

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2970
ANSWERED ON:13.12.2006
FOUR LANING OF ROAD FROM DIMAPUR TO KOHIMA
Konyak Shri W. Wangyuh

Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the construction of four lane road from Dimapur to Kohima has been approved by the Government;
- (b) if so, whether the Technical formalities have been completed in regard to the Project;
- (c) whether the tender for execution of the work has been floated;
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the time by which the construction of the project is likely to be started and completed?

Answer

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

- (a) Yes, Sir. Government has approved implementation of 4-laning of Dimapur – Kohima section of NH-39 under Phase-A of Special Accelerated Road Development Programme in North East (SARDP-NE).
- (b) to (d) No, Sir. The work for preparation of DPR by the consultant is in progress.
- (e) It is too early to indicate time by which the construction of the project is likely to be started and completed as it would depend on the response of the bidders under BOT (Annuity) scheme under which the 4-laning of Dimapur – Kohima section of NH-39 is being taken up.