

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-424**  
ANSWERED ON-06/12/2023

**DEVELOPMENT OF RANCHI-SAHIBGANJ ECONOMIC CORRIDOR**

424. SMT. MAHUA MAJI:

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

- (a) whether Government has received proposal from the State Government of Jharkhand for development of 325 km long Ranchi-Ramgarh-Hazaribagh-Koderma-Giridih-Devghar-Dumka-Godda-Pakur-Sahibganj road as an additional project in the Economic Corridor component of the Bharatmala Pariyojna; and
- (b) if so, the details of action taken and timeline to include and sanction development of the above?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) & (b) Yes Sir, A reference has been received from Hon'ble Chief Minister of Jharkhand. The said project is not part of Economic Corridor under Bharatmala Phase-I. However, the stretch from Ranchi-Ramgarh-Hazaribagh is part of Varanasi-Ranchi-Kolkata Economic Corridor, the work of which in the State of Jharkhand has been awarded.

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