

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
SURFACE TRANSPORT  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1250  
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IMPROVEMENT OF NATIONAL HIGHWAYS No.1 and 8  
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**Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:**

- (a) the time by which the National Highways No. 1 and No. 8 are likely to be improve to bring them to international standards; and
- (b) the details of facilities available to motorists on National Highways?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT

(SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

- (a) Except for Jalandhar-Amritsar Section of National Highway No. 1, the entire National Highway No.1 and National Highway No.8 which are parts of National Highway Development Project, are targetted to be developed to 4-lane standards by December, 2003.
- (b) Passenger oriented wayside amenities at 21 locations are operational which have been developed by Government as well as private sector and have standard facilities like restaurants, parking, filling stations, toilets, etc. Besides, there are a number of other facilities of varying standards provided by private parties/other Government agencies.