

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

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GOLDEN QUADRILATERAL AND NS EW CORRIDORS

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

- (a) the State-wise details of the works undertaken and completed under the projects of Golden Quadrilateral and North-South and East-West Corridors;
- (b) the stretches where the works relating to these projects are pending alongwith the present status of the work on each stretch, State-wise;
- (c) the details of the action taken or proposed to be taken by the Government to expedite the completion of these projects and the revised time-frame fixed for the same;
- (d) whether the Government is considering expansion of these projects in view of the increase in traffic during the recent years; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) State wise details of projects completed under Golden Quadrilateral and North South & East West Corridors, are enclosed as Annex-I. State wise Details of stretches where works relating to Golden Quadrilateral and North South & East West Corridors are under implementation along with present status are enclosed as Annex-II.

(c) In order to expedite implementation of projects Regional Offices each headed by Chief General Manager have been set up by NHAI for close monitoring of implementation of projects. Measures have been taken to expedite land acquisition, shifting of utilities etc. High Powered Committee has been constituted in the states under Chief Secretary/ Principal Secretaries of PWD, Revenue, Power and Water Supply apart from other State Government officials as Members. The Regional Officer/Chief General Manager of NHAI for concerned State has been nominated as Member Secretary. The Committee's mandate is expeditious resolution of issues for faster implementation of project inter-alia including land acquisition, shifting of utilities and rehabilitation and resettlement. Projects are periodically reviewed at field and at Head Quarter. The time frame for completion of projects is given in annexure II above.

(d) & (e) Improvement to 6-laning of 6500 km of Golden Quadrilateral and High density corridors has been approved under NHDP Phase-V.