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(RTI Section)

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Before the Public information Officer, under the Right to Information Act [Under Deputy Secretary, Transport & Highways, E-I(B), Government of India, Ministry of Road Transport and Highways Transport Bhawan, RNo.430, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi -110001.

Unniraj B.S

Petitioner

Gokulam

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Kerala

Petition filed under Sec. 6 of the Right to Information Act

1. I am a permanent resident of Kollam in State of Kerala.
2. I am in need of information specified below in relation to the following roads shown in the table below

Sl No.	New NH No assigned	Description	Old NH No assigned
1	744	The highway starting from its junction with NH-83 near Dindigul connecting Theni, Uttamapalayam in the State of Tamilnadu, Kumily, Pirmed, Kanjirappali, Kottayam, Chegannoor, Kollakadavu, Chakkuvally, Anchalmmod and terminating at its junction with NH 66 at Kollam in the State of Kerala	208
	183	The highway starting from its junction with NH 83 near Dindigul connecting Theni, Uttamapalayam in the State of Tamil Nadu, Kumily, Pirmed, Kanjirappali, Kottayam,	45, 220

		Adur and terminating at its junction with NH744 hear Kottarakara in the State of Kerala.	
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3. Out of the total stretch of the Kollam bypass of NH 66 a stretch of 4.3 km from Mevaram to Kallumathazham has been commissioned and opened to traffic. I understand that said stretch of bypass automatically became National Highway No.66. The fact that the stretch of 4.3 km from Mevaram to Kallumathazham has been commissioned and opened to traffic was reported in the English Daily newspaper 'The Hindu' on 30.06.2015. A true copy of the print out of the website of 'The Hindu' carrying the news item relating to Kollam bypass, appeared on 30.06.2015 is produced herewith for your ready reference. The said bypass of NH 66 is crossing kollam-Theni highway NH 183 (Serial No.219 shown in the schedule to the National Highways Act] at Kadavur and Kollam-Tirumangalam highway NH 744 (Serial No. 148 shown in the schedule to the National Highways Act ) at Kallumthazham.
4. In view of the fact that the said bypass of NH 66 is crossing kollam-Theni highway NH 183 at Kadavur and Kollam-Tirumangalam highway NH 744 at Kallumthazham ,to my mind ,the junction of NH 183 with NH 66 at Kollam referred to as Serial No.219 of the schedule to the National Highways Act is at Kadavur in Kollam and the junction of NH 744 with NH 66 near Kollam referred to as Serial No. 148 shown in the schedule to the National Highways Act is at Kallumthazham.
5. In the said circumstances you are requested to furnish/confirm the following:
- Whether the junction of NH 183 with NH 66 at Kollam referred to as Serial No.219 of the schedule to the National Highways Act is at Kadavur in Kollam and the junction of NH 744 with NH 66 near Kollam referred to as Serial No. 148 shown in the schedule to the National Highways Act is at Kallumthazham?
  - Furnish a true photocopy copy of entire file containing all the notes/notings/orders/decisions of all the Officers/ authorities including notes/noting/order/decision/approval if any of the Minister for Road Transport

and Highways, Government of India relating to the aforesaid bypass of NH 66 crossing kollam-Theni highway NH 183 at Kadavur and Kollam-Tirumangalam highway NH 744 at Kallumthazham.

- c) I am in need of the said information urgently, in view of the urgency involved in the matter. Sec.7 of the Right to Information Act also mandates that the request under Sec.6 of the said Act shall be disposed of expeditiously. I am producing herewith the required fee as provided in Rule 4 of Right to Information (Regulation of Fee & Cost) Rules

Dated this the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June 2017

  
Petitioner



6/5/2017

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## Kollam bypass to be commissioned in 2017

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

KOLLAM, JUNE 28, 2015 00:00 IST  
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After inspecting the progress on the phase II construction of the Kollam bypass to National Highway-47 on Monday, N.K. Premachandran, MP, said he was hopeful that the work would be completed in time so as to commission the bypass by November 2017.

A high-level team of officials accompanied the MP who expressed satisfaction at the progress of the construction. The inspection began from Altharamoodu Junction in Kavanad where the bypass gets reconnected with the NH-47 on the northern side. The 12.6-km Kollam bypass runs from Mevaram to Kavanad. Out of that the 4.3-km Mevaram-Kallumthazham stretch has been commissioned and opened to traffic. The remaining 8.3-km Kalluthazham-Kavanad stretch is being taken under the phase II work. While there are no bridges under the phase I work, phase II work comprises three bridges - a 900-m one at Kandachira, 600-m one at Aravila, and a 100-m one at Kadavur.

Mr. Premachandran said the construction of the bridges would start in August and about 18 months would be required to complete them. He said the development and designing of the bypass junctions along phase II would be taken up only after detailed discussions. The junctions would be scientifically constructed so that there would be no traffic jams.

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Date: 27.06.2017

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Signature / Receipt Official (IFC)