

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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NATIONAL HIGHWAY FROM MADURAI TO ERNAKULAM
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government propose to construct a national highway from Madurai to Ernakulam via Tenkasi and Sengotta;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which the work will be started?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (MAJOR GENERAL (RETD KHANDURI)

(a) Madurai and Ernakulam via Tenkasi and Sengotta are already connected by following National Highways :

- (i) Madurai - Thirumangalam (N H -7)
- (ii) Thirumangalam - Tenkasi - Sengotta - Kollam (N H - 208)
- (iii) Kollam - Ernakulam (N H - 47)

(b) & (c) Do not arise.