

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

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STATUS OF PROJECTS UNDER NHDP
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details and the present status of the monitorable targets and milestones for the year 2010-11 under the various phases of the National Highway Development Programme, Golden Quadrilateral Projects and the North-South and East-West Corridor;
- (b) whether the work has fallen behind the targets;
- (c) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the time by which these projects are likely to be completed?

Answer

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

- (a): The phase wise monitorable targets for construction completion, contracts to be awarded and achievements till September, 2010 are Annexed.
- (b) & (c): Some delays have been caused in general mainly due to non-availability of environmental, forest and railway's clearances, delays in land acquisition, shifting of utilities, poor performance of contractors, and law & order problem in some areas.
- (d): Golden Quadrilateral is already complete in 99.2% length and remaining stretches are targeted to be completed by December 2011. The North South-East West corridor are targeted to be substantially completed by December 2011. NHDP Phase-III is targeted to be completed by December 2013. The remaining phases are in early stages of implementation.