

No.RW/NH-11060/1/93-DO I

Dated, the 30th May, 1996

To

The Secretaries (dealing with National Highways), Public Works Department of all State and Union Territories

Subject: Expeditionary completion of National Highway Projects

Attention is invited to the Ministry's Circular No.RW/NH-11060/1/87-DO I dated 28.8.92 (copy enclosed*) regarding expeditious award and completion of National Highway projects. However, while reviewing the progress of on-going works at a high level in the Ministry recently it was observed that several works are lingering on beyond the completion periods stipulated therein.

2. The matter has been viewed with great concern and it has been decided that all such works be reviewed and the works which are lingering but have progress say 50 per cent after two years and 75 per cent after two and a half years, after sanction, should be accelerated.

3. It is requested that contents of this letter may please be brought to the notice of all officers in Public Works Departments dealing with National Highway works for strict compliance.

* Already printed on page 121.2/34 in Addendum to Ministry's Technical Circulars and Directives on National Highways and Centrally Sponsored Road and Bridge Projects (Aug. 98 to Dec. 92)