

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4799  
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SLOW PACE OF WORKS BY NHAI  
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**Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the National Highways Authority of India has slowed down the conversion of two lane into four-lane works on Sira-Hariyur-Chitradurga-Davangere-Harihar-Haveri project;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor and by when the Government proposes to impart the required momentum to the project;
- (c) the original period of completion of this project;
- (d) the time by which this work is likely to be completed;
- (e) whether the routine traffic has been disturbed because of slow pace of said project; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof ?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K. H. MUNIYAPPA)

- (a) & (b) : No, Sir. However, some delays are likely due to problems associated with land acquisition and slow progress by contractor.
- (c) : The date of completion of the project as per contract was August, 2004.
- (d) : The work is likely to be completed by March, 2006.
- (e) : No, Sir.
- (f) : Does not arise.