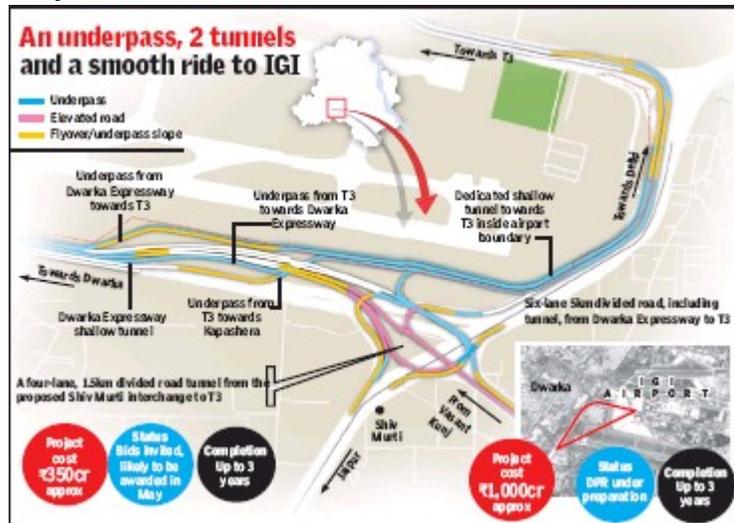


To IGI via Dwarka e-way in a jiffy

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NHE officials said the project could be completed in less than three years. Already, the Central Public Works Department is building a bypass for Mahipalpur, which will also have a tunnel connecting the airport near the National Crime Records Bureau office on Delhi Gurgaon carriage-way.



“We have invited bids for our Shiv Murti tunnel costing approximately Rs 350 crore as a part of the first package of Dwarka Expressway. We are hopeful of awarding it next month. NHA and the civil aviation ministry will share the cost 50:50,” a government official said.

Similarly, to improve connectivity from the upcoming Dwarka Expressway, NHA will build a 5km link road from Bijwasan railway station to T3. Speaking at a TOI event in Gurgaon last week, highways minister Nitin Gadkari had said NHA was working on a plan to provide seamless connectivity to the airport for traffic coming from Manesar as traffic on the route would increase once people started occupying houses along the Dwarka Expressway. This will also be the key link to the upcoming Dwarka convention centre,

which will be the biggest in the country.

“About 3.5 km of this connectivity will be tunnel. It will be a deep tunnel, which will pass beneath the runway like that of Express Metro. It will be a six-lane tunnel. We are preparing the details and it will cost about Rs 1,000 crore. We will be in a position to award this project in the next 6-7 months,” an NHA official said.