GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1190 ANSWERED ON:08.08.2011 LAKHIMPUR BY-PASS Ajmal Shri Badruddin

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

- (a) whether the State Government of Assam has urged the Union Government to enhance allocation and speed up road development project in the State;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any funds have been allocated by Central Government for construction of Lakhimpur by-pass in North Lakhimpur;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether tender notice has been issued;
- (f) if so, the details of bidders; and
- (g) the time-frame fixed for completion of this by-pass?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI JITIN PRASADA)

- (a) & (b) The Government of Assam has urged the Union Government for enhancement of allocation under plan, non-plan heads and expeditious completion of East West Corridor.
- (c) & (d) The work of Lakhimpur bypass has been sanctioned for Rs. 127.24 crore on 09.05.2011.
- (e) & (f) Bids for prequalification have been invited with last date of receipt as 25.08.2011.
- (g) Tentative target for completion of this project is March, 2014.