

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:241  
ANSWERED ON:27.07.2010  
REPAIRING OF MAHATMA GANDHI SETU BRIDGE  
Yadav Shri Hukamdeo Narayan

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

to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 1904 dated 9 March, 2010 and state:

- (a) the name of the consultant firm which prepared the D.P.R. and design of the Mahatma Gandhi Setu Bridge and the amount of fees paid to them;
- (b) whether any action is proposed to be taken against the consultant firm and the construction company;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether state-of-the-art technology is being used for repair and rehabilitation of the bridge; and
- (e) the status of repairing and rehabilitation work on the bridge including award of the balance repair and rehabilitation works?

**Answer**

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

- (a) to (c): The consultancy was awarded by the State Government and not by this Ministry. No fees has been paid by the Ministry for the consultancy services.
- (d) & (e) Repair and rehabilitation work on the bridge is being done with the latest technology available. So far work of rehabilitation of 46 span has been completed and work of rehabilitation for another 15 span has been sanctioned.