

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS  
RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1065  
ANSWERED ON-04/12/2024

**STATUS OF COASTAL HIGHWAY PROJECT IN ODISHA**

1065. SHRI NIRANJAN BISHI:

SMT. SULATA DEO:

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

- (a) the status of the Coastal Highway project in Odisha, including the length of the highway, key routes, and progress made so far;
- (b) the expected budget and timeline for the completion of the project;
- (c) the expected number of displacement due to this project; and
- (d) the economic, social and environmental impact of this project on Odisha?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

- (a) The Detailed Project Report (DPR) involving alignment study, feasibility study, pre-construction activities (including assessment of Land Acquisition) for development of Coastal Highway in the State of Odisha with tentative length of 408.435 km has been awarded.
- (b) and (c) The award of civil construction work can be after the completion of DPR, statutory clearances and pre- construction activities depending upon projected traffic, techno - economic viability and inter-se-priority. It is premature to indicate the cost of project, completion time and families affected till the DPR is received.
- (d) The economic, social and environmental impact of this project will be known after completion of DPR.

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