## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

## RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1839

ANSWERED ON-07/08/2024

### NATIONAL HIGHWAYS IN ASSAM

### 1839. SHRI AJIT KUMAR BHUYAN:

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

- (a) the total length of National Highway in Assam and how many Kilometers of those are 4 lane Highways;
- (b) the number of Toll Gates operating in Assam;
- (c) the requirements/criterion prior to setting up of a Toll Gate, the details thereof, and whether Toll Gates of Assam fulfils all the mandatory requirements, whether there are any shortcomings, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether it is a fact that from Jakhalabandha to Dibrugarh 4 lane NH is under construction, and by when it will be completed?

#### **ANSWER**

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

- (a) Total length of National Highways (NHs) in Assam is 4077 km out of which 1110 km length has 4 lane carriageway configuration.
- (b) There are total 9 (nine) nos. of Toll Plazas operating on National Highways in Assam.
- (c) All the Toll Plazas in Assam are set up as per National Highways Fee (Determination of Rates and Collection) Rules, 2008 and its amendments from time to time.
- (d) The stretches of National Highways between Jakhalabandha to Dibrugarh under construction for improvement and upgradation to 4 lane are given below along with scheduled/revised scheduled date of completion.

| Sl<br>No. | Name of stretches                     | Sanctioned Cost<br>(Rs. in Crore) | 1 1        | Schedule/Revised Scheduled Date of Completion |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------|---|
| 1.        | 4-Laning of Jorhat-Jhanji Section     | 737.77                            | 14.02.2024 | 31.12.2024                                    |
| 2.        | 4-Laning of<br>Demow-Moran<br>Section | 385.57                            | 20.01.2023 | 06.12.2024                                    |

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