GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1477

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 25TH JULY, 2017/ SHRAVANA 3, 1939 (SAKA)

CONSTRUCTION WORK OF INDO-NEPAL ROAD

1477. SHRIMATI RAMA DEVI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether construction work of Indo-Nepal road via Ghorashahan-Koochhpar-Chainpur-Phoolwaria - Vairgaria-Masaha Aalam-Vanshi Chacha Dhang bridge-Maniyari in Sheohar district of Bihar is pending till date;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the efforts made by the Government for construction of the above road along with the outcome thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

(a) & (b): No alignment or road stretch of Indo-Nepal Border Road Project

passes through Sheohar District of Bihar.

However, Phulwaria falls on the border road stretch namely Dhutaha river to Lalbakeya river in East Champaran District and Vanshi Chacha Dheng bridge falls on Phulwaria Ghat to Bahar Village stretch in Sitamarhi District. The construction work of Indo-Nepal border roads including these two road stretches have been assigned to Road Construction Department of Bihar. Formation work of 18.15 km of these road stretches have been completed. (c): The High Level Empowered Committee headed by Union Home Secretary and Steering Committee headed by Secretary (Border Management) review and monitor the progress of border roads project periodically to sort out various bottlenecks in the implementation of the project with all agencies concerned including State Governments.

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