

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

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NH

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

- (a) the time-frame fixed for the construction work of National Highway (NH) No. 121 and the present status of the project;
- (b) whether there is any delay in the completion of the said project;
- (c) if so, the reasons therefor and the concrete measures, being taken by the Government for any early completion of the project; and
- (d) the time by which the work on the said NH particularly from Kashipur Junction to Pao Bazar is likely to be completed?

Answer

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

(a) to (d) This Ministry is primarily responsible for the development and maintenance of National Highways spread across the country. The development and maintenance of National Highways is a continuous process and the same are carried out as per the traffic need, availability of funds and inter-se priority of works through respective State Government/Border Roads Organization / National Highways Authority of India (NHAI). National Highway No.121 being a National Highway, its development and maintenance is also carried out as is done or other National Highways in the country. For effective monitoring of the works, periodic inspections are carried out by the field officers of the State PWD and this Ministry. Quarterly review meetings for National Highway works are also carried out for removal of bottlenecks, if any.