GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.734 ANSWERED ON 21ST JULY, 2016

FOUR LANING OF GULBARGA-LATUR HIGHWAY

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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has started the construction work of four laning of the Gulbarga-Latur and Ratnagiri-Nagpur; highways;
- (b) if so, the name of the cities and towns through which the said highways is likely to pass after conversion;
- (c) the estimated cost to be incurred on it; and
- (d) the time-frame fixed to complete the construction of the highways?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

- (a) The Ministry has accorded In-Principle approval for Gulbarga-Latur road as new National Highways. The development the road will be taken up on the basis of outcome of Detailed Project Report (DPR), which is in progress. Ratnagiri-Nagpur section is proposed to be developed to 4 lane standard which is also at DPR stage.
- (b) Gulbarga-Latur section is likely to pass through Gulbarga, Aland, Omrega, Ausa & Latur, and Ratnagiri-Nagpur section is likely to pass through Ratnagiri-Kolhapur-Sangli-Miraj-Sangola-Mangalwedha-Solapur-Tuljapur, Ausa, Latur, Nanded, Umarkhed, Mahagaon, Arani, Yavatmal, Wardha, Butibori and Nagpur.
- (c) & (d) It is too early to indicate the estimated cost and time frame for completion of the highways.
