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Title: Need to start construction work of proposed four-lane road corridor between Rai Malikpur and Kharak in Haryana.

SHRIMATI SHRUTI CHOUDHRY (BHIWANI-MAHENDRAGARH): The construction work of Rs.1238-crore South-West four-lane road corridor for South Haryana covering areas of Rai Malikpur (Rajasthan Border)-Namaul-Mahendergarh-Dadri-Bhiwani-Kharak was scheduled to start from 30 May 2013 and was likely to be completed within 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> years. The Hon'ble Chief Minister, Haryana had inaugurated this road corridor on 01 May 2011. The company which has been given contract for construction of this 151 km long corridor has already deposited Rs. 24 crore with the Public Works Department as a security. It is proposed to be constructed on the basis of BoT. It is pertinent to mention that this major project was planned long back in order to provide better connectivity to the people travelling on this route, but despite a lapse of two years after inauguration of the above mentioned road corridor, no progress has yet been reported on this project. The condition of the roads on this route is in bad shape, accident prone due to lack of maintenance. Despite getting all approvals and necessary funds for this purpose, the work has not been initiated and the reasons are not known.

Hence, I urge the Hon'ble Minister for Road Transport & Highways to look into the matter and direct the authorities concerned to start construction work on this four-lane road corridor from Rai Malikpur to Kharak in coordination with Government of Haryana without any further delay.