

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 819
ANSWERED ON 23RD JULY, 2026**

COMPLETION OF WORK ON MUMBAI-GOA HIGHWAY

†819. SHRI NARAYAN TATU RANE:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the work under National Highway-66 (Mumbai-Goa Highway) from Lanja to Chiplun in Ratnagiri district is still pending;**
- (b) if so, the details of current progress of the said pending work;**
- (c) the scheduled timeline set for the completion of this work; and**
- (d) the reasons for the delay in the execution of the work and the steps taken by the Government to expedite its completion?**

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (d) Out of total 106 km length of National Highway (NH) – 66 from Lanja to Chiplun, the works for upgradation to four-lanes has been completed in 102 km. The balance works for construction of fly-overs in Chiplun, Niwali, Pali and Lanja towns, finishing works on Sangameshwar Bridge and hill cutting / road works at Kurdhunda, Kolambe, Wandri and Kante villages covering a length of 4 km are under implementation and targeted for completion in October, 2026. The development of NH-66 got delayed due to delay in land acquisition and other pre-construction activities as well as issues with some of the Contractors. All the pending issues have been substantially resolved and these pending works on NH-66 are targeted for completion within the revised timelines.
