GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 605 ANSWERED ON 28TH NOVEMBER, 2024

SIX-LANE EXPRESSWAY FROM GORAKHPUR TO SILIGURI

605. SHRI GOPAL JEE THAKUR:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS सडक परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is a proposal for the construction of a six-lane expressway from Gorakhpur to Siliguri and its alignment is being finalised, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether Darbhanga is not being connected with this major road project, if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether the Government proposes to connect Gorakhpur-Siliguri Expressway with NH-56 through a link road to provide connectivity to Darbhanga district and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (c) The Detailed project Report (DPR) involving preliminary survey and alignment study for Gorakhpur-Silliguri is awarded and is in progress. The alignment of the corridor would be based on outcome of DPR.

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