

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

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Six Laning of Bangalore-Chennai Expressway
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the current status of the six-lane Bangalore-Chennai Expressway along with the funds likely to be incurred on the project
- (b) whether the State Governments of Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh and Tamil Nadu have acquired the requisite land for the purpose and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which the work of the Expressway is likely to be completed?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

- (a) The revised final feasibility report is under preparation. The funds likely to be incurred on the project will be finalized after preparation of Final Feasibility Report.
- (b) The land is being acquired by NHAI as per National Highway Act, 1956 in all 3 States and not by State Government. The present status of the land acquisition is as under:
In the State of Karnataka, 3(A) notification for an area of 839.20 ha stretch is published and objections have been heard and preparation of 3(D) notification is under process.
In the State of Andhra Pradesh, 3(A) notification for an area of 960.907 ha. has been published and 3(A) notification for the balance 120 ha. is under process.
In the state of Tamil Nadu, 3(A) notification is under process of preparation.
- (c) The project could be taken up after acquisition of land for the project. In view of this, time of completion of project cannot be ascertained at this stage.
