

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SURFACE TRANSPORT
LOK SABHA**

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INCORPORATE ROAD SAFETY
AMBATI BRAHMANAIAH

Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the National Highways Authority of India has incorporated road safety measures in all newly constructed National Highways;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the National Highways in Andhra Pradesh have also incorporated road safety measures;
- (d) if not, the reasons for neglecting the safety measures in National Highways in Andhra Pradesh;
- (e) whether a large number of representations have been received from road safety experts in Andhra Pradesh regarding various lapses in road safety; and
- (f) if so, the facts in this regard and the steps taken by the Government to ensure the road safety on National Highway in Andhra Pradesh?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

- (a) to (c) National Highways Authority of India has been constructing 4-lane divided carriageway on National Highways entrusted to them including those in Andhra Pradesh in which safety features have been duly considered in design.
- (d) Does not arise.
- (e) & (f) Some representation has been received. However, the suggested engineering measures have already been taken into account in upgradation of National Highways in Andhra Pradesh.