# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

#### **LOK SABHA**

# UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2999 ANSWERED ON 16<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2021

#### **PM GATI SHAKTI NMP**

#### 2999. ADV. DEAN KURIAKOSE:

#### Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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## be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to add any new infrastructure development projects to PM Gati Shakthi National Master Plan (NMP);
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has any plan to include Palani-Sabarimala road under the PM Gati Shakthi NMP;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether the Government has any plan to include the development of the Palani-Sabarimala road under the Pragati platform; and
- (f) if so, the steps taken in this regard?

#### **ANSWER**

#### THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

### (SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

- (a) & (b) The PM GatiShakti National Master Plan (NMP) is to provide multimodal connectivity infrastructure to various Economic Zones. It will depict the economic zones and the infrastructure linkages required to support them with an objective to holistically integrate all the multimodal connectivity projects and remove missing gaps for seamless movement of people, goods and services. In the PM GatiShakti NMP, all the existing and proposed economic zones have been mapped along with the multimodal connectivity infrastructure in a single platform. Any modification in the National Master Plan to meet any emerging requirements is to be done with the approval of the Empowered Group of Secretaries (EGoS) constituted under the Chairmanship of Cabinet Secretary.
- (c) to (f) There is no such proposal for any addition/modification to NMP at the moment.

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