GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS (DEPARTMENT OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS)

1, Parliament Street, Transport Bhavan, New Delhi – 110 001 New Delhi, the 8th June, 2007

No. NH-12037/48/2004/Ar.P/NH-10 To

> The Chief Engineer (EZ), PWD Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar – 791 001.

Subject: Review meeting for quarter ending March, 2007.

Sir,

The review meeting was held by Chief Engineer (P-10) on 1.6.2007 with you. As per the details furnished, an amount of Rs. 809 lakh is required for completing the ongoing works and all the works are targeted to be completed by March, 2008. It was requested by you that funds to the extent as mentioned above may be provided during the current year. This has been noted and funds will be allocated as per the overall availability.

2. Widening of formation to uniform width of 7.50 m, from km 44 to 56 is in progress at present under the job of strengthening from km 44 to 56 of NH-153. Similarly two jobs of construction of culverts (10 m width) in km 44 to 56 are in progress at present. The desirability of widening the formation width to 12 m simultaneously along with the widening of culverts to full formation width was discussed. Keeping in view the fact that the widening of formation at a later date would not only cost more, but there will also be destabilization of the slopes in the cutting portions. It was, therefore, felt desirable to widen the formation and culverts to 12 m at this stage itself consistent with the recent circular. This will also avoid shifting of drains, parapets walls etc. Accordingly, State PWD would submit revised estimates for the two jobs in question, incorporating the provision for widening of formation of 12 m width along with the culvers within the month of June, 2007 avoiding any contractual implication. Further action in the matter will be taken accordingly. The estimate will be considered in the Ministry as per extant procedure for seeking approval of competent authority. In the meantime, execution as per original sanction shall be continued.

Yours faithfully,

(Rananjay Singh)

Executive Engineer

For Director General (Road Development) & Special Secretary