

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3370
ANSWERED ON:30.11.2010
CONSTRUCTION OF ROB ON NH-99
Namdhari Shri Inder Singh

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

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposal for the construction of Rail Over Bridge (ROB) on National Highway No. 99 at Chandwa to avoid traffic congestion;
- (b) if so, the details and the status thereof alongwith the action taken thereon;
- (c) whether any joint meeting is proposed among the concerned departments to expedite the process to remove perennial traffic hazard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) if not, the reasons therefore; and
- (f) the time by which the said ROB is likely to be constructed and made functional?

Answer

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

(a) to (b) : Yes Sir, a proposal for granting in-principle approval for Construction of ROB in km 116 of NH-99 near Chandwa between Chatra-Chandwa Station (LC. No. 12/A/T) on 50-50% cost sharing basis between this Ministry and the Railways was received from the State Government of Jharkhand. Ministry accorded in-principle approval for replacement of this existing level crossings at Chandwa by ROB in July, 2009 and the Road Construction Department, Jharkhand was requested to get the Detailed Project Reports (DPR) and General Arrangement Drawings (GADs) prepared in consultation with the Railways for Ministry's approval. A provision for detail engineering, land acquisition & utility shifting for this ROB has been made in the current Annual Plan 2010-11.

(c) to (f): Government of Jharkhand has taken up the matter with concerned Railway Authorities to expedite the submission of DPR & GADs for the said ROB.