GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1805 ANSWERED ON 5TH DECEMBER, 2024

CONSTRUCTION OF FOUR LANE ROAD IN WEST BENGAL

1805. MD ABU TAHER KHAN:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

(a) the current progress of the 318 km four-lane road from Jangipur to Basirhat covering three districts, Murshidabad, Nadia and North 24 Parganas which was announced by him at a cost of around four and a half thousand crore rupees;

(b) whether the Government proposes to initiate the project; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (c) Development of National Highways is a continuous process. The Government keeps on receiving proposals from various State Governments including West Bengal for declaration/upgradation/development of NHs. Revised DPR for this Project after its notification as National Highway is under preparation. Decisions are taken based on the fulfillment of the criteria, requirement of connectivity, inter-se priority and synergy with PM Gati Shakti National Master Plan.

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