of 19 National Highway stretches in the State of Tamil Nadu, which were damaged due to recent rains, has been undertaken. Cost of repair for 8 stretches is approximately Rs 9.75 Crore. There is no cost implication for repair of rest of the 11 stretches, as it is a part of scope of the Contractors/Concessionaires.
