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## Proposal for mega construction project of Rs 13,707 crore for Uttarakhand | Uttarakhand | 27 Apr 2022

### Why In News?

- On April 26, 2022, **Border Roads Organization (BRO)** officials made a presentation to the Governor of Uttarakhand Lt Gen (Retd) Gurmeet Singh about the proposed projects under the Rs 13,707 crore mega construction package for the border areas of Uttarakhand.

### Key Points

- It was told in the presentation that the construction of 14 new roads and five heliports in Uttarakhand at a cost of Rs 9,250 crore by the BRO, Construction of five heliports at a cost of Rs 77.50 crore, expansion of Gauchar and Naini Saini airstrips with a budget of Rs 12 crore and two tunnels at an estimated cost of Rs 4,260 crore.
- Apart from this, the Governor of Uttarakhand, Lieutenant General Gurmeet Singh flagged off the 'multi-pronged campaign' of the Border Roads Organization (BRO) at the Raj Bhavan on 26 April itself.
- BRO has launched this campaign on the occasion of its 63rd Foundation Day and **Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav** of the country. The theme of this campaign is '**National Integration and Nation Building**'.