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Title: Need to approve fresh tender to upgradation to four-laning of NH-63.

SHRI KARADI SANGANNA AMARAPPA (KOPPAL): Sir, I thank you for giving me time to speak on this important matter pertaining to fresh tenders for four-laning of NH-63.

I wish to humbly bring to the kind notice of the Government the pathetic state of NH-63, which needs to be repaired on an urgent basis. This NH-63 has been divided into two parts: one section relates to Hubli-Hospet covering a distance of 143 kilometres; and the second section relates to Hospet-Bellary covering a distance of 95 kilometres.

Therefore, I would request you to kindly approve the fresh tender for upgradation to four-laning of NH-63, particularly of Hubli-Hospet section by EPC mode. As far as Hospet-Bellary is concerned, tender has already been issued and work on 25 per cent of the stretch has already started. As far as Hubli-Hospet section is concerned, tenders have been issued several times, but due to some or the other problem, it has not been executed. I would also like to bring to your notice that PPPAC has been forwarded by PIU, Hospet.

At the end, I would only say that a quick perusal of the project would benefit crores of people. Thank you.