

## Pending Expressway Projects

The Govt. of India had approved a plan for constructing 1000 km of Expressways under NHDP Phase-VI at the cost of Rs. 16,680 crore on DBFOT basis. Recently, the Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs has approved the Bharatmala Pariyojana Program under which Expressway projects (Ahmedabad-Dholera, Vadodara-Mumbai, Delhi-Meerut, Kanpur-Lucknow, Chennai-Bangalore, Delhi-Amritsar-Katra & Delhi-Jaipur) of aggregate length 1837 km. are envisaged to be developed.

Out of these, 800 km Expressways is to be implemented in Phase-I of Bharatmala Pariyojana for which an outlay of Rs. 40,000 crore has been approved. In addition to the above, the Govt. had also approved one more expressway, namely, Eastern Peripheral Expressway for a length of 135 km., the construction of which is in progress.

The Eastern Peripheral Expressway and Delhi-Meerut Expressway are currently under construction. The details of the Contractor/Concessionaire for the projects are as under:

(i) Eastern Peripheral Expressway

Package	Name of Contractor
Pkg. I (km. 1 to Km. 22)	M/s Sadbhav Engineering Ltd.
Pkg II (km. 22 to Km. 46.50)	M/s Sadbhav Engineering Ltd.
Pkg III (km. 46.5 to Km. 71)	M/s Jai Prakash Assoc. Ltd.
Pkg IV (km. 71 to Km. 93)	M/s Ashoka Buildcon Ltd.
Pkg V (km. 93 to Km. 114)	M/s Oriental Structural Engineers Pvt. Ltd.
Pkg VI (km. 114 to Km. 136)	M/s Gayatri Project Ltd.

(ii) Delhi-Meerut Expressway

Package	Name of Contractor/Concessionaire
Pkg I (Km 0.000 to Km 8.360)	M/s Welspun Enterprises Ltd.
Pkg II (Km 8.360 to Km 27.740)	M/s ApcoInfratechPvt. Ltd. & M/s Chetak Enterprises Ltd. (consortium)
Pkg III (Km 27.740 to Km 49.346)	M/s ApcoInfratechPvt. Ltd. & M/s Chetak Enterprises Ltd. (consortium)
Pkg IV (New Greenfield, 27.740 to 59.983)	M/s G R Infra Projects Ltd.

This information was given by Union Minister of State for Road Transport and Highways, Shipping and Chemical & Fertilizers Shri Mansukh L Mandaviya in a written reply in Lok Sabha today.

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