## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3 ANSWERED ON:23.02.2010 BIDS FOR MEGA HIGHWAY PROJECTS Lal Shri Kirodi

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

- (a) whether the Government/National Highways Authority of India has finalized the modalities for implementing various Mega Road Projects in different parts of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether feasibility reports and the process of their appraisal for implementation on Public Private Partnership basis under the laid down procedures for such road projects has been completed;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons for delay in this regard; and
- (e) the details of the funds allocated for implementing the said projects and the time by which bids are likely to be invited and construction work thereon would commence?

## **Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS (SHRI R.P.N. SINGH)

- (a) No, Madam.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) to (e) The process of finalisation of modalities has been undertaken in consultation with all concerned for implementation of Mega Projects with funding under National Highways Development Project (NHDP) before the bids could be invited. Feasibility study has already been completed for two projects i.e. Kishangarh-Udaipur-Ahmedabad and Ichhapuram-Srikakulam- Vishakhapatnam-Ahkapalli-Rajahmundry.