The Government is smoothly marching ahead with proper planning and have initiated certain steps to strengthen financial position of the state, and now the time has come to decide future course of the development. This was stated by the Chief Minister Shri Manohar Parrikar while speaking as chief guest at inaugural function after inaugurating newly constructed bridge across Rua De Qureim creek Lane I at Mala Panaji today. The function coincided with the birthday of the Chief Minister.

This was the ambitious project of Goa State Infrastructural Development Corporation and the bridge is constructed by Larsen & Toubro Company for a estimated cost cost of the lane I is Rs. 8 crores.

Shri Parrikar further speaking said development is a continuous process which requires positive approach and cooperation of the people. This bridge he said have decreased the distance between Mala and Patto and have saved time as well. He appreciated GSIDC, L&T and those who are associated with the construction of bridge as well.

The Minister of State for AYUSH (independent charge.) Shri Shripad Naik said that the people of Goa have assigned the task of the development of the state in the hands of right person like Shri Manohar Parrikar. During his tenure as Chief Minister he said Parrikar have immensely contributed in achieving all round development of the state. He wished him on his birthday and hoped for better health and life ahead.

The Member of Parliament South Goa Shri Narendra Savoikar lauded the work done by Chief Minister Shri Manohar Parrikar in taking Goa ahead in sectors like education, infrastructure, health, industry and so on. He said it is his regime during which the state has witnessed sizeable development. He wished him on his birthday for better health ahead to lead the state.

Shri Dipak Prabhu Pauskar, Chairman GSIDC and Shri Siddharth Kuncalienkar, Chairman EDC, Smt. Rekha Kande, and Shri Menino D.Cruz both councillors along with Shri Rangnathan Vice-President Larsen & Toubro spoke on the occasion.

Shri Surendra Vernekar, MD EDC and Councillors of CCP Panjim attended the function Shri Shubham Chodankar Chairman CCP welcomed the gathering.