GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-891

ANSWERED ON-14/12/2022

CHENNAI-SALEM GREENFIELD EXPRESSWAY PROJECT

891. DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS:

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

- (a) whether the Central Government has received any official communication from State Government of Tamil Nadu rejecting or opposing the 274KM long Eight-lane Chennai-Salem Expressway Greenfield project citing environmental concerns and stiff opposition by the farmers and farm labourers;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of the Official stand of State Government of Tamil Nadu with regard to the above issue?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

- (a) No Sir.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) Does not arise.
