

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO-241
ANSWERED ON – 12th December, 2024**

Port Connectivity Highway Corridor

241. Shri Shafi Parambil:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

(a) the current status of the port connectivity highway corridor (NH 966-B) that links Nettoor on the Vyttila-Aroor NH bypass with CIFT Junction in Willingdon Island; and

(b) the expected date of completion of the project?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (b) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (b) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 241 FOR ANSWER ON 12.12.2024 ASKED BY SHRI SHAFI PARAMBIL PORT CONNECTIVITY HIGHWAY CORRIDOR.

(a) to (b) The Detailed Project Report (DPR) involving alignment study, feasibility study, pre-construction activities (including assessment of Land Acquisition) for Port Connectivity Highway Corridor (NH-966B) linking Nettoor on the Vyttila-Aroor NH bypass with CIFT Junction in Willingdon Island was awarded and alignment is yet to be approved. Based on the outcome of DPR, techno - economic viability and inter-se-priority, further needful action shall be taken accordingly. It is too early to estimate the award of work and completion thereof as the DPR is in preliminary stage.
