

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES  
DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3079**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.03.2017**

**Time-frame for completion of NATRIP**

3079. DR. R. LAKSHMANAN:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that inspite of many extensions given to National Automotive Testing and R&D Infrastructure Project (NATRIP), it is still a non-starter which has led to huge cost escalation of the project;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Government will come forward to specify a categorical time-frame to complete the project in a time-bound manner; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)**

- (a) No
- (b) Does not arise
- (c) Yes
- (d) The Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs has approved the revised timeline of completion of NATRIP Project. According to this, project will be completed by June 2019.

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