

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1920
ANSWERED ON 14th DECEMBER, 2023**

UPGRADATION OF SH INTO NH

1920. SHRI G.M. SIDDESHWAR :

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to upgrade the Mariyammanahalli-Shivamogga State Highway (SH-25) into National Highway in Karnataka; and**
(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (b) At present, there is no proposal to declare Mariyammanahalli-Shivamogga State Highway (SH-25) in the State of Karnataka as National Highway. Declaration of National Highways is carried out based on traffic levels, financial viability, requirements of connectivity, connectivity to major economic / tourist hubs, strategic requirements, arterial roads which reduce travel distance / enable or facilitate economic growth, availability of ROW apart from inter-se priority and availability of resources.
