GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2710
ANSWERED ON 17th MARCH, 2022

FOUR-LANING OF HIGHWAYS

2710. SHRI GOPAL JEE THAKUR:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to convert Donar to Biraül (SH-56) in Darbhanga and Biraül to Saharsa (SH-17) into four lanes under PM Gati Shakti National Master Plan (NMP); and
(b) If so, the details thereof along with the time by which it is likely to be implemented?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) & (b) Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs (CCEA) accorded approval for the implementation of PM Gati Shakti National Master Plan in October, 2021 for providing multimodal connectivity infrastructure to various economic zones. The plan envisages integration of data of all individual Ministries (viz. Railways, Roads, Ports, Waterways, Airports, Mass Transport, Logistics Infrastructure, supported by complementary roles of Energy Transmission, IT Communication, Bulk Water & Sewerage, and Social Infrastructure) in common platform for integrated planning, monitoring and review of projects.

This Ministry is primarily responsible for the development and maintenance of National Highways; the development of State roads including State Highways (SHs) such as Donar to Biraül (SH-56) in Darbhanga and Biraül to Saharsa (SH-17) are the responsibilities of concerned State Governments.

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