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Title: Regarding construction of road over-bridge at level Crossing No. 61 at Basta in Balasore Parliamentary Constituency of Odisha -laid.

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SHRI RABINDRA KUMAR JENA (BALASORE): The busy main road connecting block headquarter Basta to both the National Highway Nos. 5 & 60, on either sides, passes through Manual LC-61 near South Cabin at Basta Daily market area. People of both the districts of Balasore and Mayurbhanj use this important short distance road for their daily needs. Despite the requisite survey work by South Eastern Railway completed since November 2013, there has been no progress in construction of ROB near South Cabin of LC-61. With the recent completion of a road bridge over the river Jalaka, there has been manifold increase in the number of vehicles plying through this already busy road, thereby creating more congestion at LC -61 areas and giving rise to accidents frequently.

In this context, I would urge the Government to construct the ROB at LC 61 immediately to prevent accidents and inconvenience to the general public of Basta and Baisinga areas of Balasore and Mayurbhanj districts respectively.